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BROOKLYN, NEW-YORK, May 18th, 1865.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA met, agreeably to appointment, in the La Fayette Avenue Presbyterian Church, of the city of BROOKLYN, NEW-YORK, on Thursday, the 18th of May, 1865, at 11 o'clock A.M., and was opened with a sermon, by the Rev. THOMAS BRAINERD, D.D., the Moderator of the last Assembly, from Proverbs 11 : 30: "*He that winneth souls is wise.*"

After the sermon, the Assembly was constituted with prayer.

The Committee of Arrangements reported, recommending that the sessions of the Assembly be opened at 8½ o'clock A.M., and 3 o'clock P.M.; that they close at 12½ and 5½ o'clock P.M.; that the evening services commence at 7¾ o'clock; and that the first hour of the morning session be appropriated to devotional exercises. The report was adopted.

Adjourned until 3½ o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

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THURSDAY, May 18th, 3½ o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

On the report of the Committee on Commissions, the following persons were enrolled as duly appointed Commissioners of this General Assembly:

PRESBYTERIES.	MINISTERS.	ELDERS.
	I. SYNOD OF ALBANY.	
1. *Champlain*,	Jonathan Copeland,	Zephaniah C. Platt.
2. *Troy*,	Jotham Sewall,	John Lambert, M.D.,
	Lewis Kellogg,	Hon. Nicholas M. Masters.
3. *Albany*,	Frederick S. Jewell, (2)	Edward A. Durant. (2)
4. *Columbia*,	William H. Clark,	Frederick Phelps. (2)
5. *Catskill*,	John O. Wells,	La Fayette Moore.
	II. SYNOD OF UTICA.	
1. *St. Lawrence*,	John W. Whitfield,	Hon. Calvin T. Hulburd.
2. *Watertown*,	George W. Mackie,	George W. Knowlton.
3. *Oswego*,	Edward Lord, (2)	Hon. Ransom H. Tyler.(2)
4. *Utica*,	Samuel W. Fisher, D.D.,	Jared E. Warner,
	Moses E. Dunham,	John C. Gallup, M.D.
	III. SYNOD OF ONONDAGA.	
1. *Onondaga*,	Edwin Benedict,	Justus Townsend.
2. *Cayuga*,	Horace H. Allen,	Samuel Stringham,
	John Tompkins,	Philo Clark, M.D.
3. *Cortland*,	Irving L. Beman,	John M. Roe.
4. *Tioga*,	David A. Abbey,	Stephen D. Hand, M.D.
	IV. SYNOD OF GENEVA.	
1. *Geneva*,	A. Augustus Wood, D.D.,	Ezra D. Cook, (2)
	Charles E. Stebbins,	Ebenezer B. Jones.
2. *Steuben*,	Lewis F. Laine,	Luther Sturtevant.
3. *Chemung*,	Charles Chapman,	Martin S. Phinney.
4. *Ithaca*,	Warren Mayo,	George McChain.
5. *Wellsboro*,	John L. Swain,	Samuel Hazlett.
6. *Lyons*,	William H. Megie,	Absalom P. Chatham.
	V. SYNOD OF SUSQUEHANNA.	
1. *Otsego*,	Charles Gillette.	
2. *Chenango*,	Elroy Curtis,	Edgar A. Phillips.
3. *Delaware*,	Charles H. De Long,	William McGibbon.
	VI. SYNOD OF GENESEE.	
1. *Buffalo*,	William Waith,	Andrew Parker,
	Sylvester Cowles,	Moses Bristol.
2. *Ontario*,	Samuel Jessup,	Lorin Coy.
3. *Rochester*,	James B. Shaw, D.D.,	Albe C. Allen,
	John C. Taylor,	Louis Chapin.
4. *Genesee*,	Ebenezer H. Stratton,	Levi M. Harroun.
5. *Niagara*,	Russel S. Egleston,	Hon. Thomas T. Flagler.
6. *Genesee Valley*,	James B. Beaumont,	Abram Merritt.

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VII. SYNOD OF NEW-YORK AND NEW-JERSEY.		
1. *Hudson*,	Joseph M. McNulty,	D. Webster Cooper, M.D.
2. *North River*,	Harvey Smith,	Edward Wells.
3. *Long Island*,	Edward Stratton,	John N. Sayre.
4. *New-York, 3d*,	William W. Newell, D.D.,	John Endicott,
	William H. Babbitt,	Joseph W. Lester,
	James B. Bonar,	John G. Parker.
5. *New-York, 4th*,	John Spaulding,	John P. Crosby,
	William Adams, D.D.,	Oliver E. Wood,
	George L. Prentiss, D.D.,	Albert N. Brown.
6. *Brooklyn*,	Samuel T. Spear, D.D.,	Gurdon Burchard.
7. *Newark*,	J. Allen Maxwell,	James J. Dickerson,
	Charles H. Thompson,	Lyndon A. Smith, M.D.,
	James M. Dickson,	Job Haines.
8. *Rockaway*,	Daniel E. Megie,	Albert R. Riggs.
9. *Montrose*,	Samuel Whaley,	James Deans,
	Thomas R. Townsend.	
VIII. SYNOD OF PENNSYLVANIA.		
1. *Wilmington*,	John W. Mears,	Anthony M. Higgins. (2)
2. *Philadelphia, 3d*,	Ezra E. Adams, D.D.,	Adam C. Eckfeldt,
	Daniel March, D.D.,	Isaac Ashmead. (3)
3. *Philadelphia, 4th*,	Robert Adair,	Samuel T. Bodine,
	John B. Reeve,	Joseph Francis.
4. *Harrisburgh*,	William R. Dewitt, D.D.,	Charles Ogilby.
5. *Dist. of Columbia*,	Thaddeus D. McFalls,	John Knight.
IX. SYNOD OF WEST-PENNSYLVANIA.		
1. *Erie*,	Thomas B. Hudson,	Joseph D. Clark.
2. *Meadville*,	William T. Dickson,	Daniel Uber.
3. *Pittsburgh*,	errick Johnson, (7)	Hon. Henry W. Williams.
X. SYNOD OF MICHIGAN.		
1. *Detroit*,	Azariah Eldridge, D.D.,	George S. Frost. (4)
2. *Monroe*,	Samuel E. Wishard,	Samuel E. Hart.
3. *Marshall*,	Loomis Chandler,	William H. Skinner.
4. *Washtenaw*,	J. Ford Sutton,	Charles Holmes, Jr.
5. *Kalamazoo*,	Albert H. Gaston,	Daniel D. McMartin.
6. *Coldwater*,	Frederick R. Gallaher,	John H. Phelps.
7. *Saginaw*,	Henry H. Northrop,	Robert Ure.
8. *Grand Riv. Val.*,	Edwin D. Newberry,	William H. Woodworth.
9. *Lake Superior.*		
XI. SYNOD OF WESTERN RESERVE.		
1. *Grand River*,	Horace W. Palmer,	Daniel C. Caughey.
2. *Huron*,	John D. McCord,	William Watson.
3. *Trumbull*,	Augustus Cone,	William Laird.
4. *Cleveland and Portage*,	George E. Pierce, D.D., James Shaw.	Isaac M. Page,
5. *Elyria*,	Eldad Barber,	Esek C. Bradford.
6. *Maumee*,	William W. Williams, (4)	Solon L. Boughton.

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	XII. SYNOD OF OHIO.	
1. *Athens*,	Russell D. Van Deursen.	
2. *Pataskala*,	Elias Thompson,	Matthew Newkirk. (3)
3. *Franklin*,	Homer McVay,	John McElroy.
4. *Scioto*,	E. Perkins Pratt, D.D.,	Wm. F. Willson, M.D. (2)
	XIII. SYNOD OF CINCINNATI.	
1. *Cincinnati*,	Llewelyn J. Evans,	Ed. D. Mansfield, LL.D.,
	Wilbur McKaig,	William H. Moore. (2)
2. *Ripley*,	James W. West,	James N. Salisbury, M.D.
3. *Dayton*,	William M. Cheever,	Winslow S. Phelps.
4. *Hamilton*,	Ellis S. Weaver,	George W. Haire. (3)
	XIV. SYNOD OF INDIANA.	
1. *Salem*,	John M. Bishop,	Moses C. Browning.
2. *Madison*,	Ninian S. Dickey,	James A. De Lavergne.
3. *Indianapolis*,	Hanford A. Edson,	Lucius C. Walton.
4. *Green Castle*,	Ransom Hawley,	Henry G. Todd, M.D.
	XV. SYNOD OF WABASH.	
1. *Crawfordsville*,	Edmund O. Hovey,	William T. Scott. (2)
2. *St. Joseph*,	Jacob Patch.	
3. *Logansport*,	Edwin Black,	Stewart T. McConnell.
4. *Fort Wayne*,	William J. Essick,	Benjamin W. Oakley.
	XVI. SYNOD OF ILLINOIS.	
1. *Illinois*,	David H. Hamilton, D.D., (3)	Abner C. Hinton. (2)
2. *Schuyler*,	Reuben K. McCoy.	
3. *Wabash*,	Joseph E. McMurray,	Ebenezer Cheeney.
4. *Alton*,	Caleb J. Pitkin,	John N. McCord,
	Charles F. Beach,	Isaac Scarritt.
	XVII. SYNOD OF PEORIA.	
1. *Ottawa*,	Ira M. Weed,	Thomas Ware.
2. *Knox*,	Samuel Wyckoff,	Marcus B. Osborne.
3. *Galena & Belvidere*,	David R. Eddy,	Eliphalet S. Rose,
	Josiah Leonard,	John J. Buckley.
4. *Chicago*,	Alfred Eddy,	Hon. William H. Brown,
	William C. Dickinson,	D. R. Holt.
5. *Bloomington*,	Adam Johnston,	Amasa C. Washburn.
	XVIII. SYNOD OF WISCONSIN.	
1. *Milwaukee*,	George W. Elliott,	William M. Watt.
2. *Fox River*,	John B. Preston.	
3. *Columbus*,	Daniel A. Bassett,	Augustus P. Smith.
	XIX. SYNOD OF IOWA.	
1. *Des Moines*,	Asa Johnson, (3)	William D. Moore.
2. *Keokuk*,	Aaron Thompson,	H. Scott Howell. (2)
3. *Iowa City*,	Samuel J. Mills,	Samuel W. Sedgwick.
4. *Dubuque*,	Henry B. Holmes,	John Maclay.
5. *Chariton*.		
6. *Cedar Valley*,	Isaiah Reed.	

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XX. SYNOD OF MINNESOTA.		
1. *Dakota,*	John Peck, (3)	Amos D. Seward.
2. *Minnesota,*	Frederick A Noble,	Hon. Samuel J.R. McMillan.
3. *Winona,*	Sanford H. Smith.	
XXI. SYNOD OF MISSOURI.		
1. *St. Louis,*	John Maclean,	Edwin Barnard. (3)
2. *Lexington,*	Benj. B. Parsons, D.D.,	Joseph Lambrite. (3)
3. *Northern Missouri,*	Latten W. Dunlap.	
4. *Kansas,*	James Brownlee.	
XXII. SYNOD OF ALTA CALIFORNIA.		
1. *San Francisco.*		
2. *Sierra Nevada.*		
3. *San José.*		
4. *Washoe.*		
XXIII. SYNOD OF TENNESSEE.		
1. *Union,*	Thomas J. Lamar.	
2. *Kingston,*		John J. Dixon.
3. *Holston.*		

CORRESPONDING BODIES.

1. *General Assembly that met at Newark, N. J., in* 1864,	Rev. Milo J. Hickok, D.D., Mr. T. Charlton Henry.
2. *General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.*	
3. *General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America,*	Rev. James Harper, D.D.
4. *General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America,*	Rev. Joachim Elmendorf.
5. *General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America,*	Rev. John A. Crawford.
6. *General Synod of the German Reformed Church in the United States.*	
7. *General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States.*	
8. *General Conference of Maine.*	
9. *General Association of New-Hampshire.*	
10. *General Convention of Vermont.*	
11. *General Association of Massachusetts,*	Rev. James P. Kimball.

12. *General Association of Connecticut,* Rev. Benjamin J. Relyea.
13. *Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin.*
14. *Union of Evangelical Churches of France,* Rev. Theodore Monod.

The Committee further reported the presence, as duly authorized Commissioners, of the Rev. Thomas J. Lamar, of the Presbytery of Union, and Elder John J. Dixon, of the Presbytery of Kingston, Presbyteries of East-Tennessee, formerly in our connection, and their application on the part of these respective Presbyteries to be recognized as members of this body. These, and other similar cases, were referred to a Committee, consisting of the Rev. Samuel W. Fisher, D.D., Rev. Robert Adair, and Hon. William H. Brown.

The Rev. JAMES B. SHAW, D.D., of the Presbytery of Rochester, was elected Moderator, and inducted into office.

The Rev. JOHN SPAULDING, of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, and the Rev. JAMES SHAW, of the Presbytery of Cleveland and Portage, were chosen Temporary Clerks.

The docket of business was read by the Stated Clerk.

The printed minutes of the last General Assembly were distributed among the members.

The General Rules for Judicatories, contained in the Appendix to the Constitution, were adopted as the rules of this Assembly.

Ordered, That the usual number of copies of the Roll be printed, under the direction of the Stated Clerk.

It was made the first order of the day for to-morrow morning, after the announcement of the Standing Committees, to receive the Synodical Records and the papers from the respective Presbyteries, as well as all other papers of an official character intended for the Assembly.

Ordered, As a Standing Rule of the Assembly, that a Standing Committee be appointed by the Moderator, to whom shall be referred the Annual Report of the Trustees charged with the care and disbursement of the Ministerial Relief Fund.

The Annual Report of the Treasurer of the General Assembly was read, and referred to Messrs. Henry W. Williams, John P. Crosby, and Samuel T. Bodine, as an Auditing Committee.

The First Presbyterian Church of the city of St. LOUIS, MISSOURI, was chosen as the place for the meeting of the next General Assembly. The Rev. John Maclean, the Rev. Alfred Eddy, and Mr. Isaac Scarritt, were appointed to nominate a Committee of Arrangements.

Adjourned until to-morrow, at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

FRIDAY, May 19th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The roll was called, and the minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Moderator announced the following Standing Committees:

1. JUDICIAL COMMITTEE:

Ministers—George L. Prentiss, D.D., George E. Pierce, D.D., Lewis Kellogg, Elroy Curtis, Russel S. Egleston, Daniel E. Megie. *Elders*—Gurdon Burchard, Moses Bristol, Charles Ogilby, Robert Ure, Esek C. Bradford.

2. BILLS AND OVERTURES:

Ministers—Samuel T. Spear, D.D., William W. Newell, D.D., John M. Bishop, Samuel J. Mills, Reuben K. McCoy, Samuel Jessup. *Elders*—Hon. Samuel J. R. McMillan, Thomas Ware, James N. Salisbury, M.D., Joseph D. Clark, John G. Parker.

3. POLITY OF THE CHURCH:

Ministers—Samuel W. Fisher, D.D., Robert Adair, Thomas R. Townsend, Hanford A. Edson, Charles F. Beach, Henry B. Holmes. *Elders*—Edward D. Mansfield, LL.D., John Maclay, Benjamin W. Oakley, William H. Skinner, Job Haines.

4. HOME MISSIONS:

Ministers—Ezra E. Adams, D.D., Benjamin B. Parsons, D.D., Frederick R. Gallaher, Frederick A. Noble, John Tompkins, William Waith. *Elders*—Hon. Henry W. Williams, Hon. William H. Brown, Lyndon A. Smith, M.D., John Knight, Augustus P. Smith.

5. FOREIGN MISSIONS:

Ministers—William Adams, D.D., Daniel March, D.D., William M. Cheever, Eldad Barber, Wilbur McKaig, Ransom Hawley. *Elders*—Hon. Calvin T. Hulburd, Louis Chapin, John Endicott, Charles Holmes, Jr., Moses C. Browning.

6. EDUCATION:

Ministers—Edmund O. Hovey, A. Augustus Wood, D.D., Llewelyn J. Evans, Samuel E. Wishard, Jonathan Copeland, Thaddeus B. McFalls. *Elders*—Hon. Thomas T. Flagler, Oliver E. Wood, Henry G. Todd, M.D., Isaac Scarritt, William D. Moore.

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Ministers—Azariah Eldridge, D.D., Sylvester Cowles, James B. Bonar, Elias Thompson, David R. Eddy, John Maclean. *Elders*—Albe C. Allen, John C. Gallup, M.D., Joseph W. Lester, Samuel T. Bodine, John McElroy.

8. CHURCH ERECTION:

Ministers—E. Perkins Pratt, D.D., George W. Elliott, Ninian S. Dickey, Alfred Eddy, Lewis F. Laine, Edward Stratton. *Elders*—John Lambert, M.D., Justus Townsend, James J. Dickerson, William Laird, Ebenezer Cheeney.

9. MINISTERIAL RELIEF:

Ministers—William R. Dewitt, D.D., Harvey Smith, Loomis Chandler, Augustus Cone. *Elders*—Ebenezer B. Jones, Albert R. Riggs, Stewart T. McConnell.

10. NARRATIVE:

Ministers—John W. Mears, Thomas B. Hudson, William H. Clark, Sanford H. Smith. *Elders*—Philo Clark, M.D., John H. Phelps, Solon L. Boughton.

11. MILEAGE:

Elders—John P. Crosby, Samuel Stringham, Winslow H. Phelps.

12. DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES:

Ministers—William W. Newell, D.D., J. Ford Sutton, John B. Reeve, Horace W. Palmer. *Elders*—Lucius C. Walton, Amasa C. Washburn, Amasa D. Seward.

13. LEAVE OF ABSENCE:

Ministers—John B. Preston, George W. Mackie, John L. Swain, John C. Taylor. *Elders*—Andrew Parker, Adam C. Eckfeldt, Joseph Francis.

COMMITTEES ON SYNODICAL RECORDS.

1. SYNOD OF ALBANY. *Ministers*—Samuel Whaley, Ebenezer H. Stratton, John D. McCord. *Elders*—Samuel E. Hart, James A. De Lavergne.
2. SYNOD OF UTICA. *Ministers*—John D. Wells, Charles E. Stebbins, J. Allen Maxwell. *Elders*—Lorin Coy, William H. Woodworth.
3. SYNOD OF ONONDAGA. *Ministers*—Edwin D. Newberry, Homer McVay, Joseph E. McMurray. *Elders*—Marcus B. Osborne, William M. Watt.

4. Synod of Geneva. *Ministers*—William H. Babbitt, Albert H. Gaston, William J. Essick. *Elders*—George W. Knowlton, Martin S. Phinney.
5. Synod of Susquehanna. *Ministers*—Jacob Patch, Daniel A. Bassett, Adam Johnston. *Elders*—Daniel W. Sedgwick, Zephaniah C. Platt.
6. Synod of Genesee. *Ministers*—Jotham Sewall, Charles Chapman, William H. Megie. *Elders*—La Fayette Moore, Samuel Hazard.
7. Synod of New-York and New-Jersey. *Ministers*—William S. Dickson, Isaiah Reed, Ellis S. Weaver. *Elders*—Hon. Nicholas M. Masters, Jared E. Warner.
8. Synod of Pennsylvania. *Ministers*—James B. Beaumont, James M. Dickson, Edwin Black. *Elders*—Edgar A. Phillips, Luther Sturtevant.
9. Synod of West-Pennsylvania. *Ministers*—Edwin Benedict, Warren Mayo, Charles H. De Long. *Elders*—John M. Roe, Absalom P. Chatham.
10. Synod of Michigan. *Ministers*—Charles Gillette, Horace H. Allen, Charles H. Thompson. *Elders*—Levi H. Harroun, Albert N. Brown.
11. Synod of Western Reserve. *Ministers*—Joseph N. McNulty, Russell D. Van Deursen, Latten W. Dunlap. *Elders*—John J. Buckley, John N. McCord.
12. Synod of Ohio. *Ministers*—William C. Dickinson, Samuel Wyckoff, James Brownlee. *Elders*—George McChain, William McGibbon.
13. Synod of Cincinnati. *Ministers*—Ira M. Weed, Moses E. Dunham, Irving L. Beman. *Elders*—Abraham Merritt, John N. Sayre.
14. Synod of Indiana. *Ministers*—Aaron Thompson, David A. Abbey, John Wesley Whitfield. *Elders*—James Deans, William Watson.
15. Synod of Wabash. *Ministers*—Josiah Leonard, John B. Preston, Benjamin B. Parsons, D.D. *Elders*—Daniel C. Caughey, Daniel D. McMartin.
16. Synod of Illinois. *Ministers*—Robert Adair, J. Ford Sutton, Eldad Barber. *Elders*—Isaac M. Page, Daniel Uber.
17. Synod of Peoria. *Ministers*—Jonathan Copeland, John Tompkins, John C. Taylor. *Elders*—Louis Chapin, John H. Phelps.
18. Synod of Wisconsin. *Ministers*—Samuel E. Wishard, Charles F. Beach, Sanford H. Smith. *Elders*—Solon L. Boughton, John Endicott.
19. Synod of Iowa. *Ministers*—John M. Bishop, Henry B. Holmes, Ira M. Weed. *Elders*—Eliphalet S. Rose, D. R. Holt.

20. SYNOD OF MINNESOTA. *Ministers*—William M. Cheever, William H. Clark, Elroy Curtis. *Elders*—Ebenezer B. Jones, John C. Gallup, M.D.

21. SYNOD OF MISSOURI. *Ministers*—Lewis Kellogg, James B. Bonar, William Waith. *Elders*—Nicholas M. Masters, Jared E. Warner.

22. SYNOD OF ALTA CALIFORNIA.

The Records of the Synods were presented and referred to the respective Committees appointed for their examination.

The Narratives, Statistical Reports, Overtures, and other papers of the Presbyteries, were received and appropriately referred.

The Annual Reports of the Permanent Committees on Foreign Missions, Education for the Ministry, and Home Missions, were read, accepted, and referred to the appropriate Standing Committees.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported Overture No. 2, from the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, asking that the heading of Contributions to Foreign Missions in the Statistical Tables be changed to read, "*Foreign Missions;*" recommending that the change requested be made.

The report was adopted.

The same Committee further reported Overture No. 4, as follows: "Is it within the province of the Session to *excommunicate*, without formal trial, a church-member, who makes a written confession of having embraced heretical views, and in consequence having violated covenant by long-continued absence from the ordinances of the church, and who requests to be cut off from the church?" The Committee recommend, that the party asking the above question be referred to the Book of Discipline, Chap. 4; and such Session be urged to follow strictly the order laid down therein.

The report was adopted.

The same Commitee further reported Overture No. 5, as follows: "May a Presbytery authorize its *Stated Clerk*, during the intervals of its sessions, to grant, at their own request, letters certifying the regular standing and *dismission* of its *members* to join other ecclesiastical bodies in connection or correspondence with the General Assembly?" The Committee recommend, that the above question be answered in the negative.

The report was adopted.

The Committee on the application of the Commissioners from the Presbyteries of Kingston and Union, East-Tennessee, reported, recommending the reference of the matter to the Standing Committee on the Polity of the Church.

The report was adopted.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

FRIDAY, May 19th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Annual Reports of the Presbyterian Publication Committee, and of the Trustees and the Treasurer of the Presbyterian House, were read, accepted, and referred to the Standing Committee on Publication.

The Annual Report of the Board of Trustees of the Church Erection Fund was read, accepted, and referred to the Standing Committee on Church Erection.

Reports were received from the *Delegates* appointed by the last Assembly to *Corresponding Bodies;* from the Rev. James P. Wilson, D.D., Delegate to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church that met in 1864, at Newark, N. J.; from the Rev. Edwin Hall, D.D., Delegate to the General Convention of Vermont; from the Rev. Robert Russell Booth, D.D., Delegate to the General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church; from the Rev. Chester Fitch, Delegate to the General Association of Massachusetts; from the Rev. Edmund F. Waldo, Delegate to the Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin; from the Rev. George W. Warner, Delegate to the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church; and from the Rev. Byron Sunderland, D.D., Delegate to the Union of the Evangelical Churches of France.

The reports were accepted, and ordered to be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes.

The Special Committee, appointed by the last Assembly on the relation of *Unemployed Ministers* to the churches among whom they reside, presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

By the last General Assembly which met at Dayton, Ohio, the undersigned were appointed a Committee, to consider and report upon the following Resolution, (see *Minutes*, 1864, p. 462:)

"*Resolved*, That the subject of the relation of *Unemployed Ministers* to the churches among whom they reside, and whom they may be desired and are disposed to serve as *Ruling Elders*, be referred to a Committee, to consider and recommend what action can and ought to be taken by the Assembly, for removing the constitutional restriction which prevents the employment of such ministers in the service of the Church as Ruling Elders; and report to the next Assembly."

The "constitutional restriction" referred to is found in the Form of Government, ch. xiii. 2; where it is said, that persons elected to the offices of ruling elder and of deacon must, "in all cases," "be male members in full communion in the church in which they are to exercise their office." By the practice of our Church, ministers are not members of any particular church, and therefore cannot be eligible to the above offices.

The case might be reached constitutionally in one of two ways. The first would be an alteration of the above rule, making an express exception in respect to "unemployed ministers;" but this would involve the infelicity and inconvenience of holding two offices, and would require adjustments of other parts of the Constitution.

The other mode would be the adoption of a constitutional provision, allowing, in certain well-defined cases, the demitting of the ministerial office. While some of your Committee are inclined to this course, yet they do not think it expedient to recommend it for adoption, without further discussion, and more specific instructions from the Assembly.

At the same time, your Committee are unanimously of the opinion, that any church has a right to avail itself of the experience and wisdom of such unemployed ministers. While it cannot directly invest such ministers with the office of Ruling Elder, yet it may, by a formal vote, request them to take part in all the deliberations of the Session. What is desirable in the case may thus be gained, without any violation of constitutional provisions.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

SATURDAY, May 20th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.
The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.
The further calling of the roll was dispensed with, until the close of the sessions.
The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Committee on the Polity of the Church reported in respect to the commissions of the Rev. Thomas J. Lamar, of the Presbytery of Union, and Elder John J. Dixon, of the Presbytery of Kingston, Tennessee. The report was accepted, and, after statements by the Rev. Messrs. Sawyer and Lamar, was, by a rising vote, unanimously adopted, and is as follows:

Whereas, the Presbytery of *Union*, at a duly-called meeting, held in September last, and the Presbytery of *Kingston*, at a similar meeting, resolved, by the unanimous vote of the members present, to re-connect themselves with this Assembly, from which they withdrew in 1857, and have requested us to receive them;

Resolved, That this Assembly hereby recognize the Presbyteries of *Union* and *Kingston* as constituent parts of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, and that the name of Rev. Thomas J. Lamar, as a Commissioner from the Presbytery of Union, and the name of Elder John J. Dixon, as a Commissioner

from the Presbytery of Kingston, be added to the roll of this Assembly.

And, since it is exceedingly desirable that these Presbyteries should have their *Synodical* relations, as heretofore, within the State of Tennessee, and as, in consequence of the disorganized state of many of the churches, and the disloyalty of a number of the ministers formerly in connection with us, it is impracticable to secure this object at present by the ordinary methods of ecclesiastical action; and whereas, the following ministers and churches have expressed a desire to be in connection with us;

Therefore, *Resolved*, 1. That the Rev. Rufus P. Wells and Rev. Nathan Bachman, together with the Rev. Samuel Sawyer, of the Presbytery of Fort Wayne, are hereby constituted the *Presbytery of Holston;* that the churches of Greenville and Timber Ridge be placed under the care of this Presbytery; that the bounds of said Presbytery be the same as those of the former Presbytery of Holston; that the Presbytery meet at Greenville, Tenn., on Friday, August 4th, 1865, at 7½ o'clock P.M., and be opened with a sermon from Rev. Rufus P. Wells, who shall act as Moderator until another be chosen.

Resolved, 2. That the Presbyteries of *Union*, *Kingston*, and *Holston*, are hereby erected into the *Synod of Tennessee;* that the boundaries of said Synod shall be the same as those of the former Synod of Tennessee; the Synod to hold its first meeting at New-Market, Tennessee, on Thursday, October 12th, 1865, at 11 o'clock A.M., and be opened with a sermon by Rev. William Adams, D.D., of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, or, in case of his absence, by the senior minister present, who shall preside until a Moderator be chosen.

Resolved, 3. That, in case the Presbytery of New-River, now in connection with the "United Synod," shall elect to belong to this Synod as thus constituted, said Presbytery shall be recognized as a constituent part of said Synod; in case it does not, then the bounds of the Presbytery of Holston be so enlarged as to embrace any churches and ministers, within the bounds of said Presbytery of New-River, that may elect to unite with us.

Resolved, 4. That these Presbyteries be directed not to recognize or admit, as a member of their respective bodies, any minister known to be disloyal to the Government of the United States.

A communication was received from "The New-York Sabbath Committee," expressing their desire to present a copy of *Gilfillan on the Sabbath* to each of the pastors in connection with the General Assembly. The offer was accepted, with the thanks of the Assembly; and the Rev. A. Augustus Wood, D.D., Rev. James B. Beaumont, and Hon. William H. Brown, were appointed to confer with the Committee concerning the method of distribution.

Adjourned until Monday at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 22d, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Rev. Samuel W. Fisher, D.D., Rev. David H. Hamilton, D.D., Rev. James B. Bonar, and Messrs. William H. Moore and George S. Frost, were appointed to bring in a report expressive of the views and feelings of the Assembly on the present *state of the country.*

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported Overture No. 10, asking that the Presbyteries of the *Pacific Coast* be more fully aided in bearing the expenses of their Commissioners to the General Assembly. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

The Assembly expresses its hearty sympathy with the Presbytery presenting the above memorial. It is eminently important that Presbyteries having the care of feeble congregations, and located at great distances from the usual places of the meetings of the General Assembly, should, nevertheless, be represented by Commissioners. To make provision for such representation, the Assembly that met in 1857 adopted a plan for securing adequate funds for defraying the expenses of the General Assembly. (See *Minutes*, 1857, pp. 399, 400.) In this plan the Standing Committee on Mileage, annually appointed, is required to "estimate, and report the probable amount that will be needed to defray the necessary traveling expenses of the Commissioners, and the contingent expenses of the next succeeding Assembly, together with the rate" of assessment, *per capita*, upon the communicants under the care of each Presbytery, that will be adequate for this purpose. According to this plan, each Commissioner is required to present to the Committee on Mileage a bill of "his necessary traveling expenses and mileage." Such bills, having been audited by the Mileage Committee, are directed to "be paid as fully as the funds will permit, after appropriating an amount sufficient to defray the contingent expenses of the Assembly." If, therefore, the Mileage Committee properly estimate the probable expenses of the next succeeding Assembly, and fix the proper rate for raising adequate funds, and the Presbyteries contribute according to this rate, the object sought in the memorial will be gained. The plan, if efficiently applied, is entirely adequate for this purpose. The Assembly, therefore, instructs the Mileage Committee, in its estimate of the expenses for the next Assembly and rate of contribution, to make in the latter a full and adequate provision for the former. The Assembly, moreover, urges upon all the Presbyteries the great importance of this subject, and earnestly exhorts them to see to it, that the churches under their care make prompt contributions to defray the expenses of the General Assembly, according to the plan now in use. These expenses should not fall upon the Commissioners, but upon the Presbyteries rep-

resented by them. To the churches under their care these Presbyteries must look for the necessary funds. Let each Presbytery do the work assigned to it, and the present plan will meet the difficulty better than any other which the Assembly can devise.

The Standing Committee on *Foreign Missions* presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The obligation to extend the Gospel throughout the world springs from the nature of Christianity itself, the relations of the Church to the human race, and the express command of our divine Lord.

Those periods in her own history, in which the Christian Church has been engaged most zealously in the diffusion of the Gospel, have been the most remarkable for her own purity, prosperity, and power. All the great changes which have occurred in the world, reformatory of evils and indicative of a real improvement of the race, are traceable directly to the historic person of Jesus Christ, and, therefore, should stimulate all his followers to give the widest extension to his Gospel among all nations.

In examining the Report of the Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions, already submitted to the Assembly, the attention of the Standing Committee has been directed chiefly to two things: first, the correspondence of that Committee with their missionaries in foreign lands, who still retain ecclesiastical relations with this body; a correspondence which evinces, in every region where these our brethren are resident, new claims, new opportunities, and new encouragements for augmented energy in that cause which they represent. And, second, the valuable tables, compiled by the Committee, representing the amount contributed by the several Synods, Presbyteries, and Churches connected with this body, in aid of Foreign Missions.

While it appears from the tables, that there has been a considerable increase in the aggregate of contributions for this object from these churches, during the year ending May, 1864, the Committee regret to say that, during the same period, a large number in our connection have contributed absolutely nothing to Foreign Missions. Many of these churches, it is known, are themselves feeble, planted, perhaps, in the new settlements; and in need, to some extent, of assistance in their own support. But it is hard to conceive of any church, in a country like this, in circumstances so depressed that it cannot give *something*, in testimony of the grateful regard in which the Gospel is held by themselves. Paradoxical as it may seem, the true method of keeping the Gospel is to give it away; and no Christian church can afford, for its own sake, to withhold all sympathy and all contributions from those who are entirely ignorant of the Gospel and the Son of God.

The Committee would recommend the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That the Report of the Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions be adopted.

Resolved, 2. That this Assembly recognize the obligation and the privilege of every constituent part of the Christian Church to impart to others, as providential opportunities may permit, the knowledge and blessings of the common salvation.

Resolved, 3. That this Assembly gratefully acknowledge the conspicuous favor of Divine Providence toward the A. B. C. F. M., in its good and great work of propagating the Gospel throughout the world, and pledge to that institution our cordial coöperation and support.

Resolved, 4. That the form of organization adopted by the Presbyterian Church, with its extended supervision over ministers and members, and its regular reports and statistics, is specially favorable to *systematic* action in regard to this and every other endorsed form of Christian benevolence; and, therefore, it is recommended to all Presbyteries, not only to arrange for an annual contribution to Foreign Missions in every church under their care, but also for an annual report of the sums thus contributed, whether great or small.

Resolved, 5. That this Assembly extend to all the ministers and members of Presbyterian churches, who have left their native country to plant the institutions of our religion in foreign lands, the assurance of our fraternal remembrance, sympathy, love, and prayers.

Resolved, 6. That the recent events on our own continent, imposing new obligations in reference to our own territorial domains, instead of absolving us from the work of evangelizing the distant heathen, present additional inducements to engage in Christian propagandism, by reason of the signal favors vouchsafed to us as a people in times of calamity, the great resources at the command of the nation, and especially that it may be known to all people in what an estimate the Gospel is here held, as the source of all our blessings, personal, domestic, and national, the fountain of light, life, liberty, enterprise, righteousness, prosperity, and peace.

Resolved, 7. That Rev. George Duffield, D.D., John A. Brown, Rev. Walter Clarke, D.D., Rev. Daniel W. Poor, D.D., and Rev. T. Ralston Smith, whose terms of service expire, be reëlected to the same office for the term of three years.

Resolved, That the Standing Committee on Foreign Missions in each Presbytery, or if there be no such Committee, the Stated Clerk, be instructed to report, on or before the first of May, to the Permanent Committee of the Assembly, the amounts contributed by the churches to Foreign Missions during the current year.

Resolved, That the Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions be instructed to send a circular, before the first of April of each year, to the Standing Committee or Stated Clerk of each Presbytery, requesting statistics on this subject.

The Rev. John A. Crawford, the Delegate from the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America, then addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 22d, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported in reference to Overture No. 1, being a request that the General Assembly give its testimony respecting the guilt of *Treason*, as incurred by the ministry resident in the States recently in rebellion; and further, that the Assembly suggest to the Presbyteries upon what terms and in what way ministers, who have thus been guilty of treason, should, if at all, be received by them.

The report, having been amended, was unanimously adopted, and is as follows:

The Assembly regards the matter referred to in the Overture, as of the gravest and most solemn character. Civil society is, in the Scriptures, expressly declared to be an ordinance of God. Its agency is some form of human government; and to this government the subject thereof is bound to yield obedience, except in those cases in which the higher law of God directly intervenes to cancel the obligation. To disobey the civil law, unless required to do so by the law of God, is alike a crime against the State and a sin against God; rendering the offender justly amenable to punishment.

These principles so abundantly asserted in the Scriptures, and so obviously true at the bar of right and reason, apply with special emphasis to that form of disobedience which is *treasonable*, which seeks to subvert government, which attacks the very life of a nation, and gives rise to disorder, anarchy, and civil war among the people. Resistance to the civil authority in this form, and for this purpose, is, in the judgment of this Assembly, the highest crime against the State as well as "a most grievous sin against God." The specific case referred to in the Overture, presents the crime and sin of treason under its most aggravated conditions. It is treason against a *popular* government containing within itself the most ample means for the peaceful redress of all possible grievances. It is treason without any provocation, justification, or excuse. It is treason designed and planned to perpetuate and extend the iniquitous system of human bondage. It is treason, too, his-

torically attended with barbarities and outrages on the part of its authors and abettors, alike shocking to the civilization of the age and repugnant to the principles of Christianity. To suppress and destroy this treason, as an organized military power, has involved the sacrifice of thousands and tens of thousands of human lives, and filled the land with the deep wail of affliction and sorrow. Such a treason this Assembly regards as involving criminality in its most appalling form. The justice of God, the honor of law, and the safety of civil society imperatively demand, that it should be suitably punished by the *judicial* power of the nation, in the infliction of penalty upon its guilty authors.

That the ministers of the Gospel resident in what have been designated as the Rebel States — men professing to believe in the Bible, and to honor its principles—should have shared in the guilt of this treason, making themselves parties thereto, giving to it their public influence, aiding and abetting the same, seems, to the Assembly, one of the most astonishing moral perversions to be found in the history of this fallen world. And yet that such has been the fact in the States hitherto in rebellion is too obvious to admit of reasonable doubt or denial. These ministers the Assembly can view only as, in this thing, most grievous sinners against the God of heaven.

In view of the principles and opinions thus expressed, the Assembly most earnestly exhorts all the Presbyteries under its care, to consider this subject, and take such action thereupon as shall accord with the word of God. In the event that any of the ministers, referred to in the above Overture, shall apply for admission into these Presbyteries, the Assembly advises the Presbyteries not to admit them, or in any way recognize them as ambassadors of the Cross of Christ, until they have given satisfactory evidence that they have sincerely repented of this sin. The details of this advice, the manner and ways of giving it practical effect, the Assembly must, for the present, leave with the discretion and wisdom of the Presbyteries; yet the Assembly cannot forbear to express the hope that the Presbyteries, in the spirit of true loyalty to their country and their God, will so act in the premises, as to convey the clearest and most undoubted condemnation of the treason, which has clothed this land with the habiliments of sorrow. Let the religious sense of the Church, in her pulpit ministrations, and through the action of her judicatories, mark this sin as of the deepest dye.

The Assembly in thus answering the Overture, has no specific case before it for a definite and special judgment, and has, therefore, submitted the answer in this general form.

The Records of the Synods of Michigan, Genesee, New-York and New-Jersey, Wisconsin, Peoria, Onondaga, Utica, Minnesota, Wabash, Iowa, Susquehanna, Ohio, West-Pennsylvania, Cincinnati, Missouri, Pennsylvania, Albany, Indiana, Geneva, Western Reserve, and Illinois, were, upon the recommendation of the respective examining committees, approved as far as written.

The Committee appointed to audit the Annual Report of the *Treasurer* of the General Assembly, reported that they had examined the same, with the vouchers, and found it to be correct; and they recommended that it be approved, and printed in the Appendix to the Minutes.

The report was adopted.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported Overture No. 13, as follows:

The Presbytery of Dakota has within its bounds the mission churches gathered from among the Dakota Indians. The missionaries laboring among these Indians have, for many years, felt the necessity of subjecting Indians to *law*, that they may enjoy the protection of the same for themselves and their property; but thus far they have failed to bring to bear such influences on Congress, and on the Indian Department, as to accomplish this most desirable and necessary object.

We are of opinion that a proper memorial from so large and honored a body as the General Assembly will not only be received kindly, but have its effect in this regard. We, therefore, ask you to prepare and forward such a memorial to the Secretary of the Interior and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, asking them to use their influence to procure the necessary legislation to secure this object; which is, first, declaring them subject to the laws of the United States, and the criminal laws of the State or Territory in which they may be found; second, making provision for the appointment and support of officers to enforce these laws.

The Committee recommended the appointment of a special committee to examine the subject referred to in the memorial, and report thereon to the next General Assembly. The recommendation was adopted, and the Rev. Samuel T. Spear, D.D., Rev. William W. Newell, D.D., and Mr. Oliver E. Wood, were appointed such committee.

After hearing further statements respecting the condition of the churches in East-Tennessee, from the Rev. Messrs. Samuel Sawyer and Thomas J. Lamar, it was

Resolved, That to enter and occupy the field in East-Tennessee, now reöpened by Divine Providence, is the positive duty of the Presbyterian Church; and, as a commencement of this work, the Home Mission Committee be instructed to designate, as soon as practicable, ten pastors in this communion, to spend the ensuing three months in serving the Church in that desolated field; and that said Committee is hereby authorized to advance the necessary traveling expenses of such pastors out of the funds of the Committee, and, if necessary, appeal to the churches to reïmburse the requisite amount.

Adjourned until to-morrow, at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

TUESDAY, May 23d, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The First Annual Report of the Executive Committee charged with the care and disbursement of the *Ministerial Relief Fund* was read, accepted, and referred to the Standing Committee upon that subject.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Mileage, it was ordered that the necessary traveling expenses of the Commissioners of the Presbyteries of Dakota and Union be, for special reasons, paid out of the Commissioners' Fund.

The Standing Committee on Education presented their report. Pending its consideration,

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

TUESDAY, May 23d, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported on Overture No. 9, making inquiry concerning the relation of persons received, by act of Session, during the interval of such reception and the subsequent Sacramental Sabbath. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

In answer to the several questions contained in the above Overture, the Assembly refers to the Form of Government, Chapter ix., Section 6, in which the *reception of "members into the church"* is expressly specified as one of the duties and powers of the Church Session. For this purpose the Session is the church, and its act of admission the act of the church. When, therefore, an applicant for admission by letter is received by a vote of the Session, he is at once a member of the church, entitled to all the privileges, and subject to all the responsibilities, of this relation.

The same rule equally applies to candidates for admission into the church on a profession of their faith. The vote of the Session is the essential and final act by which they are thus received, and needs no subsequent action of the church to give it reality or validity. The administration of baptism according to the word of God, in the case of unbaptized persons, must, of course, be involved in, and attendant upon, this sessional act, either at the time, which would be entirely proper, or at a subsequent period appointed for this purpose. The Session, if thus choosing, may prescribe a public profession of faith before the whole church as a convenient usage, and for this purpose may employ a church con-

fession and covenant. This is the practice with many Sessions, and, where this practice is adopted, it is proper that the officiating minister or clerk of the Session should report a statement of the fact in accordance therewith, and that the report should be formally entered upon the records of the Session.

It is well, however, to remember, that the confessions of faith and covenants in use among local churches, though regarded by many as convenient and useful, and certainly sanctioned by a very prevalent usage, are nevertheless not essential to the organization of a church, or the establishment of membership therein, since they are not the authoritative standard of faith or practice in the Presbyterian Church. Such confessions and covenants, with the accompanying form of a public profession, may or may not be used, as shall seem most expedient to the Session. Whether used or not, the vote of the Session is, by the Constitution of the Presbyterian Church, the act on which the membership depends, and, in all cases, the records of the Session should be made to correspond with this fundamental principle of the polity of the Church.

These principles cover all the points submitted in the above Overture. Their application is simple, and hence the Assembly sees no occasion for giving a more detailed and specific answer to the several questions presented for its consideration.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

WEDNESDAY, May 24th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The minutes of yesterday's sessions were read and approved.

The report of the Treasurer of the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions was read, accepted, and referred to the Standing Committee on Home Missions.

The Standing Committee on Home Missions presented their report, which was accepted.

Pending the consideration of the subject, adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

WEDNESDAY, May 24th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The consideration of the report of the Standing Committee on Home Missions was resumed.

The report, having been amended, was adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Home Missions, having given careful attention to the matters intrusted to them by the General Assembly, namely, the Fourth Annual Report of the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions, a Memorial from the Presbytery of Cayuga, statements made by brethren invited to our sessions, and to other papers bearing on the interests of the Home Mission field, submit the following report of facts and topics demanding the special regard of this General Assembly.

The present condition of the Home Missionary operations of our Church, as set forth in the Report of the Permanent Committee, affords peculiar ground for thankfulness and encouragement. The increased contributions of the churches to this Cause during the year covered by the Report, amounting to about $16,000 over and above the sum reported to the General Assembly of 1864, the addition of twenty-five efficient laborers to the number previously in the field, and the interest manifested by many of the brethren present in the manifold claims and bearings of the work, evince a growing purpose in the Church to put this branch of our Christian agency in the first rank of influence and honor.

The dawn of peace, affording us ample opportunity to enter and occupy new and broad regions before substantially closed against our direct action; the return to our denominational fold of Presbyteries in Tennessee, constituting an important agency in the work of ecclesiastical and Christian reconstruction there; the addition during the year of 2300 souls to our mission churches, of whom 1300 were won from the world to Christ, are facts which may well call forth our devout and grateful ascriptions of praise to God. They indicate that the Cause has, measurably, overcome the obstacles which beset its incipient stage of action, and warrant for it, we believe, a steady and sure ascent to strength and permanence. They seem to assure us that our Permanent Committee have the wisdom to manage, our churches the benevolence to sustain, and our missionaries the devotion and constancy to undertake and carry on, the work intrusted to their hands; and better still, that the Divine Spirit owns and blesses the great undertaking.

Your Committee would call the attention of the General Assembly to the extent of the field now claiming their missionary action. The Territories of the West and North-west, whither multitudes resort for the purposes of material enterprise, constitute a vast empire, being rapidly filled with earnest men, and destined, in the course of half a century, to possess a population of many millions. Besides these, there are *fourteen* States, whose institutions, social, educational, and religious, have been not only disturbed, but destroyed, by the great conflict. Enterprise is there to be revived and credit restored, lands are to be cultivated, houses rebuilt and again inhabited, villages now deserted to be repeopled, schools reopened and churches again occupied, not by the disloyal and treasonable, but by men and women who love their country and their God, and who seek the messages of life from loyal lips.

In some localities there will be a natural and spontaneous return to social order, and to wonted Christian duties and privileges. While it is the province of the State governments, aided by the United States authorities, to restore civil rule and relations, to encourage industry, sustain law, and reassure the people in their hopes and efforts for reconstruction, it is the solemn and imperative duty of the Church to help them in their return to Christian order and activities; to encourage and aid such as are, or shall be, desirous of establishing again the institutions of religion; to stimulate to this duty those who may be indifferent; to extend the hand of Christian sympathy and ministries to all of every color and race as opportunity shall offer, or by earnest seeking shall be found. In this work the Permanent Committee of the General Assembly are specially called to engage, by the fact that in the Southern States the genius of Presbyterianism finds a generous welcome. And they are greatly encouraged to undertake it by the recent action in Tennessee, whereby Presbyteries have returned to us and been joyfully received, constituting an entire Synod, through whose agency the Home Mission work may be happily begun and continued in that State.

In the judgment of your Committee, this General Assembly has the opportunity of inaugurating and perpetuating a mission work for our country, far greater than ever before offered itself to any Christian body in the land. The most strenuous and persistent devotion, labor, and self-sacrifice are demanded of our churches for the salvation of society in the South and West — indeed, throughout the land — from the evils into which, as the result of war and the sudden disbanding of armies, it has fallen.

The demoralized condition of the States over which the wave of treason has rolled can be cured only by the presence and power of Christian truth; and the work to be done demands all our resources of intelligence, of benevolence, of wisdom, and of faith. But we may have the great honor of helping to lift our population to the highest moral altitude, of being laborers together with God in the work of national regeneration.

The spiritual wants of this great field are appalling. In Missouri, for example, are regions fifty miles in extent without a house of worship. The population, both white and black, is debased. The children remain untaught, and are growing up in ignorance and sin, as they are also in other States over which the fury of war has raged. The masses of the people need, *at once*, an agency which shall awaken them to the demands of mental and religious culture, and supply them with a power which shall lift them to pure and happy Christian citizenship, and *save them for eternity*.

In view of these facts, your Committee most earnestly reiterate their conviction that upon this General Assembly rests the burden of a tremendous responsibility, which it cannot, without criminality, evade; which it *must* meet. It is for us to understand and *feel* "the logic of events," the purpose of Providence in this great

hour, to adopt measures and utter words which shall awaken the whole Church to the claims of home evangelization, and result, by the blessing of God, in the vastly augmented operations of our Permanent Committee for the renovation of our country.

It is a matter of great perplexity and sorrow, that so few young men are ready to give themselves to the hardships of the home missionary work. We may be allowed to express the hope, that our Presbyteries and churches will make it a chief and constant duty, to induce godly and able young men within their influence to prepare for this sublime and most honorable service, to imitate the fathers in Christian enterprise and self-sacrifice. They are needed at the frontier.

In view of the great destitution of ministers of the Gospel, while fields are opening and "white for the harvest," your Committee would respectfully suggest that *lay-helpers* of proper qualifications be employed in visiting from house to house, explaining the Word of God, exhorting to faith and righteousness, distributing religious literature, and doing the necessary and preliminary work in the organization of churches where the same may be practicable; such helpers to be selected, commissioned, and recommended by Presbyteries to the Permanent Committee for appointment.

The Committee, moreover, recommend that the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions appoint an agent or agents to visit the Southern States for the purpose of organizing churches among *Freedmen*, and, if possible, of finding and employing ministers of their own race to labor among them in word and doctrine, and to do all that the necessities of the case in connection with this great subject demand. And we invite our churches to offer special contributions to the Committee for this branch of their work.

In order that the members of our churches may be better informed with regard to the operations of all our Committees, *especially* that they may be prompted to larger benevolence and nobler effort in behalf of Home Missions, the Committee would express their belief, that there is *indispensable need* of a monthly periodical, which shall contain facts and information fitted to promote intelligent action for this Cause; and we do hereby recommend that this Assembly, in accordance with the action of the last Assembly, direct that such periodical be, as soon as possible, established.

We wish to assure our devoted missionaries, that the Permanent Committee *desire* and *endeavor* to meet their applications for support with all fairness, and to *manifest*, as they certainly feel, a tender sympathy with them in their trials. And we would urge our churches more frequently and fully to express their interest in these brethren, by sending them books and clothing and other gifts, which will greatly relieve their wants and cheer their hearts.

On the memorial from the Presbytery of Cayuga, regarding the condition of feeble churches "in the older settled parts of our

country," your Committee recommend that the Presbyteries unite as many such churches as practicable under the care of one pastor, and that they send missionaries to labor among those which cannot be thus united. This is a matter of serious importance, and ought to receive immediate and earnest attention.

The Committee have carefully considered the subject of missionary labor among *Freedmen*. We hail with joy the fact, that our Permanent Committee have already a flourishing mission for this class of our fellow-men at St. Louis. And we deem it to be the duty of the Committee, to establish like missions among the African race in our land wherever opportunity shall offer, and to institute such Christian relations with *them* as may be formed with the white population in the South, depending on the piety and liberality of our churches for the means of supporting such a work.

In conclusion, we express our solemn conviction, that the most earnest prayers of the whole Church should be offered unto God, for men and means to accomplish the good work of Home Missions already purposed and begun by this General Assembly.

We recommend the election of the following persons as members of the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions for the full term of three years: Rev. George L. Prentiss, D.D., Rev. Thomas S. Hastings, Rev. T. Ralston Smith, and Messrs. J. Milton Smith and George W. Lane.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8 o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

THURSDAY, May 25th, 8 o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The minutes of yesterday's sessions were read and approved.

The consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Education was resumed. The Report was adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Education report, that the Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Education presents encouraging evidence of a steady and vigorous advance in their noble work.

This evidence is found in the enlarged number of students under patronage, and the increased liberality of the churches. There is encouragement, also, and cause for thankfulness in the increased vigor and enlarged facilities of our Theological Seminaries, and other institutions for Christian education. Never has there been a period, when money has been so freely poured out

for these institutions, as during the four years of the dire conflict with rebellion.

But the Committee are deeply impressed with the alarming fact, that the number of candidates for the ministry is so largely disproportionate to the necessities of the churches, and more especially so, when we consider the vast missionary field laid open as one of the results of the civil war now closed.

Of the thirty-five Presbyteries from which young men under the patronage of the Committee have been reported, *twenty-two* have but *one* each, and *eight* but *two each*. There has been an advance in the number of churches contributing to the educational fund; but, if the churches were imbued with the spirit of missions, and fully up to the demands of the age, would they not *all*—instead of one third only—give their aid to this great work?

The work of the Committee is threefold—first, to seek out and bring forward to the ministry the pious young men of our churches; second, to afford pecuniary aid to all who need it; and third, to elevate to a higher tone of piety and consecration all our candidates for the ministry.

But as the source of power, in all these respects, is in the ministry and the churches, the Committee would recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That the Assembly having adopted and tested a plan for increasing the ministry, it devolves upon the Presbyteries and churches to carry it out and render it effective.

Resolved, 2. That, in view of the loud call of Providence at the present time for a great increase in the number of earnest and faithful ministers of the Gospel, pastors and elders be enjoined to make this a subject of earnest presentation to all the churches.

Resolved, 3. That, as no native talent or high mental culture are alone sufficient qualifications for the ministry, most persevering and believing prayer should be offered on behalf of our candidates for the ministry, that the Great Head of the Church would, by the power of the Holy Spirit, call and qualify them to preach the Gospel.

In accordance with suggestions of the Secretary of the Permanent Committee,

Resolved, 4. That as it is embarrassing to the Permanent Committee not to know the amount of funds to be relied upon, it is desirable that the cause of Education should be presented at a favorable time in the earlier part of our ecclesiastical year, and never, if possible, be deferred beyond the Sabbath immediately previous or succeeding the Day of Prayer for Colleges.

Resolved, 5. That the second rule of the Manual be stricken out, and that the third and fourth rules be united in one, so as to read as follows:

"It is recommended that the young men to be aided by the Assembly's Committee be placed, as soon as practicable, under the care of the Presbyteries within the bounds of which they have their church relation, and that they remain under their care

till they receive licensure; and, in case of any necessary change in their Presbyterial relations, it be made with the approval of the Permanent Committee."

Resolved, 6. That the Permanent Committee be authorized to increase the amount of appropriations, not to exceed thirty-three per cent, and that it be left to their discretion to limit the amount to be received from all sources.

The names of the following persons are presented to fill the vacancy occuring by the expiration of the term of office in the class elected in 1862: Rev. George L. Prentiss, D.D., Rev. Theodore L. Cuyler, Walter S. Griffith, Charles A. Davison, and Ezra M. Kingsley.

The Rev. Benjamin J. Relyea, the Delegate of the Association of Connecticut, addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

The following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, Through the wise and timely agency of the Society for the Promotion of *Collegiate and Theological Education* at the West, which had its origin in the darkest portion of our educational history in the new States, so many of our Institutions of Learning have been aided in their infancy, and not a few saved from absolute ruin, or raised from a state of feebleness, or peril, to one of strength and of readiness for efficient action in the new age now opening upon the nation; therefore,

Resolved, That the great services which the Society has thus been enabled, by the Divine blessing, to render to the cause of Christian learning at the West, deserves a grateful recognition by this Assembly.

Adjourned until 3½ o'clock P.M.
Concluded with prayer.

THURSDAY, May 25th, 3½ o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The Standing Committee on Ministerial Relief presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee, to whom was referred the First Annual Report of the Executive Committee of the Ministerial Relief Fund, appointed by the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, respectfully report: That they have heard with deep and painful interest the report of the Executive Committee, and, in view of the pressing necessities of our disabled ministers, and of the widows and orphans of ministers deceased, submit the following resolutions for the adoption of the General Assembly:

Resolved, 1. That the attention of church members be directed to the straitened circumstances of many of our faithful ministers, who, having toiled for many years on small salaries, are now left, in the decline of life, without adequate means for the support of themselves and families.

2. That every Presbytery be directed to appoint a Standing Committee, whose duty it shall be to inquire into the necessities of disabled ministers, and of the widows and orphans of those deceased, with a view of bringing the cases of such to the notice of the Executive Committee of the Relief Fund.

3. That the Presbyteries earnestly request the churches under their care to make annual collections for this fund, and that they encourage, also, bequests and donations toward the formation of a *permanent* fund for this object.

The Judicial Committee reported on an Appeal, by William Fithian, for relief or redress against the action of the Presbytery of Chariton, that, under the circumstances as stated by him, the General Assembly has no jurisdiction in the case; they therefore recommend that the appeal be dismissed. The report was adopted.

The Rev. Milo J. Hickock, D.D., and Mr. T. Charlton Henry, the Delegates of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church that met at Newark in 1864; the Rev. Joachim Elmendorf, the Delegate of the General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America; and the Rev. Theodore Monod, the Delegate of the Union of Evangelical Churches of France, addressed the Assembly, and were severally responded to by the Moderator.

Written communications were received from the Rev. Alfred E. Ives, the Delegate of the General Conference of Maine, and the Rev. Horatio N. Burton, the Delegate of the General Convention of Vermont.

The following minute and resolution were adopted:

The Assembly having listened with great interest to the address of the Rev. Theodore Monod, the Delegate of the Union of Evangelical Churches of France, recognize that body of Christian brethren as one holding with us the independence of Church and State, and essentially the same system of Protestant and Reformed Theology; and especially as having sympathized intelligently and cordially with our native land in its recent trials and struggles; therefore,

Resolved, That this Assembly commend the Rev. Theodore Monod, and the object which he represents, to the confidence and liberality of the churches under its care.

Adjourned until 7½ o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

THURSDAY, May 25th, 7½ o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and united with members of the churches of this city, in the celebration of the Lord's Supper.

After the service, adjourned until to-morrow, at 8½ o'clock A.M.

FRIDAY, May 26th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The minutes of yesterday's sessions were read and approved.

The Committee on the distribution of copies of *Gilfillan on the Sabbath*, reported a satisfactory method of such distribution, and the report was adopted.

The Rev. James P. Kimball, the Delegate of the General Association of Massachusetts, addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

The Rev. William I. Budington, D.D., obtained leave and addressed the Assembly in behalf of the "American Union Commission."

A communication from the Stated Clerk of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church that met at Newark in 1864, was received, and referred to the Committee on Bills and Overtures.

The Standing Committee on Church Erection presented their report. Pending its consideration,

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

FRIDAY, May 26th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Rev. James Harper, D.D., the Delegate appointed by the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church to open a correspondence with this body, addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator. Thereupon it was

Resolved, That a correspondence be instituted with the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church, on the same terms as with other Corresponding Bodies.

The consideration of the Report of the Standing Committee on Church Erection was resumed. The report, with proposed amendments, was referred to a Special Committee, consisting of the Rev. Azariah Eldridge, D.D., Rev. Alfred Eddy, Rev. John M. Bishop, and Messrs. Edward D. Mansfield, Henry W. Williams, Oliver E. Wood, and Samuel J. R. McMillan.

The Standing Committee on Publication presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Publication, to whom were referred the Thirteenth Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Publication, and the Eleventh Annual Report of the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, and so much of the Report of the Standing Committee on Home Missions as relates to the subject of publishing a periodical, together with certain other papers, beg leave to report, that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and find, in examining these documents, among other reasons for congratulation and gratitude, these strikingly prominent; that the publications issued during the past year, as to both number and volume, are considerably more abundant and important than those of any former year; that the funds at the disposal of this department are largely enhanced, the collections and donations having increased in amount, the $50,000 fund been completed, and the most of it paid in, while the sales of our publications have advanced from $22,000, in round numbers, the previous year, and $16,000 the year before, to $36,000 the past year; that $9000 have been applied by the Publication Committee, according to the direction of the last Assembly, toward liquidating the incumbrance of $20,000 upon the Presbyterian House; and that, in accordance with the action of that Assembly, a promising commencement has been made for the relief of disabled ministers and of the families of those deceased in our connection. May this branch of Christian duty be faithfully and vigorously prosecuted, until we cease to be reproached, in this regard, whether by our own consciences or the example of those in other denominations.

Upon the basis of such facts as these, we may turn to the future with new resolution and fresh hope.

Among the points to be emphatically mentioned, in the judgment of your Committee, is first, the great need of Sunday-school books, that shall come to us with the *imprimatur* of our Church. Why should not the Publication House be preparing to issue many such as are of unquestionable character, so as to meet the demands of the time, and keep pace with the developments of the future? Those of the American Sunday-School Union are many of them excellent; those from various other sources are, some of them, very good, and answer their purpose well enough, but those sources are outside, and that purpose we do not always understand; while we have wants which are no less distinctive and important. And should we not have a source of our own to look to, for the best possible material on which to feed and bring up the children and youth in our Sunday-schools? It is time that we were thoroughly equipped, and, at all points, ready for the great and glorious work before us.

As to the periodical, in reference to which a former Assembly took some favoring action, it would appear from statistics that a monthly, such as was contemplated, might prove too expensive at

the present time, while one less frequently issued, for example, on each alternate month, would perhaps accomplish the object in view. The Committee would, therefore, recommend, that the Permanent Committees of the Church consider the subject of publishing some such periodical, which they may unite in supporting, in proportion to the space they require, and the funds at their disposal. But in this connection a word upon pressing the circulation of such religious newspapers as the New-York *Evangelist*, the *American Presbyterian*, and the *Central Christian Herald*. These are our denominational organs. And we should do more than has been done to push them in advance of all others, and even to the exclusion of some which have stolen in where they do not belong. Out-spoken efforts to set ourselves right before the people, and keep the principles that we love fresh in the hearts of those who are with us, but are many of them being insidiously perverted, are absolutely necessary. The importance of this matter at the West as well as the East, wherever religious papers from without are getting into our families, cannot be well overrated, and should be watchfully acted upon.

But the burden of our report concerns the great need of more earnestness still on the part of us all, ministers, elders, and members, in sustaining the Publication Committee, and urging on the Publication Cause. The condition of affairs in the Church, the new fields opening Southward, the peculiar exigencies of the transition period into which we are passing as patriots and Christians, conspire to enhance the importance of this department of the work, and strides of progress should at once be prepared for and attempted. The collections and donations ought to be increased without delay, and every church in the connection, if not every individual, regularly forwarding their contributions. Nor will money alone answer. Unless the publications are circulated, it will be locked up in them, and the wheel stopped at the fountain. There will come stagnation at the Publication House, and the shelves groan under useless burdens, while destitute thousands hunger and thirst for suitable religious reading. The publications must go forth. The circulation must be kept up and immensely extended. As a denomination, we believe in the press. Let us, then, show our faith by our works. We love sound doctrine and sweet Christian narrative becomingly arrayed in print; we feel the necessity now laid upon us of giving our full share of influence to the controlling forces, which form society and shape the future; and let us act up to these sound and wise convictions. The religious literature which we have, and which we can, as a denomination, produce, must be thrown into the work. By individual efforts, by ecclesiastical action, by presbyterial arrangements and agencies, we must take strong hold of the people and the age. Let us not flinch or falter. It is the good work of the Lord. By every proper means our duty is to quicken, deepen, and extend the flow of these wholesome publications to the remotest bounds and all over the field. Let the hearts and hands of the

Publication Committee be relieved and stimulated; the immense power of the Church drawn out, and her infinite resources developed, in response to the importunate cries of the time upon which we have fallen, and in harmony with the wonderful providence of God among us in this land.

In conclusion, the Committee would offer the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That the churches be recommended to increase their contributions to the Publication Cause, with a view to more extended and thorough operations, and with special reference to affording facilities for the gratuitous distribution of tracts and books among the Freedmen.

Resolved, 2. That the Presbyteries be recommended to appoint unemployed ministers within their own bounds to explore the field, and act as colporteurs in circulating the books of the Publication Committee.

Resolved, 3. That the recommendation of the last Assembly, that a monthly periodical be issued by the Publication Committee as a medium of communication between the Church and its Permanent Committees, in the support of which these Committees shall unite in proportion to the space they may require and the funds at their disposal, be renewed.

The Committee recommend, that Rev. William E. Moore, Rev. Henry Darling, D.D., Rev. Ezra E. Adams, D.D., Rev. Thomas J. Shepherd, and Mr. William E. Tenbrook, whose term of office now expires, be reëlected as members of the Permanent Publication Committee for the ensuing three years.

The Committee, appointed by the last Assembly, to report on the relations of the Church to the *Religious Press*, presented a report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Committee, appointed by the last Assembly, to report on the relations of the Family Religious Newspaper to the Church, find that the subject committed to them claims now, for the first time, the attention of the General Assembly. This is not, however, because the Assembly has not appreciated the value and power of the press as an instrument of evangelization; for in 1846 it appointed a Doctrinal Tract Committee, which has grown into a Permanent Committee of Publication, with a capital of $50,000, and a long list of valuable tracts and books.

The Assembly has also from time to time commended the *Presbyterian Quarterly Review* to the confidence and patronage of its churches; and finally, last year at Dayton, authorized the publication of a monthly periodical as the organ of the Permanent Committees. But it is patent to every man, that the Newspaper has a wider and deeper influence upon the members of our congregations than tracts, books, or quarterly reviews. It comes nearer than any of them to the living preacher, in the time and manner of its ministrations. Hence, if the press is to be recog-

nized by the Church as an instrumentality for good, supplied to her by the providence of God, she ought to take a deep interest in the most popular and influential of its issues—the Newspaper; and try to use it so as to promote the good of men and the glory of God. Thus far there can be no difference of opinion. But *how* shall the Church manifest its interest, and try to use the Newspaper? Here there is great diversity of opinion and feeling.

The Methodist Episcopal Church early took the religious Newspaper under its denominational patronage and control, established papers, appointed publishers and editors, and made all its itinerants *ex officio* Newspaper agents. The growth, compactness, and power of that great denomination show the wisdom of this policy. Yet, even in that Church, there have been some who rebelled against this arrangement, as abridging freedom of discussion and the liberties of the people, and independent papers have, from time to time, been springing up.

In our own Church, there has been a great deal of Presbyterial and Synodical action on the subject of Newspapers. Those which have been considered organs of the churches in particular sections have been commended, and our ministers have labored hard, and often gratuitously, to sustain them. One paper has been owned and controlled for more than twelve years by the four Synods of Ohio, Indiana, Cincinnati, and Wabash, associated together for that purpose; and the results of the experiment have been satisfactory. Have all these experiments by other churches, and by our inferior judicatories, developed light enough on the subject, to show us that the Assembly can and should do any thing in the premises?

The facts briefly are: We have three weekly Newspapers that are recognized as representing the denomination. They are located in three of our principal cities; they are all equally loyal to the Church, and not rivals but co-workers in promoting its interests. These papers have all toiled hard, and sacrificed much for the Church; not one of them could be spared; all of them should be liberally supported by our congregations. One or more of them ought to be in every family that attends our Sabbath preaching; they are among the most efficient co-workers that our ministers can have.

Yet, with a membership of about 140,000, representing, at a low estimate, 50,000 families, it is probable that nearly, or quite, 30,000 families connected with our churches take none of the papers that are loyal to us as a denomination. Do they take no religious paper? Probably half of them do not, and read only secular papers; the other half take papers that are not loyal to us, and thus their attachment to the Church is weakened or undermined.

It seems to your Committee, that the General Assembly should not regard such a state of things with indifference, that as a "bond of union, peace, correspondence, and mutual confidence," as organized to promote "charity, truth, and holiness," (Form of

Govt., p. 375,) it should at least send forth to the churches an expression of its views, should encourage those who are laboring to advance its interests, and should strive to save its people from influences that are secularizing or schismatic. We, therefore, propose for the adoption of the Assembly the following resolutions:

1. That the *Evangelist*, *American Presbyterian*, and *Christian Herald*, and other weekly Newspapers which are connected with our Church, be requested, if agreeable to them, from time to time to inform the Assembly of the number of copies taken by *families connected with our denomination*, to the end that the Assembly may take such action, as it shall deem best for its own interest, to extend their circulation.

2. That the Assembly earnestly exhorts the families of its congregations, to subscribe for and read one at least of the papers published for us as a denomination, regarding the influence of such a paper as second only to that of the preached word, in the moral and spiritual culture of the Christian household.

3. That in view of the influence of the periodical press, the vast amount of popular Newspaper reading that is demoralizing, the ministers of churches connected with the Assembly be requested to preach on the subject, particularly impressing upon church members the duty of being loyal to the denomination in this respect, and the duty of parents to provide the right kind of papers for their children to read.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

SATURDAY, May 27th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.
The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.
The minutes of the last session were read and approved.
The Committee on the *State of the Country* reported an extended minute, which, after amendment, was, by rising vote, unanimously adopted, and is as follows:

The Special Committee on the State of the Country would present the following minute for the adoption of the Assembly:

At the commencement of this Rebellion, the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States took its position decidedly and strongly in support of the Government. Regarding the forcible secession of the Southern aristocracy as treason against a most beneficent Government; as treason aggravated by the fact, that not a single right of the South had been invaded; and as treason rendered peculiarly malignant and wicked by the fact, that it was committed with the avowed purpose of sustain-

ing and perpetuating the system of Slavery—a system in direct opposition to the Gospel and the principles of religious liberty;—the Assembly condemned it, in the name of God, and pledged to the Government a hearty support in the effort to crush it. Each succeeding Assembly reiterated this action. Our churches with entire unanimity responded, by word and deed, to these sentiments. Our record as a Church we commit to the calm judgment of posterity, in the full assurance that there is neither a line nor a word the Christian patriotism of the future will desire to erase; not a single sentiment befitting our relation to this great conflict, it will find unexpressed.

And now, at its triumphant conclusion, this Assembly devoutly recognizes the good hand of God, which has sustained us, as a nation, through four years of war unparalleled for its magnitude in all the past, and given us victory in such a manner as to illustrate the power and excellence of our free institutions, when sustained by a virtuous and intelligent people, and the deep malignity of that spirit of absolutism which has sought to overthrow them. We gratefully recognize this Providence, in strengthening the patriotism of the people to vindicate the national unity and freedom, by the sacrifice of treasure so immense, and blood so noble and precious; in giving us for a leader one so wise, unselfish, patriotic, and reliant on His divine power and purpose in His own time to vindicate the right and crush the wrong; in surrounding him with men of an earnest and steady patriotism, wise in counsel, and energetic in action; and in raising up skilful Generals and Admirals to lead our brave troops to victory. We rejoice with exceeding joy in that Divine Sovereignty, which has given to us, in the midst of war, such material prosperity; which has inspired the benevolence, that has poured forth its means, to care for the temporal and spiritual wants of our noble soldiers, to endow our institutions of learning, relieve our churches, to so great an extent, from the incumbrance of debt, and sustain our Christian enterprises for the conversion of men. "Not unto us, O Lord—not unto us, but unto thy name" be the "glory." Nor would we neglect to thank Him, that, in answer to the prayers of Christians throughout the world, He has delivered us from foreign conflicts, that might have imperiled or protracted the successful issue of this war.

We wonder at, and admire especially, the Divine wisdom manifested in educating the nation through the successive stages of defeat and victory, through the unparalleled atrocities perpetrated, and the amazing malignity illustrated, by the leaders of this Rebellion, up to the purpose of utterly rooting out and destroying a condition of society so utterly hostile to the elevation of man and the spirit of the Gospel. While we would humbly confess and forsake the sins which have deserved the Divine chastisement, we thank God, that through suffering he hath taught us to abhor the sin, at the same time that he hath laid, in the hearts of the people, the foundation of a truly national trust in him as our

only sovereign, and hath prepared us to spread, over all the continent, the noblest civilization that the world has ever known.

In the sad event which has clothed the nation in mourning, which has stricken down, in the full maturity of his powers, and the height of his usefulness, one of the noblest of men, to whom it was given of God, to accomplish a work, for this nation and the cause of humanity, unsurpassed in the grandeur of its character and the magnitude of its issues, by that of any of his most illustrious predecessors, we recognize the same wise Providence, which, looking far above our feeble vision, permitted the existence of Slavery and the rise of this Rebellion, and which, in this last act of baffled and defeated despotism, has illustrated its debased and malignant spirit so as to excite the loathing, horror and abhorrence of the world. In his life, he struck the chains from the trembling limbs of millions, vindicated the rights of humanity, and illustrated the glory of a patriotism made strong and pure by devout confidence in God; in his death, he touched the chords of sympathy deep in the heart of universal man, and won over to our holy cause every true lover of his race, every soul in which dwells the hope of freedom.

To his bereaved widow and family, this body would express our sympathy in this great affliction, common to us all, but resting most heavily upon those so nearly allied to him, assuring them of our prayers, that to them may be granted the consolations of the Comforter, and in them these trials may bring forth "the peaceable fruit of righteousness."

In ANDREW JOHNSON, so unexpectedly called to the chair of our martyred Chief, the Assembly recognize a man distinguished for a long course of earnest effort to elevate the masses, and for a steady, consistent patriotism, that neither the power nor the favor of a treasonable oligarchy has been able successfully to assail or seduce. We desire to pledge to him, as our constitutional Chief Magistrate, our confidence and support in his efforts to vindicate the majesty of law; maintain the National Government in its just supremacy; destroy the spirit, and counteract the workings, of the evil system that created this war; inspire a just appreciation of the crime of treason, and a true loyalty to the Government, in the breasts of the masses of the white population of the South; and extend, to the colored citizens of that section, the practical enjoyment of those personal and political rights announced in the Declaration of Independence, but denied to them by a despotic aristocracy. And, while this Assembly deem it not their province to counsel our rulers in respect to political measures, we possess both the right, and regard it as our duty, to state distinctly that, in our opinion, a nation like ours, whose corner-stone is equal rights, cannot permanently prosper, nor be exempt from future convulsions, unless the principles of civil and religious liberty are fairly carried out and fully applied, with only just and healthful limitations, without reference to class or color, to all the people.

For his personal safety, guidance, and support, we invoke the

blessing of God; and we exhort our ministers and churches, since God, by this war, hath taught us the necessity, and impressed upon us more deeply than ever before, the duty of prayer for our rulers, to remember the President and his counselors, in their petitions to the throne of heavenly grace. We exhort them to sustain him in the just exercise of his authority, to judge charitably his measures and acts, and, in the exercise of a magnanimous and Christian patriotism, encourage him in the peculiarly difficult circumstances in which he is called to act in our behalf.

In the state of this nation consequent on this war, this Assembly recognize not only what God has done, but what he has prepared the way for us to do, as a Church of Christ, in elevating the people. The words of the Laureate of England, written years ago, as if in anticipation of our great struggle, are full of significance:

> "Let it go or stay, so I wake to the higher aims
> Of a land that has lost for a little her lust of gold,
> And love of a peace that was full of wrongs and shams,
> Horrible, hateful, monstrous, not to be told;
> And hail once more to the banner of battle unrolled!
> Though many a light shall darken and many shall weep
> For those that are crushed in the clash of joining claims;
> Yet God's just doom shall be wreaked on a giant liar,
> And many a darkness into the light shall leap,
> And shine in the sudden making of splendid names,
> And *noble thought be freer under the sun*,
> And the heart of a people beat with one desire;
> For the long, long canker of peace is over and done."

These burning utterances were prophetic of our condition as a nation. God's just doom has been wreaked on the giant hypocrite, who held in one hand the Declaration of Independence, and in the other the hammer and manacles of the slave auctioneer. And in doing this He has made noble thought freer under the sun. He has opened half a continent to a free gospel and free schools. He has imposed on us the responsibility of giving this free thought to these emancipated millions. As our Church—republican and apostolic in its order and its doctrines—is, in the main, best fitted to create a free, intelligent, stable, Christian manhood, in harmony with our civil institutions, and the progressive spirit of the nation, so it is for us to enter the field God has opened for our labors; to establish churches and schools, and thus assist the civil authority in bringing order out of chaos, while we secure for the people the higher influence that saves the soul. If, with a self-sacrifice and an energy proportioned to our resources, and the vast work prepared for us, we address ourselves at once to its performance, we shall make our Church a light to millions, and be crowned as wise and faithful servants of our Lord. But, if we are neglectful of these great interests, we shall incur the guilt of the unfaithful servant, and God will use other instruments to effect his glorious purposes.

Not only is it true, that this war has prepared the way for us

to effect great things for the South, it has also imposed on us responsibilities for the correction of wrong here at home. The wrong of class legislation in one part of the Union, the bitter fruit of hostility to our Government, and the degradation of vast multitudes it has borne, has shown us that a bad principle, however concealed for a time, will work mischief both to the State and the Church. The heart of the people has thus begun to beat with a desire to remove all such inconsistencies, wrongs, shams, and hypocrisies from our own legislation. If we fight, or ask justice, for the African in the South, we must act justly towards him at the North. Neither the law nor the gospel, when rightly understood, will permit us to exclude, from the rights and privileges of freemen, those who are citizens like ourselves, many of whom have imperiled their lives in this conflict. It is for us, as Christian patriots, to recognize men as men, both in the Church and in the State. And, since, in this high ecclesiastical court, we have given to the nation and the world a signal illustration of the justice that we advocate; since here intelligence and piety are recognized, as the only necessary qualifications in him, who is chosen to represent the ablest ministers and the noblest churches in the land, we can consistently exhort the members of our churches to apply, to the fullest extent of their influence, the same principles in their relations to the State. Let it not be said that, as a Church, we have nothing to do with civil legislation. The day has gone by, when an intelligent Christian will affirm the doctrine, that what is wrong in religion is right in politics. God has taught us, in this war, that the Church must conserve the State, by instructing the people in the great principles of justice, and inspiring them to practise the same. Without the teaching and the inspiration of the Church, the patriotism of this nation would never have nerved itself for the persistent and heroic defence of freedom (and this is but another name for justice) which has crushed the treason that sought to assassinate the State. We wish all men to know that the members of our churches are bound to be Christians, in politics as well as in religion. God hath made us responsible according to our numbers and our intelligence, for the welfare and healthful legislation of the State. To meet this responsibility, our Christian patriots must exert themselves to influence the *primary meetings* for the nomination of fit men; to secure the election of good, pure men to office; and, when nominated themselves, to remember the duty of assisting their country and illustrating both their piety and patriotism by consenting to serve her.

Nor would we fail to express our sympathy for those truly loyal and Christian people at the South, who, at the cost of great personal trial and suffering, have stood firm for the Union; and also the duty of the Church to care for and sympathize with our wounded soldiers, and the widows and orphans whom this war has bereaved.

Let our Church, which has heretofore been honored as a leader

in all good enterprises, now address herself to the good work to which she is called by her Divine Redeemer, both at the South and the North; let her seek to illustrate the Gospel in all her relations to society, as well as preach it to the multitudes that know not God; and His blessing will be upon her; the heart of the people will beat in sympathy with her; the State, purged of its impurities and inconsistencies, will gradually rise to her level; her boundaries shall be enlarged, her churches be multiplied; the nation, grown wise and strong, shall rejoice in her influence, and myriads of souls, converted and educated for heaven under her living ministry, shall form the jeweled crown of her glory, where the ransomed of the Lord shall come to Zion, and Jesus, our King, shall make the kingdoms of this world the kingdom of our God.

The Assembly further directed that authenticated copies of the paper be sent to the President of the United States, to the members of the Cabinet, and to the family of the deceased President; and recommended that our ministers read it from their pulpits for the information of the people.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported Overture No. 17, the following Memorial from 29 ministers and elders:

The undersigned, members of the Presbyterian Church and connected with this General Assembly, would respectfully represent, that, in their judgment, it is of the highest importance to the future religious, social, and political well-being of the people of this land, as it is in accordance with the law of righteousness, as expounded by God during the history of the Great Rebellion, that the Government shall promptly adopt such principles and measures, in the reconstruction of society in the revolted States, as shall distinctly recognize the rights of citizenship as inhering in every man, of whatever class or complexion, who is and has been true to the country and the flag. We, therefore, ask that the General Assembly will adopt such a deliverance, in regard to this great subject, as shall seem demanded by the circumstances of the country at this time.

The Committee also reported a paper in response to the Memorial, which was unanimously adopted, and is as follows:

The memorialists, in the paper placed before the Assembly, ask this body to "adopt such a deliverance in regard to" the subject referred to, "as shall seem demanded by the circumstances of the country at this time." And, as there is no doubt in respect to "the rights of citizenship" as invested in loyal *white* people, the Assembly understands the memorial to have specially in view the case of the *Freedmen*. In their behalf, it asks for an expression of opinion as to *their* "rights of citizenship." The memorialists desire, that the Freedmen, irrespective-

ly of the question of race or color, should be so completely enfranchised, as legally to invest them with all the privileges usually enjoyed by citizens of this country. This the Assembly regards as one of the gravest and most solemn questions of the age.

Such a people, with such a history, surrounded by such a train of providences, so large in number, so intimately connected with the great struggle from which the nation is now emerging, so patient and hopeful during the long night of their bondage, so truly loyal and faithful to the Government in this age of treason, furnishing such an important and eminently needed service to the country in the hour of its peril, many of them personal sharers in the salvation and grace of Christ, and all of them hitherto subject to disadvantages social, civil, and political, directly calculated to depress their humanity, degrade their pursuits, and prevent them from realizing their proper destiny as men, may well claim the attention of this Assembly. As to the duty of making the most strenuous efforts for their education, social elevation, and moral and religious culture,—the duty of giving them the Bible, preaching to them the pure Gospel, and in every possible way aiding them in becoming a blessing to themselves and the country, there can be but one opinion among all right-thinking people. The Assembly is happy to observe an increasing tendency among Christians to consider and perform this duty. God, in his providence, has opened the door; and he now invites his people to enter and reap a most plentiful harvest.

As to the specific question of bestowing upon this people all "the rights of citizenship" in the great work of reconstructing "society in the revolted States," referred to in the memorial, there may be an honest difference of opinion among good and loyal men. The memorialists believe, that the Government should "promptly adopt such principles and measures" in the reörganization of Southern society, as will speedily secure this result. They do not specify what these "measures" should be; but simply ask for the speedy accomplishment of the end. The Assembly, without undertaking to define the ways and means most proper to be adopted for this purpose, heartily concurs with the memorialists in the end sought. The Assembly, moreover, believes that the sooner this end is gained, the better it will be for all classes. That the colored man should, in this country, enjoy the right of suffrage in common with all other men, is but a simple dictate of justice. The Assembly cannot perceive any good reason why he should be deprived of this right on the ground of his color or his race. Why, then, should not the black man "in the revolted States," who is and "has been true to the country and the flag," thousands and tens of thousands of whom have fought for that country and flag, be at once included among the loyal persons, upon whom shall devolve the task of reconstructing Southern society? This the Assembly thinks to be the shortest and safest method of solving the problem, most certain

to gain the result and prevent future evils. So large a population cannot, in the state of freedom, be long kept contented without the enjoyment of common civil and political rights. Possessing these rights, they will be in a position to be their own protectors. The enjoyment thereof will give them respectability, dignify their labor, elevate their desires, quicken their moral consciousness, and waken in their minds those hopes and high aspirations, upon which the proper development of humanity so largely depends. Possession of these rights is the quickest method of preparing them for their proper use. There can be no doubt of their loyalty; they are, and they have been, the friends of the Government; and in this they have shown more wisdom than most of their former masters. If these men are fit for the duties of the camp and the garrison as soldiers, the presumption is, that they are not less competent for the duties of citizenship. To this result, the country must come at last; and, in the judgment of this Assembly, more will be lost than gained by any effort to postpone it. It is better to meet the question at once, and settle it in accordance with the rights of man, the principles of our political system, and the clear indications of Divine Providence. Any proper efforts of those in authority looking towards this result, will receive the warm sympathies of this Assembly; nor can the Assembly doubt that they will be ultimately sustained by the great majority of the American people.

It is not the purpose of the Assembly, in this deliverance, to argue this question at length, but simply to indicate its conviction in respect to the point intended in the memorial, and, if possible, to say a word that may serve to encourage the Government in the discharge of its difficult duties. The prayer of the Assembly is, that the Government may be guided by wisdom and justice, applying these cardinal qualities to all classes and all men; and that all the people, disciplined by Providence, and instructed by the trials of the past, may learn to practise that "righteousness" which "exalteth a nation."

The Assembly further directed that the paper be appended to the Report on the State of the Country, to be sent, and read, with it.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported Overture No. 3, on *Re-Union with the other branch* of the Presbyterian Church. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

The Assembly has given its careful attention to the overtures from the Presbytery of San José, the Presbytery of Bloomington, and the Synod of Iowa. These overtures refer substantially to the same subject: the first, asking the Assembly to "lose no time" in seeking to establish a formal ecclesiastical reünion between the two Branches of the Presbyterian Church, formerly united under one General Assembly; the second, asking the Assembly "to continue the friendly correspondence already estab-

lished, and to take such further steps, as God in his providence may direct, for the ultimate reünion of the two bodies;" the third, proposing that this question be submitted to the Presbyteries for an expression of their wishes, or that the "Assembly take such other action, looking to the immediate consummation of this important event, as in their wisdom shall seem best."

This Assembly is quite aware, that such reünion is earnestly desired and sought, by many Christians and churches, in both Branches. Both now better understand each other; an exceedingly cordial and useful fraternal correspondence already exists between the two Assemblies; and in all this the Assembly recognizes the presence and control of Christian feeling, so eminently becoming those who adopt the same Confession of Faith and the same Form of Government. What may be the duty of future Assemblies touching the subject referred to, it is not the province of this Assembly to decide; yet, as the facts now appear, the Assembly judges it inexpedient, to make any proposition to the other Assembly, contemplating the reünion sought by the memorials. The other Assembly, in its past action, has expressed a similar opinion in answer to similar overtures. Both Assemblies have organized vigorous systems for Home and Foreign Evangelization; and both are prosecuting this work with commendable zeal. Both are spiritually coöperating in that fellowship of faith and service, which recognizes both as being "called in one hope of" their "calling," and as having "one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all." Until Providence shall more fully develop the question, and thus indicate the course to be pursued, this Assembly judges it most expedient for itself to wait on Providence; meanwhile practising, towards the other Branch of the Presbyterian Church, those tender and affectionate courtesies which belong to the Christian brotherhood, and exhorting all the ministers and churches under its care to do the same. In expressing this opinion, the Assembly does not mean to imply any judgment either for or against the reünion proposed, but simply to leave the question open for farther consideration and light.

As to the wisdom of inviting the Presbyteries to express their opinions and wishes on this subject, the Assembly judges it most expedient to leave this point to their own spontaneous action. No action on the part of the Assembly is needed to place this question before the Presbyteries. If to them the proposed reunion seems desirable, they will undoubtedly, in due season, make a full expression to this effect; and then the case will be so far developed, as to relieve a future Assembly, or Assemblies, of all hesitation or uncertainty as to the general voice of the Church.

The same Committee reported on the communication of the Stated Clerk of the General Assembly that met at Newark, N. J. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

This Assembly, having listened with much pleasure to the communication made by the Stated Clerk of the General Assembly that met at Newark, N. J., in 1864, and addressed to the Moderator of the General Assembly that met at Dayton, Ohio, in 1864, and heartily reciprocating the fraternal and Christian sentiments contained in this paper, directs the Stated Clerk to communicate to the Moderator of the General Assembly now holding its sessions at Pittsburgh, Pa., the action of this body on the subject of a reünion of the two Branches of the Presbyterian Church, with the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That this Assembly, while omitting to adopt any specific proposition in respect to a reünion of the two bodies as, perhaps, premature in the present state of the facts, nevertheless expresses its earnest desire, in all possible ways, to cultivate and "strengthen that unity of the Spirit," between the two branches of the Presbyterian Church, "which is so essential to organic unity," cherishing the confident hope that Providence will, at no distant day, indicate what is alike expedient for both, and most conducivé to the glory of their common Head.

Resolved, 2. That the Assembly has listened with great interest and profit to the fraternal salutations and utterances of the brethren beloved, who have addressed this body as Delegates appointed by the Assembly that met at Newark, N. J., in 1864; adding its earnest wish that this correspondence between the two Assemblies may be continued until "a still closer union" shall be formed, if it should be judged "best for the promotion of the glory of God and the spiritual interests of the whole Church."

The same Committee reported on Overture No. 11, concerning *Theatres* and *Card-Playing*. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

In regard to so much of the above Overture, as refers to "*Theatres and Theatre-going*," this Assembly reäffirms the action of the General Assembly of 1818. [See *Minutes*, p. 690, and *New Digest*, pp. 262, 263.] In this action, the Assembly declared the Theatre to be "a school of immorality." This Assembly, seeing no occasion to modify the utterance then given, earnestly exhorts all the members of the Church in their practice to avoid, and by their influence to discountenance, all such "dangerous" amusements, as being inconsistent with the spirit of the Gospel, and detrimental to the best interests of piety in the heart.

In respect to "the custom of fashionable *Card-playing*," referred to by the memorialists, and represented as being "countenanced in many of our Christian households," and also "participated in by members of our churches," this Assembly would affectionately exhort all the members of the Presbyterian Church to practise the most careful watchfulness in avoiding all recreations and amusements, whether in the form specified in the memorial or otherwise, which are calculated to impair spirituality, lessen Christ-

ian influence, or bring discredit upon their profession as members of the Church of Christ.

Adjourned until Monday, May 29th, at 8½ o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 29th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.
The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.
The minutes of the last session were read and approved.
The Committee on Mileage presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Committee on Mileage respectfully report:

That they have received, for the Commissioners' Fund,		$6162 40
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		$6215 65

Which has been disposed of as follows:

Paid Contingent Expenses,.....	$1400 00	
Amount refunded the Presbytery of Dakota,	26 20	
Paid discount on currency,.....	3 30	
Paid Commissioners 61 per cent of expenses,	4786 15	
		$6215 65

The bills of necessary traveling expenses of Commissioners make an aggregate of $7848.15, leaving a deficit of $3062, equal to 39 per cent.

Ten Presbyteries have failed to pay to the Commissioners' Fund, four of which are the extreme Western; and eight Presbyteries have paid from one third to nine tenths of their apportionment. The principal cause of the deficit is the fact that all the railroad companies of any importance have refused to make any concessions from full fare, and thus all the expenses of travel, as well as of printing and publishing, have largely increased, and, having an unusually large number of Commissioners from the distant West, our bills are very heavy.

It is evident that the old rate of assessment is entirely inadequate to meet expenses, while full fare is demanded on the railroads, and the Committee would recommend that the assessment be increased to six cents for each member.

The Rev. Henry A. Nelson, D.D., the Rev. Frederick Starr, Jr., and Messrs. Russell Scarritt, George K. Budd, E. P. Freeman, Morris Collins, W. S. Barker, M.D., Edwin Barnard, and J. H. Parsons were appointed a Committee of Arrangements for the

meeting of the next Assembly, with power to fill vacancies and to add to their number.

The Special Committee on *Manses and Pastoral Libraries* reported, and were continued until the next Assembly.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported Overture No. 18, concerning *the Church of Chattanooga, Tenn.*, and recommended the following minute, which was adopted:

The Assembly having heard the communication of the Rev. Samuel Sawyer, in reference to the Presbyterian church at Chattanooga, hereby appoints the Rev. Samuel Sawyer to convey to Major-General George H. Thomas, or the General who may, at the time, be in command of that department, the request of this body, that the edifice of said church, being repaired, may be put in possession, and under the direction, of the Presbyterian congregation desiring to use it for religious worship.

The same Committee reported on Overture No. 19. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

The Assembly, having received a certified copy of the Minutes of a large Protestant meeting, held at the city of Pittsburgh, Pa., May 23d, 1865, and composed of the members of the General Assembly now in session at Pittsburgh, and of "other friends of Protestant Christianity;" and being informed that the other Assembly will probably appoint a Committee, in accordance with the request of the meeting, hereby appoints a committee to coöperate with other committees similarly appointed, to consider the expediency of forming a National Protestant Union, or Organization of Evangelical Denominations, in this country, and report the result of their joint counsels and labors to the next Assembly; the said Committee to consist of the following persons:

Ministers.—Henry B. Smith, D.D., LL.D., and Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., of the city of New-York; Samuel T. Spear, D.D., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Jonathan F. Stearns, D.D., Newark, N. J.; Ezra E. Adams, D.D., Philadelphia, Pa.; John C. Smith, D.D., Washington, D. C.; Henry Darling, D.D., Albany, N. Y.; Philemon H. Fowler, D.D., Utica, N. Y.; Edwin Hall, D.D., Auburn, N. Y.; Henry Smith, D.D., Buffalo, N. Y.; Herrick Johnson, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Azariah Eldridge, D.D., Detroit, Mich.; D. Howe Allen, D.D., Cincinnati, O.; Robert W. Paterson, D.D., Chicago, Ill.; and Henry A. Nelson, D.D., St. Louis, Mo.

Elders.—Marshall S. Bidwell, LL.D., and John P. Crosby, Esq., New-York City; Hon. Robert Denniston, Washingtonville, N. Y.; Lyndon A. Smith, M.D., Newark, N. J.; Hon. Daniel Haines, North-Hardiston, N. J.; Matthew W. Baldwin and Samuel H. Perkins, Esq., Philadelphia, Pa.; Hon. Henry W. Williams, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Jacob S. Farraud, Detroit, Mich.;

Edward D. Mansfield, LL.D., Morrow, O.; Hon. William H. Brown, Chicago, Ill.; and Hon. Horace Maynard, LL.D., Knoxville, Tenn.

The Standing Committee to nominate *Delegates to Corresponding Bodies* presented their report which was adopted, and is as follows:

1. *The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, that met this year at Pittsburgh, Pa.*—Rev. Henry A. Nelson, D.D., of the Presbytery of St. Louis, and Edward D. Mansfield, LL.D., of the Presbytery of Cincinnati, *Principals;* and Rev. David H. Hamilton, D.D., of the Presbytery of Illinois, and Mr. Isaac Scarritt, of the Presbytery of Alton, *Alternates.*

2. *The General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.*—Rev. Joseph F. Tuttle, D.D., of the Presbytery of Crawfordsville, *Principal;* and Rev. Alfred Eddy, of the Presbytery of Chicago, *Alternate.*

3. *The General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America.*—Rev. Herrick Johnson, of the Presbytery of Pittsburgh, *Principal;* and Rev. Addison Kingsbury, D.D., of the Presbytery of Pataskala, *Alternate.*

4. *The General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America.*—Rev. Theodore L. Cuyler, of the Presbytery of Brooklyn, *Principal;* and Rev. Dwight M. Seward, D.D., of the Presbytery of New-York, Third, *Alternate.*

5. *The General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America.*—Rev. Thomas H. Robinson, of the Presbytery of Harrisburgh, *Principal;* and Rev. John W. Mears, of the Presbytery of Wilmington, *Alternate.*

6. *The General Convention of the Congregational Churches of Maine.*—Rev. Charles S. Robinson, of the Presbytery of Brooklyn, *Principal;* and Rev. James H. Taylor, of the Presbytery of Newark, *Alternate.*

7. *The General Association of New-Hampshire.*—Rev. Ezra E. Adams, D.D., of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Third, *Principal;* and Rev. John Spaulding, of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, *Alternate.*

8. *The General Convention of Vermont.*—Rev. Henry Darling, D.D., of the Presbytery of Albany, *Principal;* and Rev. Lewis Kellogg, of the Presbytery of Troy, *Alternate.*

9. *The General Association of Massachusetts.*—Rev. Daniel March, D.D., of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Third, *Principal;* and Rev. Ezra H. Gillett, D.D., of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, *Alternate.*

10. *The General Association of Connecticut.*—Rev. Howard Crosby, D.D., of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, *Principal;* and Rev. Samuel D. Burchard, D.D., of the Presbytery of New-York, Third, *Alternate.*

11. *The Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin.*—Rev. Baruch B. Beckwith, of the Presbytery of St. Lawrence, *Principal;* and Rev. Samuel Wyckoff, of the Presbytery of Knox, *Alternate.*

The Committee on the Polity of the Church reported Overture No. 15, being the following memorial of the Presbytery of Cincinnati:

Whereas, it is eminently desirable that the evils which have resulted from the division of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, so far as the feeble churches throughout the land are concerned, especially such of them as require missionary aid, should be speedily remedied; therefore,

Resolved, That this Presbytery memorialize the next General Assembly to take such action (the other Assembly concurring) as shall recommend and enjoin,

1st. That all feeble churches in the same village, within convenient access to a strong one of the other Branch, shall seek to become united with such stronger church.

2d. That wherever two churches are organized — one of each Branch of the Church — both of which are feeble, and need aid from abroad in sustaining the stated ministry of the Gospel, they shall unite, irrespective of the question of Presbyteries, and after union, connect themselves with whichever Presbytery the majority may prefer—

Provided, That no other mode of union and of Presbyterial connection, more satisfactory to all concerned, shall suggest itself to the parties.

The report of the Committee, thereupon, was adopted, and is as follows:

The Committee are of the opinion, that the object aimed at by the memorialists is a good one, and the accomplishment of it, on some plan satisfactory to both parties, will greatly promote the peace and prosperity of Christ's kingdom. And, in order that a proper plan may be adopted, it is recommended to the Assembly, to commit the subject to the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions, to consult with the Board of Domestic Missions of the other Branch of the Presbyterian Church, and report the result of their labors to the next General Assembly.

The same Committee reported on Overture No. 14. Their report, after discussion, was, with the Overture, referred to a Special Committee consisting of the Rev. Samuel W. Fisher, D.D., Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D., Rev. Ezra E. Adams, D.D., Hon. William Strong, and Hon. Joseph Allison, to report to the next Assembly.

The Special Committee, to whom was referred the report of the Standing Committee on *Church Erection*, presented a report

which was postponed to take up a substitute; which substitute was adopted, and is as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Trustees of the Church Erection Fund be directed to procure the written opinion of eminent legal counsel, as to the powers of the General Assembly in respect to the Church Erection Fund, especially in reference to the question, whether the Assembly, having received this Fund "as a special trust," and, in 1854, committed the custody thereof to a Board of Trustees, incorporated by a special statute of the State of New-York, has the power so to alter the Church Erection Plan as to make an absolute gift of the increase of the Fund beyond the sum of $100,000, for the purpose named in the first Article of the Plan; and report the same to the next General Assembly, with the addition of any recommendations which they may deem expedient.

The report of the Standing Committee on Church Erection was then, after amendment, adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Church Erection respectfully report:

That they have given as full and thorough an investigation to this whole subject, as their time would permit, and the importance of the subject seemed to demand. In accordance with a provision in Art. IV. of the original plan, they have availed themselves of the kind invitation of the Secretary and Treasurer, Jesse W. Benedict, Esq., to visit his office at 128 Broadway, N. Y., and examine the papers and books of Record, Account, and Correspondence, and every thing pertaining to the custody and care of this Fund; and they would hereby express the renewed satisfaction of the Assembly with the fidelity and wisdom exhibited, in the management of this sacred trust, by those into whose hands it has been committed by the churches. Not only has no portion of the Fund been lost, but it has been increased nearly $24,000. According to the Treasurer's Report, the cash and securities on hand ready for immediate use are $73,637.85; and the amount of loans and donations outstanding and secured by bond and mortgage is $50,209.09. It may seem strange, that so large an amount of this Fund remains unappropriated in the hands of the Trustees, and is not doing the great work which its donors designed it to do. There has been a great falling off in the amount of appropriations within the last few years. This fact is undeniable. During the first year, from 1856 to 1857, the loans and donations amounted to $15,343; the second year, they were $10,625; the third, $12,050; the fourth, $10,550; from which time they have been regularly decreasing, until during the last year they amounted to only $2426. It is natural to inquire into the cause of this — why is it that so little has been appropriated from this large and constantly accumulating Fund? We find, by the report of the Secretary, that every application, during the past year, for a loan has been granted, and for a donation in each case where the regulations of the plan were complied

with. But why have there been so few applications? One reason, and the chief, is doubtless to be found in the distracted state of the country, still engaged in the work, and in the fourth year of a gigantic civil war. This not only greatly taxed the resources of the country, but rendered property of this nature very insecure in many sections; and few consequently were disposed to engage in the enterprise of church building. The same cause has operated to diminish the appropriations made by the Board of Church Extension of the other Branch of the Presbyterian Church. They have decreased from thirty-one thousand dollars, in 1860, to seven thousand in 1863, and nine thousand in 1864; and this too when their plan affords aid, not by loans, but by actual gifts.

That the true design and practical working of our system has been misapprehended, to some extent, by the churches, there can be no doubt; and that this has awakened prejudices against it, is equally certain. The use of the term "*Donation*," where in fact a protracted loan is meant, was unfortunate. It is not really a *donation*, but a *loan* without interest, that may be protracted almost indefinitely, until the annual collections, however small, shall restore the whole amount to the Fund, to be again used for a similar purpose.

It cannot be too often reiterated, that this fund was designed, and has been sacredly devoted by the General Assembly, as a *Permanent Fund*, to be used, together with all additions that may be made to it from whatever source, for one specific object, namely, the aiding of feeble congregations in erecting houses of worship. This fundamental principle of the plan the Assembly has bound itself never to alter; and, on these conditions, and with this stipulation, obtained a charter, under which its Trustees for this Fund are working. If this were kept in mind, it would prevent many applications for aid, and memorials for changes, being sent to the Trustees, or the General Assembly.

It is not now an open question, whether this is the best possible plan that could have been adopted to secure the object. It *is the plan*, and, as to this fundamental principle, cannot be changed. Your Committee, therefore, agree with the Report of the Trustees, that no portion of this Fund can be given away as an absolute gift, whether principal or interest. It is to work on for generations, carrying out the beneficent purpose of its donors. Neither can it be used for any other object. However desirable or important it may be, to erect costly houses of worship in our large and growing cities and centres of influence, this was not the design of this Fund. Nor can it be appropriated to repair houses of worship, unless such repairs may be fairly regarded as a reconstruction. As, under the operation of any general and comprehensive system, however beneficent, specific cases of hardship will occur, so we find them under this; but it is deemed neither wise nor benevolent to change the whole plan to meet these exceptional cases. The complaints against its working are few; but one Presbytery, that of Bloomington, having sent an Overture to the Assembly; and

Memorials from two churches, namely, the churches of Olathe, Kansas, and St. Joseph, Missouri; the former asking to be released from the debt on their house; and the latter for a loan or donation of $10,000, to enable them to build a house in that prosperous city; both of which are clearly beyond the province of the Assembly to grant. The Memorial from the Presbytery of Bloomington asks, 1st, that all interest accrued and unpaid be remitted; 2d, that no part of a loan shall draw interest until due; 3d, that donations, in the present sense of the term, be made to the amount of $500; 4th, that the proceeds of the Fund may be employed in making *real* donations in *special* cases; and, 5th, that the Board of Trustees have discretionary power, with the advice of Presbytery, to *extend* the time of the loan in *special* cases. Some of these changes have been shown to be inadmissible, and the others your Committee deem inexpedient. Most, if not all, of the complaints come from those churches which have failed to meet their engagements; in some instances, from providential causes, and in others, it is to be feared, from culpable neglect.

The Assembly would again urge upon those Synods that are in arrears, during this time of material prosperity, to make strenuous efforts to liquidate their indebtedness. It is a gratifying fact, stated in the Report of the Trustees, that a larger amount of this indebtedness has been paid during the past year than in any previous year, amounting in the aggregate to nearly $10,000.

As the chief cause, that has for four years retarded the appropriation of this noble Fund to its great work, is now happily out of the way; and, as prejudices against the plan are removed by its being better understood, it is earnestly hoped, that greatly increased demands will be made upon it by the churches for whose benefit it was established. New and extended fields are now opening before us in which to plant churches, not only in the great West, but also in the South; and we are called by the providence of God to enter these fields, and take possession of them in the name of the Lord.

Your Committee would recommend that the apportionment of the Fund among the Synods be continued as at present arranged.

Your Committee nominate Rev. Samuel T. Spear, D.D., Rev. Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., and Stephen H. Thayer, Esq., for re-election to the places made vacant by the expiration of their term as Trustees of this Fund. Also Mr. George W. Lane to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. William E. Dodge.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 29th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The following persons were duly elected, by ballot, *Trustees of the Church Erection Fund:* Rev. Samuel T. Spear, D.D., Rev. Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., and Stephen H. Thayer, Esq., to serve for the full term of three years; and Mr. George W. Lane, for two years, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. William E. Dodge.

The following persons were duly elected, by ballot, *Trustees of the Presbyterian House:* Rev. Thomas J. Shepherd, Rev. Daniel March, D.D., Rev. William T. Eva, Mr. John C. Farr, and Charles S. Wurts, M.D.

Messrs. Oliver E. Wood, John P. Crosby, and Edward A. Lambert, were appointed Auditors of the Church Erection Fund.

On the recommendation of the Committee on Bills and Overtures, it was

Resolved, 1. That a paper prepared by the Stated Clerk of the Assembly, exhibiting the Testimony of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, on *The Sin, the Evils, and the Remedy of Intemperance*, be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes of this Assembly.

Resolved, 2. That this Assembly reäffirms the testimony of former Assemblies on this subject, and commends anew to all the ministers and churches under its care the principles and practice so fully embodied in this testimony.

On recommendation of the same Committee, the following paper was adopted:

The Assembly, being informed that the Ashman Institute is making an effort to raise $100,000, for the purpose of enlarging its corps of teachers, and providing suitable accommodations for its students, would commend this Institution to the confidence of philanthropists and Christians; and, also, being informed that it is proposed to solicit funds in Great Britain, Scotland, and Ireland for the full endowment of this College and Theological Seminary, the Assembly cordially commends this object, and respectfully asks the friends of the colored race in other countries, to aid American philanthropists and Christians in this good work.

The Committee on *the Narrative* presented their report, which was adopted, and ordered to be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes of this Assembly.

Resolved, That the Trustees of the Church Erection Fund be directed to issue a circular addressed to all the churches under the care of the General Assembly, inviting them to make contributions, during the present year, to a Supplemental Fund, to be gratuitously appropriated in aiding Church Erection, in accord-

ance with the suggestions of the Trustees in their additions to the Report of the Special Committee made to the last Assembly.

It was *Resolved*, That this General Assembly gratefully recognizes and records the kindly welcome and generous entertainment given by the citizens of Brooklyn to the Commissioners of this Body; that we render special thanks to the beloved Pastor and people of *La Fayette Avenue Church*, for their good service in making arrangements for our sessions, and for their manifold attentions to our comfort; also, to the esteemed Pastor and people of the First Presbyterian Church of this city, for the pleasant excursion which they provided for us on the water; to the members of the Press in Brooklyn and New-York, particularly to the Editor and Reporter of *The Brooklyn Daily Union*, for their faithful reports of our proceedings; to the officers of the Long Island Historical Society, of the Packer Collegiate Institute, of the Five Points House of Industry, and of the American Bible Society, for cordial invitations to visit those Institutions; also, to the Railroad Companies, who have granted the Commissioners a reduction of fare; and to our honored and beloved Moderator, for the prompt, cheerful, impartial, and able manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of the Assembly.

Resolved, That it is inexpedient, during the sessions of this Assembly, to elect Trustees of the General Assembly, and Directors of the Theological Seminaries.

Resolved, That the Minutes of the Assembly, with the usual Appendix, and the Reports of the Treasurers of the Permanent Committees, be printed under the direction of the Stated Clerk.

The Janitor's bill, the bills for stationery and printing, the traveling expenses of the Delegates to Foreign Bodies, and the salaries and traveling expenses of the Stated and Permanent Clerks, were ordered to be paid.

The roll was called, and the following persons were found to be absent without leave: Messrs. Thomas T. Flagler, Edward Wells, and Joseph Francis.

The minutes of this session were read and approved.

The business of the Assembly having been completed, and the vote taken for the dissolution of the Assembly, the Moderator, with prayer, and the apostolic benediction, declared the Assembly dissolved, and required another Assembly, chosen in the same manner, to meet at the FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH of the city of ST. LOUIS, Missouri, on the third Thursday of May, A.D. 1866.

J. GLENTWORTH BUTLER,
Permanent Clerk.

APPENDIX.

I. Annual Narrative

OF THE

STATE OF RELIGION

WITHIN THE BOUNDS OF THE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

IN THE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

MAY, 1865.

In presenting the annual view of the condition of the churches under the care of the Assembly, so far as reports from eighty-three out of the one hundred and eight Presbyteries on our rolls make it practicable, we naturally regard, first, their outward, and secondly, their inward and spiritual, condition.

I. THE OUTWARD STATE OF THE CHURCHES.

Very great, perhaps unexampled, prosperity has characterized the external history of the churches, during the year just closed.

CHURCH EDIFICES.

Seventeen Presbyteries report twenty-eight church edifices in progress, or recently completed. One of these, in Pittsburgh, is expected to cost $145,000. Several of the Western and Missionary Presbyteries report encouraging progress in this department; as Logansport, two; Galena and Belvidere, two; Wabash, three; Fox River, three; and Dacotah and Lexington, each one new building in progress or completed. The inadequacy of church accommodations is, however, severely felt, by some of our frontier Presbyteries. Cedar Valley, with fifteen churches, reports but two buildings, and another, a still smaller proportion. Others report extensive repairs and improvements.

fields, in a cheering degree. In the State of Iowa, the Presbytery of Cedar Valley reports two; Keokuk, two; and Dubuque, one. In Minnesota, the Presbytery of Dakota reports one; and Winona, one, in which the pastor engaged in the apostolic work of open-air preaching. In Wisconsin, the Presbytery of Columbus reports six; and Fox River, two. In Illinois, the Presbytery of Schuyler reports one, in which more than a hundred souls have been hopefully converted; and Galena and Belvidere, three, one of which was unprecedented in the history of the church, resulting in sixty-seven additions. The Presbytery of Knox reports two. In Indiana, the Presbytery of Greencastle reports five; St. Joseph, five; Salem, four; Indianapolis, three; Madison, three; and Logansport, one;—twenty-one, in the two Synods of Indiana. In Michigan, the Presbytery of Coldwater reports three; Washtenaw, three; Detroit, several of great power and duration; Marshall, one; Saginaw, two; and Monroe, two. In Ohio, the Presbytery of Dayton reports two; Huron, two; Hamilton, five; Elyria, one; Franklin, one; and Cincinnati, four.

And, as if to add a crowning feature to the elements of interest presented by the redeemed fields of East-Tennessee, God has owned the labors of our true brethren there, by a powerful revival in the church of Washington, in the Presbytery of Union, more than forty persons being hopefully converted, including many suffering refugees, and some interesting cases from rebellion at once against God and against the country.

In Detroit, the revival has reached the churches generally of different denominations and has been a movement of extraordinary power and fruitfulness. Says the Narrative: "The work has manifestly been of God; it has been precious and glorious, and is still in progress. Hundreds have been brought to the Saviour. Our members have gone heartily into the work. Sabbath-school children have come by scores to the cross." Four churches in Cincinnati, including the First German, have enjoyed great refreshings, resulting in the addition of one hundred and thirty-six members on profession. In one church, nearly the entire Sunday-school has requested prayer, and as many as one hundred scholars have remained for conversation.

All the churches of the city of Newark, and four others of the Presbytery, as many as twelve in all, report the enjoyment of special spiritual influences, and the addition of six hundred and twenty-four souls to the churches on profession.

Other Presbyteries reporting revivals are, Rochester, "several;" Tioga, three; Genesee Valley, one, "more thorough and general than ever before in the history of the church;" Brooklyn, two; Ontario, two; Genesee, "several;" St. Lawrence, one; Watertown, two; Oswego, one; Otsego, four; Montrose, one, of great power; Wilmington, one; Champlain, one; New-York, Third, two. The Presbytery of Troy reports two, one in Middle Granville, in the neighborhood alluded to some thirty years ago in the Tract entitled "The Forty Years' Prayer-Meeting." That same prayer-meeting has been sustained with little intermission, and might now be designated the "*Seventy* Years' Prayer-Meeting." In the other case, the resident membership was exactly doubled, and the number of praying men quadrupled.

SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

In a very large number of these reports, the children of the church and of the Sunday-schools appear as prominent and frequently leading subjects of the work. Besides cases already referred to, sixty-seven of the Sunday-school in Ann Arbor arose to profess their hope. Another Presbytery says, three fourths of the cases of conversion came from the Sunday-school. The Presbytery of Galena and Belvidere says, the largest part of

those brought in were the children of believing parents, having been baptized in infancy and been blessed with Christian nurture. The Presbytery of Montrose speaks of instances, in which the children are maintaining meetings for prayer, where their tenderness, judiciousness, and earnestness appear far above their years. The Presbytery of Onondaga says: "A very large proportion of those converted and connected with the church have been gathered from the Sunday-school." The Sunday-school interest has been most assiduously cultivated by our churches during the year, and the influence of this department of labor upon the prosperity, spirituality, and growth of the church, has been remarkably propitious. The very decided action of the last Assembly on this subject has not been without its fruits.

HOPEFUL ASPECTS.

Very few of the reports are characteristically despondent. Several from the eastern as well as the western bodies deplore the scarcity of laborers, and a number complain of the want of settled pastors. Some suggest an itinerancy. Others speak warmly of the services of the Presbyterial and Synodical agents. One Presbytery mentions three formerly Congregational churches, which now, by their unanimous action, are fully Presbyterian in government and connection.

In fully appreciating the character of the period under review, we must remember that it covers the fourth and final year of our dreadful civil war, the most sanguinary and exhaustive of them all. The most trying year, in many respects, through which the Church and the country have ever passed, has proved, by the abundant grace of God, one of the most widely prosperous ever enjoyed. May not this fact be humbly accepted as testimony, granted by Providence, to the general faithfulness of the churches to the high principles involved and jeopardized, rescued and exalted, through our struggle?

Yet we may not hide from ourselves the fact, that evil is yet dominant in the hearts of men; that intemperance, profanity, Sabbath-breaking, and licentiousness, are fearfully prevalent; that the main work of the Church is yet to be done—even in Christian countries; that sinners are going by thousands, in their impenitency, to the bar of God; that the religious movement of the year in our Church has been little more than a ripple in the life of the community; that not more than one in twelve of our churches has been extensively revived. The grand lesson of the year is, not one of contented joyfulness, but rather of aroused and hopeful expectancy. Says the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Third: "There is a growing expectation that the spirit of grace and supplication will be poured upon us in copious showers at no distant day." The Presbytery of Dayton says: "We shall be greatly disappointed if, in our report of next year, we cannot say: 'The Lord hath done great things for us, whereof we are glad.'" "Our churches," says the Presbytery of Oswego, "are walking in Christian harmony and love, anxiously looking for those pentecostal seasons which shall result in the conversion of the world to Christ." "Some of God's people," says the Presbytery of Troy, "are expecting, when the affairs of the nation are settled, a more copious outpouring of the Spirit than has been enjoyed for the last thirty years. Those who have faith look at the mercy-drops now falling as the prelude to an abundant spiritual rain."

Twenty-nine Presbyteries report two thousand and five hundred additions by profession.

DELINQUENT PRESBYTERIES.

The following Presbyteries have failed to send their Narratives to the Assembly: Utica, Ithaca, Delaware, Pittsburgh, (reported in part,) Grand

River Valley, Lake Superior, Grand River, Maumee, Athens, Ripley, Fort Wayne, Alton, Chicago, Bloomington, Iowa City, Chariton, Minnesota, San Francisco, Sierra Nevada, San José, and Washoe.

MORTALITY.

The following ministers have died within the year:

John B. Shaw,	of the Presbytery of	Albany.
Levi Parsons,	"	Cayuga.
Azariah G. Orton, D.D.,	"	Cortland.
Samuel White,	"	Steuben.
Calvin McKinney,	"	Ithaca.
Daniel Van Valkenburgh,	"	Otsego.
Nathan Allen,	"	Buffalo.
Isaac Chichester,	"	Genesee.
John Dodd,	"	"
Nathaniel Hammond,	"	Genesee Valley.
Austin H. Wright, M.D.,	"	North River.
Frederick W. Graves,	"	New York, Third.
Peter Kanouse,	"	Rockaway.
Edwin E. Merriam,	"	Montrose.
Nicholas Patterson,	"	Wilmington.
Ambrose Eggleston,	"	Coldwater.
Veron D. Taylor,	"	Cleveland and Portage.
Evan Evans,	"	Franklin.
Samuel W. Bonney,	"	Cincinnati.
Edward McMillan,	"	Illinois.
Comfort I. Slack,	"	Des Moines.
William W. Woods,	"	Dubuque.
James B. Townsend,	"	St. Louis.
Abram Blakely,	"	Kansas.

By order of the General Assembly,

JAMES B. SHAW, *Moderator.*

EDWIN F. HATFIELD, *Stated Clerk.*

II. Testimony

OF THE

Presbyterian Church in the United States of America,

ON

THE SIN, THE EVILS, AND THE REMEDY

OF

INTEMPERANCE.

The Assembly of 1812 urged upon "all the ministers of the Presbyterian Church in the United States to deliver public discourses," "on the sin and mischiefs of intemperate drinking;" "pointedly and solemnly to warn their hearers, and especially members of the church, not only against actual intemperance, but against all those habits and indulgences which may have a tendency to produce it;" at the same time enjoining on church sessions to purge the church of a sin so enormous in its mischiefs, and so disgraceful to the Christian name.

The Assembly of 1818 took the position, that "the crime of drunkenness" "may be opposed more successfully by prevention than in any other way." They enjoined, therefore, "the officers and members of our Church to abstain even from the common use of ardent spirits."

The Assembly of 1827 pledged "the Presbyterian Church in the United States" to the work of coöperating "with their Christian brethren of every denomination, together with every other friend of our country and of humanity, in one great national effort to accomplish a universal change in the habits and customs of our country, relative to the intemperate use of intoxicating liquors;" and they "recommended the presbyteries and congregations under" their "care to coöperate with the friends of the American Society for the Promotion of Temperance," then recently formed, "in extending its principles throughout our country."

The Assembly of 1828 were so deeply impressed with a sense "of the exceedingly heinous nature of the sin of intemperance in the use of ardent spirits, as in direct opposition to the authority and moral government of God;" and "of the great guilt that rests on the Church in this matter, not merely from so many of her members participating in it, while others, with thoughtless insensibility, minister the means of its indulgence to its deluded victims; but especially in having greatly failed, as the light of the world and the salt of the earth, by her instructions, her example, her

prayers, and her vigorous efforts every way to stay the plague;" that they appointed "a day of fasting, humiliation, and prayer, with special reference to this sin." They commended the Presbyteries for "resolving," most of them, "not only to discontinue and discountenance the use of all kinds of spirituous liquors, but to form associations" for the purpose; and they did "earnestly entreat all the members of our Church, by every humane, patriotic, and Christian feeling, to unite in these or similar measures."

The Assembly of 1829 unanimously resolved, "that they cordially approve and rejoice in the formation of temperance societies on the principle of entire abstinence from the use of ardent spirits." That "especially do they grieve and wonder that members of our churches, in view of an evil so desolating, and so awful in its prospective bearings on all the interests of our country, should not only take no part in the exertions of their brethren and fellow-citizens against Intemperance, but, by using and trafficking in ardent spirits, be actively engaged in promoting it." And "that they earnestly recommend" "that all members of the churches adopt the principle of entire abstinence from the use of ardent spirits."

The Assembly of 1830, having repeated this recommendation in still more emphatic terms, took occasion also to express their "very deep regret that any members of the Church of Christ should, at the present day, and under existing circumstances, feel themselves at liberty to manufacture, vend, or use ardent spirits, and thus, as far as their influence extends, counteract the efforts now making for the promotion of temperance." "So many appalling facts," they say, "have been presented, so powerful an impression has been made upon the public mind, that no member of the Church can use or vend spirituous liquors without prejudice to the Cause."

The Assembly of 1832 declare, that "it is now a well-established fact that the common use of strong drink, however moderate, has been a fatal, soul-destroying barrier against the influence of the Gospel. Consequently, wherever total abstinence is practised, a powerful instrument of resisting the Holy Spirit is removed."

The Assembly of 1833 speak of it as "cause for the bitterest lamentation," "that some of the members of our churches, instead of aiding those who have bound themselves by a solemn pledge to abstain for ever from this poison of body and soul, continue its use, its sale, and its manufacture."

The Assembly of 1834 "resolved that the traffic in ardent spirits, to be used as a drink by any people, is, in our judgment, morally wrong, and ought to be viewed as such by the churches of Jesus Christ universally." "It is earnestly hoped," they say, "that the time is not far distant when the light shall shine with such distinctness on this subject, that no Christian will be able, in good conscience, to make, vend, or use ardent spirits as a drink, and when no person will apply for admission to the communion of the Church who has not himself become an example of the total abstinence which we urge and commend."

The Assembly of 1835 affirm, that "public sentiment seems to be settling down into one almost unanimous position, namely, that the use of ardent spirits as a common drink, and the traffic in it, are immoralities not to be countenanced by the Church of Christ. Here," they add, "let us take our stand, and, by divine assistance, endeavor, as speedily as possible, to purge the Church from this deadly infection. Let the broad banner of Total Abstinence from inebriating drinks be one, under which the followers of Jesus shall, by their own personal examples at least, be found to rally."

The Assembly of 1837 say, "it is with the utmost surprise and pain that we learn, from the reports of two or three Presbyteries, that some of their members, and even ruling elders, still manufacture and sell ardent spirits." "No church can shine as a light in the world while she openly sanctions and sustains any practices, which are so evidently destructive of the best interests of society."

The Assembly of 1840 "recommend to all the members of the churches under" their "care, to be found the fast, unflinching, and active friends of temperance; abstaining from all forms and fashions which would countenance, to any extent, the sin of Intemperance; avoiding even the appearance of evil; disentangling themselves from all implication with the traffic and manufacture; and especially presenting in their whole lives a standing and unvarying exemplification of the only true principle of temperance—total abstinence from every thing that will intoxicate."

The Assembly of 1846 "earnestly recommend to the ministers, elders, and communicants within their bounds, to unite with all benevolent Christian associations and individuals, in all reasonable efforts to promote total abstinence from all intoxicating beverages."

Passing over the testimonies of the Assemblies of 1853 and 1854, on the iniquity of the traffic in intoxicating liquors, as less explicit, we come to the action of the Assembly of 1855. They declare it to be their opinion, that "laws prohibiting the sale of intoxicating drinks can interfere with the rights of no man; because no man has a right, of any name or nature, inconsistent with the public good, or at war with the welfare of the community; it being a well-known and universally acknowledged maxim of law, that 'no man has a right to use his own to the injury of his neighbor.'" In accordance with this opinion, they "earnestly recommend to the ministers and congregations in our connection, and to all others, to persevere in vigorous efforts until laws shall be enacted in every State and Territory of our beloved country, prohibiting entirely a traffic which is the principal cause of the drunkenness, and its consequent pauperism, crime, taxation, lamentation, war, and ruin to the bodies and souls of men, with which the country has so long been afflicted."

Omitting the testimonies of the Assemblies of 1860 and 1861, as too general for special remark, we close this long array with the action of the Assembly of 1864: "Resolved, That this Assembly, looking with interest and concern upon the condition of the Temperance Cause throughout our land, reiterates the sentiments and recommendations of former Assemblies, and calls upon its ministers and the members of its churches to renew their efforts in this direction, and especially to refrain from the use of cider, beer, and ale as a beverage, and also from the manufacture and similar use of domestic wines."

Thus uniformly, for a long series of years, with growing and deepening conviction of the truth of the great principles on which the Temperance Reformation is based, the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, represented in General Assembly, has borne the most decided testimony in behalf of these principles. With one mind and one heart, they affirm the immorality of a traffic which fills the land with wretchedness, and that, more than war, or famine, or pestilence, fills the grave prematurely with its miserable victims. With one mind and one heart, they testify against those social customs which tend almost invariably to the formation of intemperate habits—against the use, however moderate, of all intoxicating drinks. With one mind and one heart, they affirm that the only safeguard, for the individual and the community, against the prevalence of these terrible evils, is found in an inflexible adherence to the principle of Total Abstinence from all that can intoxicate; and this

principle they enjoin, by the most solemn and awful considerations, on all their ministers and people.

This Testimony, as herein recited, was reäffirmed by the General Assembly of 1865, and ordered to be published in the Appendix to the Minutes. See p. 53.

III. Correspondence.

THE REPORTS OF DELEGATES.

I. To the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, that met at Newark, N. J., in May, 1864.

Having been appointed, in connection with the Hon. Judge Allison, of Philadelphia, a Delegate from your venerable body to the Assembly that met at Newark, New-Jersey, in 1864, I beg leave to report:

Nothing could exceed the kindness and courtesy with which we were received by our brethren of the other branch of the Presbyterian Church. Every thing that could be done to manifest the best Christian feeling and the most sincere welcome was, at every proper time and on every suitable occasion, evinced. We conveyed to our brethren your Christian salutations, and your desire and prayer, and that of our whole Church, for their increase in numbers and spiritual strength.

We found ourselves amidst a body of men, mostly, in early manhood and in middle life, full of intelligence and zeal and energy, and yet dignified and made venerable by the presence of others, whose names are known in the churches, and whose whitened locks betokened long service and mature experience and wisdom.

We were not authorized to speak for you, definitely, on the interesting subject of a reünion of the two branches of our Presbyterian family. What we respectively said, was simply an expression of our own individual opinions. While, therefore, advocating the kindest Christian feeling between the two bodies, and the broadest coöperative activity that real *spiritual unity* can prescribe, I yet felt constrained to utter my convictions, that the time for a closer organic union has not yet come. The grounds of this view could not, of course, be fully given, but must be obvious to every thoughtful mind. There was a manifest desire in the great majority of the Assembly, especially with all the younger members, that the two bodies should be one, and a noble paper, honorable to the piety of its framers, was drawn up and numerously signed, and the following resolutions, reported by a committee, were adopted by the Assembly:

"*Resolved*, 1. That this Assembly have witnessed, with unalloyed satisfaction, the happy influence of the correspondence, initiated by a former Assembly, between the two bodies in promoting fraternal and Christian affection, and thus preparing the way for a still closer union at some future day, (if such should be judged best for the promotion of the glory of God, and of the spiritual interests of the whole Church.)

"*Resolved*, 2. That, in view of the pleasing results, which have already been developed from the plan of correspondence now in successful opera-

tion, the Assembly do not deem it expedient, at present, to propose any additional measure toward the consummation of the object contemplated by the Presbyteries, whose action has been submitted to their consideration.

"*Resolved*, 3. That with a view still further to attain and strengthen that 'unity of the spirit,' which is so essential to organic unity, the Assembly express their concurrence with the suggestions and counsels of the Assembly of 1863, as contained in the third Resolution adopted by that body, (page 39 of their Minutes,) and recommend them to the prayerful consideration of the parties concerned."

The loyalty and devoted patriotism of the Assembly were decided and conspicuous, and their present views on the subject of slavery will appear from a solemn declaration on page 298 of their Minutes, in which the following words occur: "The time has at length come, in the Providence of God, when it is His will that every vestige of human slavery among us should be effaced, and that every Christian should address himself, with industry and earnestness, to his appropriate part in the performance of this great duty."

There can be little doubt, that the correspondence, so happily commenced between the two bodies will gradually remove prejudice, and strengthen fraternal bonds, and may ultimately lead to a closer union.

It only remains to add that the Rev. Milo J. Hickok, D.D., and the Hon. Martin Ryerson, were appointed Delegates to the Assembly to be held at Brooklyn, in May, 1865.

All which is respectfully submitted, JAMES P. WILSON.

Newark, N. J., May 17th, 1865.

II. To the General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America.

The undersigned reports that, as Alternate Delegate, he attended the meeting of the Synod at Schenectady, New-York, in June, 1864, and discharged the service appointed by the General Assembly.

Your Commissioner received a cordial welcome, and experienced the highest satisfaction in his interviews with the General Synod. He found a large, able and dignified body of ministers and laymen assembled, and earnestly engaged in promoting the interests of their own branch of the Church, while they also gave evidence that they were in cordial sympathy with the welfare and progress of the Church as a whole.

Whatever obstacles may have previously existed to impede an honorable correspondence between them and the General Assembly, seem now to be entirely removed; and the fraternal relations, thus happily established, may confidently be expected to be the means of greatly advancing the spiritual interests of both these branches of the one living vine.

Your Commissioner endeavored to present to the General Synod a correct view of the present position, spirit, and aims of the Assembly, and he was greatly encouraged by the confidence and affection with which, evidently, it was regarded.

A Delegate was appointed to attend the meeting of the next Assembly, at Brooklyn, and it is to be hoped that by the progress of this correspondence, these sister churches may be brought nearer to that sacred unity,

which the Saviour desired for all who love His name and cause with sincerity.

Respectfully submitted, ROBT. RUSSELL BOOTH.

New-York, May 10th, 1865.

III. To the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America.

The undersigned, Delegate of the last Assembly to the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America, conformably to the requisitions of his commission, presents the following report:

Your Delegate met the brethren of this Synod at New-Castle, Lawrence County, Pa., on the 19th inst., the third day of their meeting, and continued with them three days. He was very cordially received, and was treated with such consideration as clearly indicated a deep interest in the prosperity of our Church.

The members of this Synod are not numerous, neither do they represent a large constituency; indeed, their communion is now probably one of the smallest in the Presbyterian family; but they are men of devout Christian principle, fixed integrity, earnest and persevering in their Master's work.

In arriving, therefore, at the real value of this Synod, we may fitly employ the method of Cicero in regard to his arguments when he said, that he "would have them weighed, not numbered."

Viewed in this light, our dear brethren of the Reformed Presbyterian Church occupy a most important position, and richly deserve the continued affection and regard of other branches of the Presbyterian family.

Their acts and testimonies on the subjects of Liberty, Christian Government, and unflinching Loyalty, are well known. They are right upon the record, and now with others, kindred in sympathy and effort, have the blessed satisfaction, in the good providence of God, of witnessing results so long and earnestly desired. Praised be God for his marvelous kindness toward us as a people.

A Delegate was appointed early in the sessions of the Synod to represent that body on the floor of your Assembly, and perhaps will have borne to you the fraternal and Christian salutations of his brethren, in advance of this report.

Respectfully submitted, GEORGE W. WARNER.

New-Castle, Pa., May 21st, 1865.

IV. To the General Convention of Vermont.

According to the appointment of the last General Assembly, the undersigned attended the meeting of the General Convention of Vermont, at Woodstock, June 21st, 1864. It was to your Delegate an occasion of intense gratification, to visit once more the State in which many of his youthful years were spent, and to be the bearer of your cordial salutations to the General Convention of Vermont. The whole tone and character of the meeting were such, as to give to a stranger a strong impression of the excellent and venerable character of the ministry, and the churches of which these were the representatives. The order and courtesy of their proceed-

ings were admirable. It was very apparent that the pure evangelical doctrine, which characterized the churches of Vermont half a century ago, is maintained with equal zeal and steadfastness at the present day; and that their congregational love of liberty is tempered with an equal regard for order and law. The beautiful village of Woodstock, with its beautiful surroundings, its tasteful and commodious dwellings, its house of worship—at once so venerable and so elegant, and every way so finished and complete — the solemnity of the worship, the bearing of the worshipers so evincive of manly character, and of sincere and intelligent devotion—all combined to illustrate the peculiar charm and glory of a New-England village, and to give the highest impression of the homes and people of Vermont.

The Delegate of the Convention to our last General Assembly gave as favorable and friendly a report as we could desire. In giving your salutations to the Convention, your Delegate could not but allude to the fact, that while we have different forms of ecclesiastical polity, there is a higher respect in which we are one. Not only do our respective Delegates, from one body to the other, find themselves among brethren and at home, but our ministers and church members, naturally and without questioning, interchange from one denomination to the other, as Divine Providence calls upon them to change their residence or their fields of labor. In illustration of this, your Delegate could not but refer to the significant fact, that the Moderator of the Convention, who was also President of Middlebury College, and also the President of Dartmouth College, who the evening before had occupied the pulpit with the Moderator, were both given to their respective colleges by our Presbyterian Church, having both been previously given to us by New-England,—while we still willingly regarded them as among our representative men. Nor could your Delegate forbear to allude to his own experience, first as a member of a Presbyterian Church, and introduced into the ministry by a Presbytery;—then, for nearly a quarter of a century, pastor of an ancient New-England church; and now, on his return to Presbyterianism, finding himself a stated worshiper with a church whose former pastor, the late Rev. Josiah Hopkins, D.D., your Delegate had previously known as for a score of years one of the most honored pastors of Vermont; while nearly all the Elders of the Church, as well as a large portion of its members, were originally New-England Congregationalists, or of New-England descent; and in Presbytery and in Synod he was constantly meeting some of our most honored and useful ministers, who now are model Presbyterians, though recently well esteemed as Congregational ministers of Congregational churches in their native State of Vermont,—in both positions equally honored, and in both finding themselves equally at home. Your Delegate could not but urge, that this mutual interchange of ministers and church members indicates a substantial unity in One Spiritual Body, notwithstanding all differences of organization and forms; nor could he forbear to express the hope, that this mutual interchange of ministers and church members may be perpetual.

To these sentiments the Moderator of the Convention responded in the most cordial terms, and with strong expressions of confidence and esteem; and your Delegate left, with a happy impression of the faith and order, the Christian spirit, and the enlarged intelligence and charity of the churches of Vermont.

All of which is respectfully submitted, EDWIN HALL.

Auburn, N. Y., July 8th, 1864.

V. To the General Association of Massachusetts.

The undersigned, appointed by the last General Assembly a Delegate to the General Association of Massachusetts, which met at Springfield, the 28th of June last, performed, with great pleasure to himself, the duty assigned him. Having been a pastor in that State for twelve years, he found himself among old acquaintances and warm friends.

Your Delegate was cordially welcomed, and will long remember the Christian courtesies he received. He was highly gratified with the respect and good feeling evinced for the Assembly. He was happy to present your Christian salutations, and give some account of our labors and prospects, stating that it was the desire of our branch of the Church of Christ to cherish toward their body the most cordial fraternal relations, being one in faith, and that our different usages should afford no ground for strife.

The ministry of this honored State are devoted, faithful men. The greatest harmony prevailed in all the deliberations of the Association. The reports of the District Associations were encouraging. The high-toned loyalty that developed itself was cheering. There was no action of the Association that requires special notice by me.

A Delegate was appointed to attend the meeting of the next General Assembly.

Respectfully submitted, CHESTER FITCH.

New-York Mills, April 4th, 1865.

VI. To the Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin.

The undersigned would respectfully report that, according to the appointment of the General Assembly of 1864, he attended the meeting of the Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin, at the city of Watertown, in October last.

The Convention was full, and an earnest zeal and devotion to the interests of the cause of Christ seemed to pervade the body. There was manifest an earnest missionary interest in the supply of the destitutions, as well as the established churches, in all parts of the State; and your Delegate was deeply impressed with the magnitude of the work which they seemed to be effecting.

The Convention is manifestly working in the interests of Congregationalism rather than Presbyterianism, although "Presbyterian" has the precedence in their denominational title. Nearly or quite all the churches which are, *con amore*, Presbyterian, are now in connection either with our Synod of Wisconsin, or with the other Synod of the same name. Indeed, only about one sixth of the churches of the Convention are Presbyterian in name even; and were these churches called to elect between pure Presbyterianism and Congregationalism, there is little doubt what the choice of most of them would be. The two Synods, however, have probably about two thirds as much strength in the State as the Convention.

In accordance with the resolution of the last General Assembly, "recommending that, after the present year, our correspondence be closed with ecclesiastical bodies that are in correspondence with Synods in our connection, covering the same ground with them, and that such bodies be duly informed by our Delegates of this change, and the reasons for it;" your Delegate endeavored cautiously to discharge this duty, and, in the name of the Assembly, bade the Convention an affectionate farewell, expressing the

hope that the correspondence between their body and the Synod of Wisconsin might in future become increasingly interesting and profitable, as it would be likely to be more familiar and intimate.

The Convention, by a very easy process, transformed itself into a Congregational body, as to nearly all its members, and appointed Delegates to the General Congregational Convention about to assemble at Boston.

Your Delegate was very kindly received, and attended the Convention through nearly its entire sessions, and was greatly edified by the Christian zeal and patriotic character of the body.

All which is respectfully submitted, E. F. WALDO.

Wayland, Mich., May 1st, 1865.

VII. To the Union of the Evangelical Churches of France.

To Rev. E. F. Hatfield, D.D., S. C. Pres. Gen. Assembly, U. S. A.:

Rev. and Dear Brother: Last year I received, through you, a Commission from the General Assembly of our Church to the churches of the Evangelical Union of France. This body commenced its sessions in the Taitbout Chapel in this city, Thursday, November 24th, 1864, by an opening sermon from Pastor John Bush, and the election of Pastor George Fisch, D.D., as President. By the blessing of God I was able to attend these meetings, and to execute the work assigned me. I had the happiness likewise to be in company with the Rev. Dr. Cleaveland, of New-Haven, Ct., who represented the Congregational churches of America, and whose address to the Synod not only reflected credit on himself and did justice to our country, but was also warmly received and thoroughly approbated by the large concourse of French Christians who heard it. Indeed, after he had finished, little was left for me but to add my testimony to the truth of what he had uttered. We were very cordially received on every side, and there was evidently an absorbing interest in all that concerns the cause of our common Christianity and of free representative government, and the abolition of slavery in the United States of America. And although we met in this body the delegates of the Protestant Evangelical Churches from Belgium and Switzerland, from England and Scotland, none seemed to be more welcome to the homes and hearts of free French Protestants than did the two ministers of Christ from the American churches, and from the presence of a civil war, such as, for magnitude and circumstance, has never been known before in the history of the world. It was a duty most agreeable to present, as we did, the Christian salutations of the powerful bodies of Christians it was our honor to represent in this distant country, and to receive in return, to be transmitted to you, the fraternal sympathy so happily expressed to us by the President of the Synod, the Rev. Dr. Fisch.

Be pleased, then, to communicate, Rev. and dear Brother, to the fathers and brethren in the next Assembly, in whatever way may seem best, that which I here advise you, in so few words, because I do not expect to be present to deliver it in person: "The ministers and churches of the Evangelical Union of France send greeting to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, and with the deepest concern and most ardent prayers watch the struggle in which their country is engaged, looking for the triumph of justice and freedom over injustice and oppression, and expecting the hour when American Christianity, purged wholly from slavery and whatever else may hinder its progress or

mar its beauty, will advance under God in the foremost ranks to the conquest of the earth."

And now, having accomplished the duty assigned me, I might here close the communication, were it not that I have deemed it quite possible that our brethren should have a more than passing interest to know, or, having known, to be reminded of that good work of God which is advancing in France from year to year, and in which, as it seems to me, lies the chief hope, humanly speaking, of the moral and spiritual regeneration of this whole people.

The Established Protestant Church in France, or "The Reformed Presbyterian Church of France"—the title by which it is better known—had for some time been gathering the elements of a contest between what are here called the "liberals" and "conservatives," or what we should call the "orthodox" and "Arians." Frederic Monod was a prominent pastor in this city. He and a few others had for years deplored the growing tendency to a denial of the divinity of Christ, until at last, in 1848, failing in his effort to get an official recognition of this doctrine in the Synod of that year, he boldly took his stand as a freeman in the Lord, renouncing all support from the State, and withdrawing altogether from the Established Church. A few noble spirits joined him in this movement; and, taking the small and scattered independent congregations already existing throughout France for a nucleus, they went resolutely to work to build up what is now known as "the Union of the Evangelical Churches of France." In 1849 the Synod of this Church was organized, and Rev. Frederic Monod was chosen to the office of President, which he held till the time of his death in December, 1863. The Synod meets once in two years, and is constituted much in the same way as are our own higher ecclesiastical courts. It comprises, in its present bounds, some thirty-two churches, sixty places of worship, 2443 communicants, 104 pastors, evangelists, and teachers, besides a number of colporteurs, Bible-readers, and deaconesses; primary schools, twenty-five, with some 1400 children; Sunday-schools, thirty-two, with 1700 children under instruction.

Besides this, it is proper to state, that there are many more pastors and preachers, churches and congregations, scattered through the one hundred departments or provinces of France, that partake of the same general form and spirit with the churches of the Union, but are not yet connected with it. The churches are represented in the Synod (which answers to our General Assembly) by their pastors and delegates, and there is a general similarity throughout their polity to that of our Presbyterian and Congregational churches at home; although it seemed to me that they are still laying the foundations, or rather gathering the materials to build, instead of advancing with the superstructure and coming to the cap-stone. But they are a class of noble, devoted, self-sacrificing men, and God is using them as his instruments to advance His cause in a land, more than seven eighths of whose population are nominal Papists, and where there is nothing free but by government permission. Events appear now more than ever to justify the wisdom of their decision in coming out fifteen years ago from the Established Church, and taking their stand on the plain, pure, simple but broad and immovable foundations of evangelical Christianity. The growing troubles in the Church they have left behind, the rupture which now seems inevitable between the Pope and the imperial authority of France—all these things are tending to open the door in France, and throughout the west of Europe, for the triumph of a pure Gospel and a free Church. These signs of the times are well understood by the Evangelical pastors and Protestants of this country, and they separated, at the close of the late Convention, with an evident increase of intelligent devotedness to the great work which God has appointed them in their native land. We

assured them that they, and all France, would be remembered in the prayers of American Christians. Let me conclude by earnestly requesting that this assurance, made in all soberness and affection, may be fulfilled.

I am, Rev. and dear Brother, yours, in the bonds of Christ,

B. SUNDERLAND.

Paris, February 11th, 1865.

IV. Annual Reports.

I. THE ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH ERECTION FUND.

THE Trustees of the Church Erection Fund held their Annual Meeting in June, 1864, and duly organized, for the ensuing year, by the election of Rev. Samuel T. Spear, D.D., as President; Mr. William A. Booth, as Vice-President; and Jesse W. Benedict, Esq., as Secretary and Treasurer. The Standing Committees were also appointed, and the Board entered upon the eleventh year of their existence.

LOANS AND DONATIONS.

By the Treasurer's Report it will be seen, that during the past year Loans and Donations have been made as follows: Loans, $2550; Donations, $1176.

That payments have been received from Churches on account of their Loans and Donations as follows: On account of Loans, $8033.25; on account of Donations, $1027.50.

That the amount of the Loans and Donations now outstanding and secured by bond and mortgage is as follows: Loans outstanding, $36,480.43; Donations outstanding, $13,728.66: Total, $50,209.09.

That the Cash and Securities on hand ready for immediate use are $73,637.85; making the total amount of the Fund, at this time, $123,846.94.

APPLICATIONS FOR AID.

Nineteen applications for aid, amounting in all to $5026, have been received during the past year. Seven of them were for Loans, amounting to $2550. Twelve were for Donations, amounting to $2476. The applications for Loans were all granted.

From one of these, however, it appeared that after obtaining the Loan and completing their edifice, the congregation would be left in debt to some extent besides to this Fund; on that account, the application was at first refused. Subsequently, four individuals assumed the payment of that debt, and thereupon the Loan was granted.

Six of the applications for Donations were granted, amounting to $1176. One of these at first was refused, as it appeared that the congregation did not own the property in fee simple, there being a reversion to their grantor whenever the property should cease to be used for church purposes. Subsequently the grantor, in order to enable the congregation to obtain aid from this Fund, released the reversion. The application was thereupon

granted. Of the remaining six, two were absolutely refused. The money, in each of these cases, was not required for erecting a house of worship, but for repairing one already built. The Board refused them as not contemplated by the plan.

The other four were refused as premature. It appeared, in every case, that the application was made at an early stage in the enterprise, before much progress had been made in the actual erection of the building; and that, after obtaining the money from this Fund, there would be a deficiency, which the congregation hoped to supply by subsequent subscriptions; in one case, of $725; in another, of from $300 to $600; in another, of $200; in the other, of about $900; but, in each case, they were informed by this Board, that if, towards the completion of their building, they should need aid from this Fund which would enable them to finish their building, and leave them free from all debt excepting to this Fund, such aid would be afforded, and they were encouraged to apply again.

SYNODICAL COMMITTEES.

The plan contemplates that each Synod shall have a Standing Committee on Church Extension; and that this Committee, in the first instance, shall mature the applications, shall carefully investigate each case, and see to it that it conforms to the requirements of the plan, and shall then sign their certificate of approval, and send it, together with a copy of the application, to this Board. But this Board have been obliged to disregard entirely, in very many cases, these certificates of approval, on account of defects apparent on the face of the applications, to open correspondence directly with the church, and to examine and investigate the case, as fully and carefully as if the application had not been passed upon by the Synodical Committee. Attention was called to this matter in the Third Annual Report, and a letter was addressed to each Synodical Committee on that subject, which will be found in that Report. In the Fourth Annual Report, attention was again called to the subject, by printing in the appendix "Suggestions to Synodical Committees." In the Fifth Annual Report, this matter was again noticed, and directions still more minute and particular were printed, and sent to every minister and vacant church in our connection. The "Suggestions to Synodical Committees" have been printed and circulated with every Annual Report from that time to the present; yet, notwithstanding all this, many of the applications received from Synodical Committees, the past year, did not on their face conform to the requirements of the plan, and ought not to have received the indorsement or approval of those Committees, or their recommendation to this Board to grant the aid.

The effect of this has been to place this Board in seeming conflict with those Committees. The congregation, having obtained upon their application the certificate of approval of their own Synodical Committee, with a recommendation from that Committee that this Board make the grant, cannot understand why any further inquiry should be deemed necessary. If the Synodical Committee would carefully investigate the cases in the first instance, and only approve such applications as are in conformity with the plan, much labor would be saved to the Board in granting, and very much labor to the churches in obtaining, aid.

The Board will again append to their Annual Report the "Suggestions to Synodical Committees" on Church Extension, to which their careful attention is requested.

THE WAR—ITS EFFECTS.

The Board have not been disappointed on account of the small number of applications for aid which have been made the past four years, during which the terrible scourge, a gigantic civil war, has afflicted the country. From the nature of the case, the work of church building was at once seriously affected by its influence; the thoughts and energies of the people were turned in other directions, and the postponement of any contemplated work of church erection followed, as a matter of course. While the war has had this effect, it has, at the same time, produced a material prosperity, which has greatly stimulated congregations to efforts to discharge in full their liabilities to this Fund. Thus a larger amount has been received during the past year in payment of loans and donations, than in any previous year. This state of things will doubtless continue until peace is restored. A wide extent of territory remains yet to be occupied, where the Gospel must be planted, and houses of worship erected, and where the whole of this Fund, which the wisdom and piety of the Church have provided, will find ample employment.

THE PLAN.

The Board, after a practical experience with this Fund of eleven years, again record their hearty approval of the principles of the plan upon which it is administered; nothing has occurred to shake in the least their confidence in its wisdom. While the cardinal feature of the plan establishing this Fund as a loaning Fund cannot be changed, the specific amount of Loans and Donations may be changed from time to time, as the commercial and financial exigencies of the country may require. The Board, after carefully considering the matter, are prepared to recommend, for a limited time, a change in the plan in this respect. But in their judgment its main and distinguishing feature as a Loaning Fund cannot be altered.

The Board are not ignorant, that some dissatisfaction has been expressed on account of this controlling feature of the plan; but it will be found, they confidently believe, that such dissatisfaction has largely originated from congregations which have been aided from the Fund, and yet, on the completion of their enterprise, have not possessed their church edifice free from all debt, excepting to this Fund. In almost every case in which this requirement has been complied with, the congregation aided have found no difficulty whatever, after the lapse of three years, in beginning promptly and punctually to repay the loan, with expressions of gratitude to God and this Board for the aid which had thus been afforded.

It will be borne in mind, that the design of the plan is, that the amount advanced from this Fund shall complete, not begin, the erection of a church building, so that, with the aid thus furnished, there shall be a church edifice completed, and the congregation owning it shall be free from all debt excepting to this Fund.

But it has so happened, in some cases in which aid has been afforded from this Fund, that, though the church edifice has been built, the congregation have been left in debt, causing trouble and embarrassment. This has occurred from many causes: from reliance upon subscriptions payable at future times, which have not been collected; from wrong calculations as to the amount requisite to erect the buildings; and sometimes, perhaps, by assumption of indebtedness by individuals, in order to obtain aid from this Fund, still leaving the congregation, however, in honor bound to repay the amount. The effect of all this has been, that the congregation, during the three years that they have had the use of the money of this

Fund without interest, instead of resting from pecuniary labors, and strengthening and consolidating themselves, have been, during all that time, under a pecuniary pressure to pay those outside debts, and consequently have been unable to meet at maturity their obligation to this Fund, resulting, after years of default, in strong appeals to this Board to release the debt absolutely in whole or in part.

The Board consider it to be their imperative duty, with increased vigilance to take care that advances from this Fund shall complete the church edifice, and leave the congregation owning it free from all debt excepting to this Fund.

CHURCHES IN DEFAULT.

By the last Annual Report, it appeared that the instalments past due and unpaid amounted to $22,457.67. The amount now in arrears is $23,243.92. During the past year, the Board have called the attention of the defaulting churches to this matter, and have urged upon them their obligation to repay the loan. By direction of the Finance Committee, letters were addressed, in October last, to each of the Synods of Illinois, Peoria, and Michigan, with a tabular statement, showing the condition of the loans which had been made from this Fund to the churches within their respective bounds; by which it appeared, that, in the Synod of Illinois, the amount of loans which had become due was $5279.50; the amount which had been paid on account was only $366.50; leaving past due and unpaid $4913. That, in the Synod of Peoria, the amount of loans which had become due was $3087.50; the amount which had been paid on account was only $375; leaving past due and unpaid $2712.50. That, in the Synod of Michigan, the amount of loans which had become due was $4066.50; the amount which had been paid on account was only $750; leaving past due and unpaid $3316.50.

The Synod of Michigan considered the matter, and directed the letter and tabular statement to be printed in the Appendix to their Minutes, that they might be brought to the attention of their Churches.

The Synod of Illinois adopted the following report of a committee to whom the matter was referred:

"*Resolved*, 1. That the obligation of such aided churches to pay the debts incurred by them is positive, and cannot be avoided without sin.

"2. That every effort should be made, by our Committee on Correspondence and personal effort, to procure the payment of the interest and principal of said debts as far as practicable.

"3. That where any of said churches are disbanded, or the building destroyed by the providence of God, we request the Committee to use their influence to have the matter settled as favorably as possible."

The Synod of Peoria directed their Stated Clerk to address each of the churches a letter, exhorting them to do justice in the case, and then passed the following resolutions:

"*Resolved*, That the General Assembly be and hereby are requested, to devise and adopt some plan for the assistance of our feeble churches in the erection of houses of worship by donations instead of loans.

"*Resolved*, That, while the Synod regards it as the moral duty of all churches, indebted to the Assembly's Church Erection Fund, to meet that indebtedness fully, and at the earliest practicable moment, it does, at the same time, recommend that they incur no further legal obligation to the said fund by borrowing."

On the 1st of May instant, the condition of the loans to the churches in those Synods was as follows:

Synod of Michigan.

Amount of Loans outstanding,	$4,986 00
Amount past due and unpaid,	$2,761 50

Synod of Illinois.

Amount of Loans outstanding,	$5,937 50
Amount past due and unpaid,	$4,613 00

Synod of Peoria.

Amount of Loan outstanding,	$2,825 00
Amount past due and unpaid,	$2,368 75

MATTERS REFERRED TO THIS BOARD.

The last General Assembly referred the following subjects to this Board:

I. The Report of the Special Committee made to that Assembly, with directions to this Board to publish so much thereof, and with such additions thereto, as this Board might deem useful.

II. To mature, and report to this General Assembly, a plan, whereby adequate assistance may be furnished to churches, who need and should receive aid to a greater amount than $500.

The Board have given attention to these items. The Special Report in full has been published and circulated with some additions thereto, which the Board believe will be useful.

In those additions the suggestion of another plan, designed to give aid to churches in special cases, is also considered. That document is presented to the General Assembly with this Report, to which they are respectfully referred.

ELECTION OF TRUSTEES.

The term of office of Rev. Samuel T. Spear, D.D., Rev. Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., and Stephen H. Thayer, Esq., is soon to expire. It will devolve upon this General Assembly to fill their places; also to elect a Trustee for the unexpired term of two years from June next, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. William E. Dodge.

AMENDMENTS OF THE PLAN.

In conclusion, the Board recommend to the General Assembly, that for the period of three years from the 1st day of June next, Article XIV. of the plan be so altered, as to read, in the second paragraph, instead of "$500," $750; and, instead of "$200," $300. Also in Article XIII., in the twelfth and thirteenth lines, that the words "A copy of," be stricken out, so that the sentence will read, "This certificate, together with the application made to the Committee of the Synod, shall be transmitted to the Board."

This last amendment merely conforms the plan to its practical working. The practice has been to forward the original application to this Board instead of a copy. The Board can see no objection to this, and therefore recommend that the plan be made conformable thereto.

All which is respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL T. SPEAR, *President.*

II. FOURTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COMMITTEE OF HOME MISSIONS.

In making their Fourth Annual Report to the General Assembly, the Home Missionary Committee desire to give hearty thanks to Almighty God for the harmony in counsel and purpose which has characterized the action of the Committee, and all the other blessings which have crowned the labors of the year.

It is also a matter of devout thanksgiving to God, that the rebellion, which broke out just before the organization of the Committee, is now substantially suppressed. The best results to the cause of Home Missions may be expected to follow. For those who have been drawn away from the feeble churches at the West may now return to their homes; and the tide of young men flowing from the East, which had been turned aside to supply the ranks of our armies, can now resume its wonted channels and fill up the churches at the West.

Many of the missionary churches that undoubtedly would have become self-sustaining but for the war, have barely been able to hold their own for four years past. Now we may expect a new impulse to be given them, and success to crown their labors; church edifices in greater numbers will be built, and congregations speedily reach a condition of self-support.

But, while these churches have remained in a state of weakness and dependence, the original frontier has not remained stationary. New centres of trade have been created, new agricultural districts have been opened, and new churches planted that needed aid, though those that had previously required assistance needed it still. The tide of population has been flowing steadily, though not as rapidly as before, into the new States of the West, while some of the older Western States have also been filling up with a population from which new congregations could be organized.

The Committee have not been able to find the requisite number of well-qualified ministers willing to undertake missionary work on the shores of the Pacific, or in the adjoining Territories, but think that a careful examination of the statistics of this report will show, that we have at least strengthened and somewhat extended the former frontier of our labors—a result which, we think, cannot fail to commend itself to the attention and approval of the Assembly.

THE SOUTH.

The suppression of the rebellion brings us face to face with the great work of preaching the Gospel in the South, which we have hitherto looked at as in the future, and contingent on the success of our arms.

The work we entered upon in Missouri so vigorously last year, was brought to a check by the invasion of the State by the confederate army.

In Eastern Tennessee, in connection with the labors of our missionaries, the two Presbyteries of Union and Kingston, once in our connection, but separated from us the last seven years, have resolved to return to us. But the churches are greatly weakened. At the first, the loyal ministers and loyal people were either compelled to flee from the State, or, if they remained there, they did so at the peril of their lives. Subsequently, disloyal ministers and people in great numbers, following the fortunes of the rebellion, have been driven from the State. Church edifices have been used for hospitals, stripped for the service of the soldiers, or left to decay. Many of the people are impoverished. Until order can be established and confidence restored, and charity and brotherly love brought into play, and God shall visit His people again with refreshings from on high, as in the past,

we must expect to have our benevolence taxed to the utmost in the work of religious reconstruction.

The work in Missouri and Eastern Tennessee we think may be considered a fair type of what must be done in fourteen of the Southern States. Both the labor and the expense will be very great. Prejudices will yield very slowly. It will be difficult to repair or build anew church edifices, and the requisite number of ministers of Christ to supply the wants of so wide a field, it may be impossible to find. But however slow, difficult, or costly the work, we must hold ourselves in readiness to aid all that need assistance.

Meanwhile the Freedmen and Refugees constitute a new department of missionary work. We have a missionary laboring among these classes at St. Louis with great acceptance and success.

We have made some earnest attempts to inaugurate the work in other places; but the difficulties of the undertaking, and especially the lack of the right men for it, have rendered our efforts fruitless. But with the close of the war, and the quiet settlement of all these persons, especially the Freedmen in the possession of liberty and newly acquired rights, privileges, and responsibilities, it will be a great duty of the Church to give them the Gospel, to whose influence they seem particularly susceptible.

We can scarcely over-estimate, and have scarcely begun to occupy, this field. The people of all conditions at the South must have the Gospel, and the loyal people all welcome the representatives of our Church. The field, vast as it is, is wholly new to us; a large share of the work of evangelizing the millions at the South must fall to our lot. What amount of this work will be strictly Home Missionary labor, the future must determine.

THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIVISION.

The discovery of gold and silver in that wide section of territory between California on the west, and Kansas, Nebraska, and Dakota on the east, has given a new impulse to the tides of population rolling westward from the valley of the Mississippi.

The development of the mineral wealth of this wide extent of territory, without which it would have remained an uninhabited desert for centuries, if not for ever, greatly enlarges the field of Home Missionary operations, and claims the thoughtful consideration of the Church. It was one of the great topics which last engaged the attention of the late lamented President of the United States. As he left the presidential mansion for the last time, he turned to the late Speaker of the House of Representatives, who had determined to visit these Territories, and said: "*Do not forget to tell the people in the mining regions, as you pass through there, what I told you this morning, about the development, when peace comes.*"

The greatness and necessities of our work on the Pacific side, and the urgent demand for laborers to be sent into the mining towns rapidly springing up at different points in the mining territories, induced the Committee to send out the General Secretary on a tour of observation and exploration. Four months of the last year were thus spent in Colorado, Utah, Nevada, California, and Oregon, visiting the principal towns, encouraging churches already established, counseling and assisting pastors or missionaries, inquiring where churches ought to be planted and missionaries sent. These inquiries also had respect to Montana, Idaho, New-Mexico, Arizona, and Washington Territories, and led to the acquisition of much valuable information, which cannot fail to be of great service to the Committee in sending out and locating missionaries in time to come.

The result of these observations is the full conviction that vast, if not inexhaustible resources of gold, silver, and other precious metals, abound in all, or nearly all, the mountain ranges that are so numerous in that part

of the continent, and that a large number of mining towns may be expected to spring up there, to develop the wealth hitherto hidden away in the mountains, and that it will be the highest duty and interest of the Church of Christ to furnish them with the preaching of the Gospel.

A member of the Committee also spent some weeks in visiting the mining districts and towns of Colorado, and returned with a similar conviction.

Whether the business shall prove profitable to the great majority of people thus engaged or not, enough will undoubtedly succeed to inspire others to follow on, hoping also for success. Many of these people will be poor. The places that are now most promising may not continue to be so; the interests of agriculture must rise or fall with the prosperity or failure of the mining towns; the population for many years will be fluctuating, while the distance of the people from their base of supplies must make the cost of living, and consequently the expense of supporting missionaries, very much greater than in any other part of the country; the distance from the centres of intelligence, and from the controlling agency of religious institutions, will make it the more necessary that the Gospel should be preached there early, faithfully, and continuously; and therefore, till the Pacific railroad is built, we must expend more and do more for Home Missions throughout all this wide section of country than we have ever before thought of doing.

THE GERMAN POPULATION.

The success of the missionaries who have labored in German and Dutch congregations, the readiness of the people to hear the truth when uttered in their own tongue, the great and increasing numbers who must remain without adequate religious instruction, unless evangelical ministers can be found who can speak in their language, have led the Committee to inquire by what means a much larger number of preachers, able to speak the Dutch and German languages, can be raised up.

Such marked success has attended the effort to evangelize the German population in the Presbytery of Newark, N. J., that the Committee cannot but think that with a ministry equally evangelical and faithful, similar results might be secured in all the large cities of the country.

The harvest seems to be ripe, but the laborers are few. At present it is impossible to make up what is lacking in that regard. We would respectfully call the attention of the Assembly to the importance of raising up an adequate ministry, by special arrangements and new endowments in our Theological Seminaries, or in some other manner, for the large and rapidly increasing population who can only hear the Gospel in the languages just named.

THE NEED OF MORE MINISTERS.

Nothing has been a source of greater anxiety to the Committee than the limited number of ministers to supply the increasing number of home missionary fields. Eastern Tennessee, Missouri, Kansas, Minnesota, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio, and Illinois, press their demands for from five to fifteen each. Our brethren in California, Oregon, Nevada, Idaho, and Montana, have grown weary in calling for men, whom we cannot find in suitable numbers and of requisite qualities to enter in and reap the whitening harvests.

We turn to our Theological Seminaries for help, and obtain but slight relief. Promising openings on every hand are pressed on their attention before their course of study is complete. They shrink from the West and

the hardships which they fancy are incidental to new and distant fields only.

The spirit of the fathers, which seemed to delight in nothing so much as to lay foundations in the wilderness and on the frontier, and not to enter into another man's labors, has died out in the breasts of too many of their sons.

If we could now command the services of twenty-five more missionaries, and send them out to the most expensive posts in the distant West, we have little doubt the churches would cheerfully grant them a support; and if we had one hundred more for the whole field, we could employ them at once.

Our great want, then, is ministers of the Gospel, and the want is alarming. Unless the chaplains and students now in the army shall speedily fill up the ranks of the ministry, or God shall raise up in some other manner and send forth more laborers into His harvest, many souls must perish for lack of the knowledge of the truth.

One year ago we sent a missionary to Montana. He must not be left alone. But we cannot find another to go to his aid.

In one of the cities of Idaho Territory, where the Gospel has never been preached, a little band of Christians meet together for prayer every week, and have a Sunday-school every Sabbath. They write to our ministers in Nevada to send them a minister. But their own churches are not supplied, and other fields open to them in their own State which they cannot occupy.

It is the duty of the Committee to raise and disburse the funds for the aid of churches and pastors. But it seems to them one of the highest duties of the Assembly to devise measures for a larger supply of ministers. We have sent out every man of suitable qualifications that has offered himself to us, or that we can find willing to do missionary work.

God builds up His Church mainly by the preaching of the Gospel. The denominations that have the most well-qualified preachers are the most flourishing and successful. Our Church has never supplied itself with the ministers of Christ; it has drawn continually from other denominations; and, if any think we have not grown as rapidly as they expected, the lack of ministers constitutes a solution of the problem.

The District Secretary of Indiana calls attention to ten vacancies in that State, and says: "The Lord calls on us at once to send ten good men and true into these ten fields. But where are the men? Why will not the young men *volunteer* in the Lord's service as they do in the service of the country?" Says one of our most experienced district secretaries at the West, whose field embraces more than two and a half great States: "*Our greatest human want in all this field, is laborers. With a sufficient number of suitable ministers, in all probability we could in one year increase the number of our churches twenty-five per cent.*"

We earnestly call the attention of the Assembly to these facts, and beg of them to devise suitable means to rouse the churches and pastors and Presbyteries to the importance of an adequate supply of laborers, and to turn the attention of Christian young men to the demands, labors, and joys of the sacred calling.

THE MONTHLY PERIODICAL.

The subject of the publication of a monthly periodical, on which the last Assembly instructed us, will appear in the Report of the Publication Committee, to which this Assembly is respectfully referred.

PRESBYTERIAL MISSIONARIES.

The District Secretaries and the most experienced pastors at the West have always urged on our attention the employment of more Presbyterial Missionaries. The experience of the past year vindicates the wisdom of their advice. But we can find very few that are adapted to the work who are willing to engage in it.

CHURCH EDIFICES.

The Committee feel constrained to again call attention to the great lack of church edifices in our missionary fields. The whole number of preaching stations reported by our missionaries is 503, while they report only 212 church edifices.

The great lack of houses of worship; their indispensable necessity to every congregation before it can become self-sustaining, or give the community an impression of permanency and success; the great expense of building; the number of applications made to our wealthier congregations for aid to build, in the judgment of the Committee, make the subject of church erection one of the first importance for the consideration of the Assembly.

DISTRICT SECRETARIES.

Rev. ROBERT ADAIR, the Associate Secretary, has oversight of the field lately occupied by the Philadelphia Home Missionary Society.

Rev. A. M. STOWE, of Canandaigua, N. Y., is District Secretary for Northern, Central, and Western New-York.

Rev. CALVIN CLARK, of Marshall, Mich., for Michigan.

Rev. H. LITTLE, of Madison, Ind., for Indiana.

Rev. H. H. KELLOGG, of Chicago, Ill., for Northern Illinois, Iowa, and Nebraska.

Rev. A. T. NORTON, of Alton, Ill., for Southern Illinois, Missouri, and Kansas.

Rev. W. W. BRIER, of Alvarado, Cal., has resigned his position as District Secretary of the Pacific slope, and

Rev. T. E. TAYLOR, of Petaluma, Cal., has been appointed in his place.

With the exception of the first two, all these Secretaries are engaged in exploring new fields, planting new churches, supplying destitute congregations with pastors, and assisting their brethren in various ways, besides making collections for our treasury.

The Synods of Wisconsin and Minnesota having been furnished with *Synodical Missionaries* at their own request, Iowa has been added to the field of the District Secretary located at Chicago, thereby giving the Secretary located at Alton more time to bestow on Missouri and Kansas.

DEATHS.

Three ministers of the Gospel, laboring under the auspices of the Committee, have died during the year; namely, Rev. A. Blakely, who died suddenly in New-York, whither he had gone to solicit aid in erecting a church edifice for the use of his congregation in Lawrence, Kansas, thus closing a successful ministry of nearly thirty years; Rev. Comfort I. Slack, and Rev. E. E. Merriam, who were both young, and died greatly beloved, the former at Newton, Iowa, and the latter at Salem, Pa.

NUMBER OF MISSIONARIES.

The whole number of missionaries employed during a part or the whole of the year past is 321. The aggregate period of labor has been about 255 years. They have been distributed as follows:

New-York,	48	Minnesota,	11
New-Jersey,	13	Illinois,	42
Pennsylvania,	30	Iowa,	32
Delaware,	1	Missouri,	10
Maryland,	1	Kansas,	9
District of Columbia,	3	Nebraska Territory,	1
Michigan,	36	Colorado "	2
Ohio,	33	Montana "	1
Indiana,	15	Nevada,	2
Kentucky,	1	California,	9
Wisconsin,	19		

The whole number of places where the Gospel has been statedly preached is more than 500.

The whole number of revivals reported is 34.

The whole number of conversions reported is 1448. The whole number of persons that have united with the churches is 2280; on profession of faith, 1335; by letter, 945.

It is a curious fact, and difficult to understand, why so few conversions take place in connection with the labors of our missionaries in the Eastern States; but by far the greater number has occurred in the Western States.

Seven missionaries have labored in colored, and nine in German and Dutch congregations.

THE AMERICAN HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The relations of the Committee to this Society are the same as at the date of the last Report. The Society, while using many thousands of dollars received from Presbyterian sources, mostly from legacies of persons who died before the organization of the Committee, expends not a single dollar on any church represented in our Assembly; and at the same time, more boldly than ever before, proclaims itself the organ of the Congregationalists in the country.

The term of service of Rev. George L. Prentiss, D.D., Rev. Thomas S. Hastings, Rev. B. B. Hotchkin, Mr. M. W. Baldwin, and Mr. J. Milton Smith, will expire with this Assembly.

The Treasurer's report is herewith submitted. If the contributions have fallen short of the expectations of our friends, it is cause for great rejoicing that no church which has come to us for aid has been sent empty away on account of our limited resources. But the same income would have been quite inadequate if the number of missionaries needed could there have been found. But inasmuch as the contributions to the treasury are very small during the summer months, and we have usually been compelled to borrow some thousands of dollars annually at that time, we have no occasion to regret that there is so large a balance in our favor.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN F. HATFIELD, *Chairman.*

H. KENDALL, *Secretary.*

III. ABSTRACT OF THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN PUBLICATION COMMITTEE.

THE Presbyterian Publication Committee present to the General Assembly their Thirteenth Annual Report, with congratulations to the churches upon the prosperous condition of their trust, and thanks to God for the favor to which this prosperity is due. The poverty of its infancy has been changed for a comfortable though moderate endowment and an increasing list of publications, and its feebleness for a hopeful vigor.

PUBLICATIONS.

The Committee, since their last Report, have added to their list the following tracts and books:

TRACTS OF THE SECOND SERIES, 18mo.

No. 25. SAVE SOULS. 40 pages. By the Rev. Richard Baxter. The closing pages, addressed to *parents*, are especially worthy of consideration.

No. 26. THE GREATEST SIN. 12 pages. By Rev. H. Lyman.

No. 27. UNCLE JOHNSON. 28 pages. By Rev. Gustavus L. Foster. The narrative of the pilgrimage of one hundred and twenty years of an African slave, whose godliness was as remarkable as his age.

No. 28. THE YOUNG SOLDIER. 40 pages.

No. 29. THE MORE BLESSED. 28 pages. "A Christmas Message, with a lesson for every day in the year." By Rev. William H. Goodrich.

No. 30. NIFF AND HIS DOGS. 24 pages. Detailing the conversion of a most hardened reprobate through the exertions of a lay preacher.

No. 31. THE SUNDAY-SCHOOL, THE FAMILY, AND THE CHURCH. 48 pages. By the Rev. Theron H. Hawks, and published at the request of the Synod of Western Reserve.

No. 32. THE TORN TESTAMENT. 24 pages. A narrative tract, by Rev. Oliver Crane.

No. 33. NOTHING BUT LEAVES. 24 pages. By Rev. E. E. Adams, D.D.

12MO.—CHRIST WILL GIVE YOU REST. 8 pages; large type.

PRACTICAL WORKS.

IMPORTANT QUESTIONS. 64 pages, 32mo. By Rev. James Smith, of Cheltenham, England.

This book is also published in the form of leaflets in packages.

THE COMMUNION WEEK. 87 pages, 32mo. By Rev. Ashton Oxenden, of Pluckley, England.

WHY DELAY? 168 pages, 18mo. 3 illustrations. By Rev. Jacob Helffenstein, D.D.

MANLY PIETY—IN ITS SPIRIT. 215 pages, 18mo. By the Rev. Robert Philip, of Maberly Chapel. With an Introduction, by the Rev. Albert Barnes.

THE PILGRIM'S PROGRESS. 483 pages, 18mo.

SUN-SET THOUGHTS; or, Bible Narratives for the Evening of Life. 192 pages, 12mo, large type. By the author of "New Tracts for Working Homes," "John Hampton's Home," etc.

ZULU-LAND; or, Life among the Zulu-Kafirs of Natal and Zulu-Land, South-Africa. 351 pages, 12mo. With map and illustrations, largely from original photographs. By the Rev. Lewis Grout, Missionary of the American Board, and author of the Zulu Grammar.

BUY YOUR OWN CHERRIES. 32 pages, 12mo. A Temperance tale.

BOOKS FOR THE SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

MANLINESS. 96 pages, 18mo. By the Rev. B. B. Hotchkin. Is designed for youths at that undefined age lying between boyhood and manhood, when they are tempted by false views of what it is to be manly.

THE DISCONTENTED LITTLE GIRL. 68 pages, 18mo. A book for little girls, by the author of "Money," "Far Away," "Lessons for Little Ones," etc.

STEPS UP THE LADDER. 126 pages, 18mo. The true story of "Poor Little Tim," illustrating the truth that "Godliness is profitable unto all things."

WELDON WOODS. 126 pages, 18mo. "The Trip to Weldon Woods." An English narrative.

DAYBREAK IN BRITAIN; or, The Chief's Daughter. 124 pages, 18mo. By A. L. O. E.

THE COTTAGE BY THE STREAM. 99 pages, 18mo. By the same popular writer for the young.

STORIES FROM JEWISH HISTORY. 178 pages, 18mo. By A. L. O. E.

THE SHEPHERD OF BETHLEHEM. 440 pages, 18mo. By A. L. O. E.

BOYD'S WESTMINSTER CATECHISM. 264 pages, 18mo. The Westminster Shorter Catechism, with Analysis, Scriptural Proofs, Explanatory and Practical Inferences and Illustrative Anecdotes. By Rev. James R. Boyd. Intended for Bible class and family instruction.

By the purchase of the stereotype plates of this and the following work, and the gift by the author to the Committee of his copyright in them, they are able to own and to present to the Churches two very valuable aids in the instruction of the young in the doctrines of God's Word as held by the Presbyterian Church. To Sunday-school teachers and to parents these volumes will prove most valuable aids.

THE CHILD'S BOOK ON THE WESTMINSTER SHORTER CATECHISM. By Rev. James R. Boyd. 90 pages, 18mo. Forming an easy introduction and help for understanding that work and committing it to memory. Revised edition.

HISTORY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH in the United States of America. 2 vols. 576 and 605 pages. With full tables of Contents and Alphabetical Index. By E. H. Gillet, D.D.

It is with much satisfaction that the Committee present to the Churches these full, valuable, and much-needed volumes. The fruit of long and laborious research, they place within the reach of all the information which patient and continuous study alone can acquire, but which it has been our misfortune as a Christian denomination to lack. The reader of this work will find in them much to make him love, honor, and revere his Church, and much in the lives of its early fathers to stimulate him to self-sacrifice, to patriotism, and to missionary zeal.

WORKS IN PREPARATION.

In accordance with the instructions of the last Assembly, the Committee have prepared and have now nearly ready for publication, (the stereotyping having been nearly finished,) THE SOCIAL PSALMIST, a Social Hymn and Tune Book of 425 hymns, with 220 tunes, classified and arranged by subjects. In the preparation of the book the Committee have been guided by what appeared to be the wish of the great majority of the Assembly and churches. The hymns are mainly from the Church Psalmist, embracing those which, upon inquiry, it was found were desired. An Index shows where each hymn in the Social Psalmist may be found in the Church

Psalmist, so that the Hymn and Tune Boook may be used in connection with the Church Psalmist when it is desired. To the hymns from the Church Psalmist, twenty-five from other sources have been added, which it was thought would be called for and prized by those who should use our book.

The Committee do not entertain the idea that the Social Psalmist contains exactly those hymns and tunes, and no others, that *each* singer would choose for himself. To reach this end, every man must have his own book. But they trust and believe that they can present to our churches in it, a selection of hymns that in variety, scope of topics, lyrical excellence and adaptation to singing, will meet the views of large numbers of worshipers; and that the tunes will be found appropriate to the hymns, and suited to congregational singing. As the hymns are the cream of the hymns in use in our churches, so the tunes are the picked and chosen tunes of our tune-books.

The Life of John Brainerd, by Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D., is now in press, and will soon be issued. The author having expended much research and labor in the preparation of the volume, the Committee have aimed to give it a suitable dress, and will issue it in handsome style.

The Committee have also stereotyped and will soon publish, "Five Years in China," an interesting and valuable memoir of Rev. William Aitchison, missionary in China. By Rev. Charles P. Bush. It will be handsomely illustrated.

Of other works in course of preparation it is not needful now to speak.

MANUSCRIPTS INVITED.

The Committee would repeat the notice given in their last Report, that they are now in a position to do justice to manuscripts designed for publication. They will be glad to receive works suited to the character and purposes of their organization, and to make compensation when such works are adopted and published.

For Tracts, they are not in the habit of making payment, but they will welcome with pleasure the material for pithy, instructive, and awakening tracts, doctrinal and practical, bearing on *specific topics*. Let our brethren who have earnest thoughts pressing upon their hearts thus multiply their influence by using the press.

Volumes suited to the Sunday-school library will be acceptable, as well as those intended for adult readers.

THE TREASURY.

The gross sales for the year amount to $36,009.81, as compared with $22,353.66 the preceding year, and $15,722.33 the year before last. If to the sales we add donations made by the Committee to the value of $2260.16, we have a total of $38,269.97.

The last Annual Report of the Business Committee showed the

Assets of the Committee to be, April 1st, 1864, . . .	$36,383 41
Liabilities, ...	2,073 41
Excess of assets over liabilities, ...	$34,310 00

On April 1st, 1865, the Committee report

Assets, ...	$70,283 02
Liabilities, ...	3,405 73
Excess of assets over liabilities, ...	$66,877 29

PRESBYTERIAN BOOK-STORE.

The Book-Store in the Presbyterian House is a valuable and necessary adjunct to the business operations of the Committee; it is also in many respects serviceable to the members of our churches, both to those in Philadelphia and to those at a distance, as it receives and fills orders for the publications of other houses as well as of our Committee. In addition to the services indirectly and directly rendered to the Committee's business, it has during the past year borne all of its own expenses and yielded a profit. With the increase of our operations, its usefulness and its profit to the Committee will also increase.

THE ENDOWMENT FUND.

The total amount subscribed to the Endowment Fund is $50,180.57. Of this there had been paid up to April 1, 1865, $46,378.02, leaving a balance subscribed but not paid of $3852.53. The expenses of securing and collecting the fund have amounted to $3083.97, leaving the net amount of subscriptions $47,096.60. In accordance with the instructions of the Assembly, that one fifth of the money raised be paid to the Trustees of the Presbyterian House toward the liquidation of the incumbrance upon the House, $9000 have been thus paid, which is $355.19 in excess of one fifth of the net receipts for the Fund.

The Committee were hoping that a sufficient amount would have been subscribed to yield $50,000 clear of all expenses. They would be happy to receive contributions to bring the fund to this amount.

THE PRESBYTERIAN HOUSE.

The Declaration of Trust, by which the control of the Presbyterian House was transferred by the Trustees to the Publication Committee having been executed, the Committee have been in receipt of the rents of the House and have borne its expenses since April 1st, 1864.

The rental value of the property, at present rents, including the estimated rent of that portion occupied by the Committee, amounts to $2660 per annum.

In view of the fine location of this property, the Business Committee anticipate at some future day its improvement in capacity to accommodate our increasing operations, and in its productive value for rents. They will, however, while aiming to secure the most profitable results, move with caution in this matter.

In all, $9000 have been paid to the "Trustees of the House" upon account of the Endowment Fund, to be appropriated to the liquidation of the incumbrance of $20,000 now remaining upon the House.

CIRCULATION OF PUBLICATIONS.

The Committee have had the satisfaction of effecting a much larger distribution of their publications, by sale and donation, during the past, than in any preceding years. In the case of some of the works upon their list, this has been marked and gratifying, and they trust that the good seed thus sown has not been without fruit in the past, and will not be in the future. Yet, whilst gratified by this fact, they do not think that they have by any means reached the point at which they should be satisfied. Whilst some works have been largely printed and distributed, others, perhaps, of no less value, have had but a limited sale.

The Committee then earnestly ask their brethren to make the circulation of their publications a subject of thought and action, so far as they find

them adapted to usefulness; and they will take the liberty to make some practical suggestions as to the way in which it may be done.

1. *By Individual action.* A member of the church, according to his pecuniary ability, may invest two dollars, or ten, or twenty, in books and tracts suited to distribution. If they cannot be procured in his own neighborhood, they can be sent by mail from the Presbyterian House to any part of our country. These he can himself use in the sphere of his influence, or he may put them in the hands of his pastor.

The Committee during the past year have published an elaborate and valuable History of the Presbyterian Church. How many of our intelligent laymen have taken the trouble to procure it? To many of them the price would be a small expenditure for the enlarged view it would give them of the history and spirit of that branch of the Church of Christ with which they are connected. In one of our country churches a member went through the congregation and sold nineteen copies of this History. A village pastor has sold twenty copies in two parishes, and expects to sell more.

2. *By Church action.* Every Church should, in some way, secure a small fund to be used by the pastor for this spiritual artillery. A pastor in Michigan was accustomed to secure each month a supply of one of the Committee's tracts, and to distribute it at his weekly lecture. Would not such a plan promote the intelligent piety of his flock? Another, after preaching on Sunday on the topic, for instance, of Christian Nurture, distributes the tract entitled "Child Membership" through his pews, thus sending home with the people a reiteration of the preaching of the pulpit. If the churches will put at the disposal of their pastors a small annual or monthly collection to be thus used, the benefits of the plan will soon be seen.

For the Sunday-school, our selection of volumes is pronounced by those who have systematically examined them, the best published.

3d. *A third mode of distribution is by Presbyterial action.* From such experiments as have been made, the Committee are led to suggest to Presbyteries the feasibility of a system of Presbyterial colportage, the colporteur to be under the care and direction of the Presbytery; to procure from the Committee its publications at a discount; to visit the various congregations, his errand having previously been explained and commended from the pulpit; and to dispose of the publications with such religious instruction and missionary labor of other kinds as the Presbytery may deem desirable. There are frequently members of Presbytery laid aside from the pastoral office, who could be usefully employed within its bounds in labors such as are here suggested. The whole subject is commended to the serious consideration of the Presbyteries.

PRESBYTERIAL COMMITTEES.

The recommendation of the General Assembly that "each Presbytery appoint a minister or elder to see to it that the Publication Cause is presented annually to the churches in its connection, and to secure contributions to it," has been acted upon to a very gratifying extent. The direction of the Assembly, "that these agents *report their labors* to the Secretary of the Permanent Committee as early as the first of April of each year," has been in many cases overlooked by the worthy brethren thus charged; yet the growing attention to our Presbyterial system in benevolence is highly cheering.

HONORARY MEMBERSHIPS.

In accordance with the action of the last General Assembly, the Committee have resolved to issue certificates of Corresponding and Honorary

Membership. The payment of $30 at one time constitutes a *Corresponding Member*, and, by the Committee's resolution, entitles to one dollar's worth of the Committee's publications yearly, for ten years. The payment of $100 at one time constitutes an *Honorary Member*, and entitles to five dollars' worth of publications yearly, for life.

DONATIONS OF BOOKS AND TRACTS.

During the past year the Committee have had the pleasure of distributing publications to the value of $2501.95, by donation. These donations have gone to pastors and home missionaries, for use in their congregations and in their fields of labor, to Sunday-schools needing aid, and to the army and army hospitals. Though falling very far short of what should be done by our churches through their Committee in these wide fields of usefulness, it has been a satisfaction that, under the circumstances, thus much has been done. The Committee hope in the future to be enabled by their constituents to do far more in this useful and needful department of their work.

During the past year the attention of the Committee has been primarily fixed upon the completion of the $50,000 fund, and in many churches the contribution to this fund has taken the place of an ordinary collection. Hereafter the gifts of these churches will be for the general and benevolent operations of the Committee. For these purposes the Committee need and should receive a much larger sum than has been heretofore yielded by the ordinary annual collections of the churches. Our denomination is very largely composed of missionary fields—of churches that are so feeble as to need aid from the press of the denomination. We have Home Missionaries entirely dependent upon the Assembly's Home Mission Committee. To them the churches should furnish a supply of hymn-books, Sunday-school books, and tracts, that they may organize and equip the services of God's house in these new lands. We have small churches not only at the far West, and upon the Pacific slope, but also in the Central West and in the Middle States, requiring aid from the stronger churches of our body, to supplement that which they can do for themselves in the purchase of the books needed for the church and the school; whilst in the South and the South-West there is opening to us a field as destitute as it is wide, and as important as it is destitute, where all the furniture of Bible-teaching must be supplied to the churches as they are reörganized and started anew upon a true Gospel basis.

From all of these quarters, as well as from our armies and hospitals, there come to the Committee, and will come far more largely hereafter, calls for aid in the line of our proper office. The Committee have books and tracts admirably adapted to these calls. Whether the legitimate demands thus made upon them shall be properly met, will depend upon the response made by the individual churches.

Are not the following resolutions of the Synod of Indiana worthy of practical adoption in all of our Synods?

"*Resolved*, That in view of the extended and increased demand for the gratuitous distribution of our publications, we renew our appeal to our churches to make liberal annual contributions to this Cause.

"*Resolved*, That we recommend that systematic efforts be made in every congregation for the circulation of the publications of the Assembly's Committee, and that to this end the Synod's Committee on Publication are instructed to secure, if practicable, the services of a colporteur."

THE MONTHLY PERIODICAL.

The action of the last Assembly directing the establishment of a Monthly Periodical, of not less than twenty-four pages octavo, under the general supervision of the Editor of the Publication Committee, to be the organ of the General Assembly through its various Committees, has received the consideration of this Committee. The details having been left to the various committees in conference. Such a conference was held in the city of New-York, by the Secretaries. As it was found to be impracticable to publish such a periodical at the price suggested by the Assembly, fifty cents per annum, it was deemed advisable to defer its establishment for instructions from this Assembly.

CONCLUSION.

In conclusion, your Committee would express to those by whose liberality the work intrusted to them has been sustained and enlarged, their grateful acknowledgments. Laboring not for themselves but for the cause of the Redeemer, they rejoice in the prosperity and promise of the work with which they are intrusted. They desire a continuance of the sympathy, coöperation, and prayers of their brethren; and they ask from God that blessing on their future efforts without which human wisdom and labor are vain.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT BARNES, *Chairman.*

JOHN W. DULLES, *Secretary.*

IV. THE ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN HOUSE.

THE Trustees of the Presbyterian House report to the General Assembly, that the receipts and expenditures of the year, as shown by the Treasurer's Report herewith submitted, duly audited, have been as follows:

1. RECEIPTS.

Balance in the Treasury, May 1st, 1864,	$3,366 23
Receipts from rents,	225 00
Receipts *pro rata* from Publication Committee,	7,000 00
Receipts from dividends, Douglass gift, Trust account,	700 00
Receipts from Guthrie bequest, Trust account,	1,847 58
Receipts from interest and premiums on invested funds,	674 58
Total receipts,	$13,813 39

2. EXPENDITURES.

Rents returned to Publication Committee,	$72 50	
Expenses,	80 00	
Cash to Publication Committee, per Guthrie bequest,	615 86	
Cash invested for Sinking Fund,	10,262 50	
Cash invested for Guthrie Trust,	1,231 71	
Total expenditures,		12,262 57
Balance,		$1,550 82

In the above report, it will be noticed that but a small amount has been received from rents, and that no expenditures have been made for taxes and repairs—the management of the Presbyterian House having fully passed into the hands of the Assembly's Publication Committee. It will be noticed too, that a large addition has been made to the Sinking Fund for the payment of the permanent debt on the House. The Sinking Fund now amounts to the sum of eleven thousand five hundred dollars, ($11,500;) of which sum, nine thousand dollars ($9000) have been paid by the Assembly's Publication Committee *pro rata* of their collections in aid of the Endowment Fund.

The Trustees report further, that from the executor of the will of Jonah Guthrie, late of the town of Bergen, in the county of Genesee, New-York, they have received one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty-eight cents, ($1847.58,) and have disposed of the money in accordance with the terms of the bequest; paying one third of it to the Assembly's Publication Committee, and investing the other two thirds for the benefit of the charitable objects specified in the will.

The Trustees report still further, that, in accordance with the action of the last General Assembly, constituting the Trustees of the Presbyterian House an agency to collect and disburse a fund, for the relief of disabled ministers, and the families of deceased ministers in our connection; they, soon after the rising of the Assembly, accepted the agency, and appointed five of their number, namely, the Rev. Messrs. Shepherd and Eva, and Messrs. Farr, Brown, and Baldwin, an Executive Committee, to whom the whole business of securing and disbursing the fund should be committed, subject to the supervision and control of the Trustees. The report of this Committee to the Trustees is herewith submitted. It furnishes conclusive evidence that the provision of a fund for ministerial relief is eminently just, and will certainly command the charities of the Church. The Trustees take great pleasure in stating that, in aid of this fund, and as the beginning of a permanent fund for ministerial relief, they have accepted and invested fifteen hundred dollars, ($1500;) of which, one thousand dollars ($1000) is the gift of James Boorman, Esq., of New-York City, and five hundred dollars ($500) the gift of John B. Stevenson, Esq., of Philadelphia.

The Trustees are happy to report that by a recent decision, the validity of the will of Folkerd C. Sebring, deceased, of Ovid, Seneca County, New-York, has, after long delay, been established. The delay has wrought no injury to the Assembly's Home Mission Committee—for whom the Trustees are to hold the bequest—since the bequest becomes available only after the death of the testator's widow, and she is still living.

The Trustees regret to report that the Douglass and Irwin cases are still undecided.

The term of office of the following Trustees expires during the present sessions of the Assembly, namely, John C. Farr, Charles S. Wurts, M.D., Rev. Daniel March, D.D., Rev. William T. Eva, and Rev. Thomas J. Shepherd.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Board of Trustees,

THOMAS JAMES SHEPHERD, *Secretary.*

Philadelphia, Pa., May 2d, 1865.

V. ABSTRACT OF THE FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MINISTERIAL RELIEF FUND.

NINE months have just expired since the Executive Committee were appointed by the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, to fulfil the purposes of the General Assembly in establishing the Ministerial Relief Fund. The Secretary of the Fund was elected, and entered upon his duties July 1st, 1864. The first three months which followed were not favorable to the introduction of this new Cause to the churches. In this condition of things, the first work of the Committee was to diffuse information concerning the objects for which they were appointed. This has been done. *First*, in the publication of a circular, accompanied with written notes; copies of which were sent to several members in each of the Presbyteries. *Second*, by an extended address to the Synods, sent to the Stated Clerk of every Synod, with a written request to have the same read at their approaching meeting—asking the Stated Clerk to transmit to the Executive Committee a copy of any minute that might be adopted in regard to the Fund. *Third*, by a series of brief articles, published in the several newspapers in circulation among the churches. In these articles, the Pastors, and the Stated Clerks of Presbyteries, were earnestly requested to coöperate with the Committee in their efforts to advance this Cause. *Fourth*, by widely publishing the "Principles and Rules" which govern the distribution of the Fund, so that all might judge of their propriety; and also, that persons needing aid might learn the course to be pursued in order to secure it.

Notwithstanding this general diffusion of information, there has not been the amount of interest manifested for the Cause which the Committee had expected to witness. From newspaper accounts, it appears that fourteen Synods have taken action in favor of the Fund, and yet *authenticated* reports of such action have been received from only five of those Synods. A similar neglect seems to have obtained in regard to the circulars, containing several important questions, put to Pastors and Church Sessions. Upwards of four hundred copies of these circulars, having with them return postage stamps, were sent to ministers in every section of the country, and yet replies have been received from only about sixty. It is not supposed that this is evidence of a general want of interest in the claims of disabled ministers, or in the necessities of the widows and orphans of those who have deceased; for, in letters which have come to hand, the Committee find sufficient sympathy expressed to justify the belief, that this subject is destined to hold an important place in the affections of the people. Still, it would greatly encourage those engaged in the work, to hear from all its friends, especially from those who have been written to in regard to furnishing the means necessary to its successful prosecution.

When the last General Assembly established the Fund, it ventured "to name the sum of *ten thousand dollars*, as that which . . . it should receive during the ensuing year." As the Committee did not begin their labors until the first of July, and were instructed to close their financial accounts on the first of April, not half the amount named by the Assembly has been realized. This, however, is no cause for discouragement, especially when it is remembered that six years elapsed in the prosecution of the same Cause, in the other branch of the Presbyterian Church, before they were able to obtain $2500 annually for their fund. They are now in the full tide of prosperity, and in their last annual re

port, state that during the year ending May 1st, 1864, they had distributed $13,160 among eighty-eight applications for assistance.

From the many assurances of intended coöperation in this Cause, received by your Committee, they have no doubt but that similar success will follow their efforts to provide for the needy. For this success, however, the attention of those will be necessary, who, in their own experience, will probably never realize how painfully important is the Ministerial Relief Fund. The larger churches have both the *will* and the *means* to provide all that may be needed properly to sustain their Pastors, and yet it is from these same churches the chief contributions must come, to relieve the wants of disabled ministers, and their suffering families.

From various causes, not one half the Pastors in the smaller churches receive salaries sufficient to afford them the comforts, or always the necessaries, of life, and, of course, can lay up nothing in store. When, therefore, these laborious, self-denying men are overtaken by age or infirmities, and can no longer earn the means of support, they most naturally turn to the Church for assistance, both for themselves and their families, because, for the interests of the Church, they have expended the vigor of their lives in unrequited labors.

While it will not be expected in this place to see cases of want fully detailed, justice to the needy applicants, and to the general cause, seems to require that the following extracts from letters received by the Executive Committee should be published, in order that an idea may be formed of the character and condition of those who desire assistance.

[A number of interesting cases are here detailed, of disabled ministers, and of the widows and orphans of ministers deceased, in which it is shown, that the necessities of this worthy class of persons are such as to require all the assistance that can be rendered to them by the Relief Fund.]

Applications for aid have come from four ministers, and from nine widows of ministers, who also represent twenty-three orphans dependent on them for support. In two of the cases, appropriations have been made to the full amount desired, the applicants having had sufficient time to conform to all the "Rules" required for the distribution of the Fund. All the other cases had to be deferred until opportunity should be afforded them to get their papers approved. In due time these will have taken the regular course, and will be responded to with suitable appropriations.

It is believed there are many cases of suffering among our disabled ministers, and also with the widows and orphans of ministers deceased. But for the same reason, that more time is necessary to secure a general coöperation among the Presbyteries and churches, in behalf of the Fund, it will also be found that these cases of suffering will be brought to the notice of the Executive Committee, only so far as opportunity is afforded by the Presbyteries to have them fairly investigated and duly recommended. The Committee would, therefore, respectfully repeat the suggestion which they made to the Synods, namely, that each Presbytery be requested to "*appoint a committee, whose duty it should be—1st, to ascertain whether there be, within their bounds, any ministers, or their families, needing aid from the Fund; and 2d, to stimulate the churches to make collections for it.*

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Committee,

CHARLES BROWN, *Secretary.*

PLAN FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE FUND.

Principles and Rules to govern the Distribution of the Ministerial Relief Fund, adopted by the Executive Committee of the Fund, December 29th, 1864, and approved by the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, January 9th, 1865.

The Ministerial Relief Fund, established by the General Assembly, meeting at Dayton, Ohio, May, 1864, is intended "for the relief of disabled ministers in good and regular standing in connection with said Assembly, and the families of ministers who have deceased while in this connection."

The Assembly assumes that these ministers and families are in circumstances requiring aid, yet does not regard them as common objects of charity; on the contrary, it is declared that the assistance thus rendered is "not a charity," but the proper response of the "Church of Christ to the *just claims* of Christ's servants."

Whilst the Fund is to be sacredly guarded against every species of imposition, the Assembly would hereby invite those whose circumstances bring them within the Rules to avail themselves of its benefits, as an aid most justly bestowed, and that can most honorably be received.

In order to give effect to the benevolent intentions of the Assembly, the Executive Committee of the Ministerial Relief Fund Agency have adopted, and the Trustees of the Presbyterian House have approved, the following principles and rules of distribution:

1. Every applicant for relief must be recommended by the Presbytery to which the claimant belongs. To facilitate applications, Presbyteries are earnestly requested to appoint standing committees with authority to act.

2. Every application for aid must, in the case of a minister, state his age and circumstances; in the case of a deceased minister's family, the circumstances of the widow, and the number, sex, and ages of the orphaned children.

3. Every Presbytery or Presbyterial Committee, indorsing an application, will be expected to inquire into the circumstances of the applicant, to assume the responsibility of recommending the case to the Executive Committee, and to state specifically what amount of relief should, in their judgment, be given.

It is, however, clearly to be understood, that while the recommendations of Presbyteries will be always regarded with great respect and confidence, yet the Executive Committee reserves to itself, in each case, a final decision, to be regulated by the urgency of the applicant's necessities, the term of active service in the ministry on which the application is based, and the state of the treasury.

4. No appropriation will be made for a period exceeding one year, and should the renewal of an appropriation be desired, the application must be again indorsed by the Presbytery or Presbyterial Committee.

5. As the Executive Committee meet quarterly, on the third Tuesdays of June, September, December, and March, applications should be sent in full time to be presented to one of these meetings; otherwise action thereon may be delayed for more than two months.

6. All applications and letters, pertaining to the general business of the Fund, should be addressed to the Rev. Charles Brown, Secretary, 1334 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa.

VI. EXTRACTS FROM THE SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FOREIGN MISSION COMMITTEE.

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We find, by an analysis of the reports, as presented in the Minutes of the last Assembly, the following facts of interest, respecting the participation of our churches in the work:

1. As to the number of churches in the respective Presbyteries which do not contribute any thing to the Cause;
2. The amount given per member in the contributing churches;
3. The aggregate of the two classes of churches and the result.

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A tabular view is given in the Report, which is thus summed up:

It thus appears, that 720 churches, with a membership of 36,885, make no report of contributions to the Cause of Foreign Missions during the year ending May, 1864; that 722 churches contribute to the Cause $97,629.14. The number of members in these contributing churches is reported at 101,189; so that the average amount of contribution per member is 96 cents.

It does not appear from the Minutes, that any thing was contributed to the Cause of Foreign Missions from the churches in the Presbyteries of Lake Superior, Grand River, Chariton, Kansas, San Francisco, Sierra Nevada, and Washoe.

At the last meeting of the American Board, it was understood, that the necessities of the Board require that at least $600,000 should be raised for the coming year. The proportion of that sum which ought to be contributed by the members of our churches, is $213,000; or $1.54 to each member on our rolls. We need not say that there are very few, if indeed there are any, amongst us who, with proper views of duty, cannot contribute $1.54 cents per annum to this great Cause; which is less than three cents per week.

We are very happy to report, that the Resolution adopted by the General Assembly of 1863, and which was approved and urged upon the attention of the Presbyteries by the last General Assembly, has been acted upon by several of the Presbyteries, and that the results have been eminently encouraging.

A circular letter was addressed to the Presbyteries, and sent by mail to the Stated Clerk of each, with a view to bring the action of the two General Assemblies referred to, with the greatest possible distinctness and force, to the attention of those bodies at their annual meetings, and to secure, if possible, the action so strongly recommended and deemed so important.

We have received notice of the appointment of Presbyterial Agents in eleven of the Presbyteries, and have received reports from ten of these agents.

Rev. Robert Aikman, of the Presbytery of Newark, reports,

That a circular was sent to the churches about the last of March, to which 18 of the 22 churches of the Presbytery responded. Of these 18 churches, 7 take their monthly contributions on the Sabbath, and six at the monthly concert only. In addition, 11 of them have an annual presentation of the Cause and a contribution. Twelve of these churches, containing 3290 members, have contributed an average of $1.30 per member. All of the churches, two only excepted, observe the monthly concert. The

Presbytery have made it a standing rule to hold, on Wednesday evening of the stated meeting in April, a public meeting in behalf of Foreign Missions.

Rev. Joseph N. McGiffert, of the Presbytery of Utica, says:

The total contributions to the Cause, during 1864, amount to $2321.63; showing an increase over the year preceding, of $850, or 58 per cent. I ought, however, to state that the church of Clinton, formerly Congregational, has become connected with the Presbytery during the year; deducting the receipts from that church, there remains an increase over last year of $577, or 40 per cent. Several of the feeble churches as yet fail to contribute. I contemplate holding a series of missionary meetings in these churches during the summer.

I suggested to the churches a year ago the propriety of taking up collections for this cause in the several Sunday-schools. The plan has been adopted to some extent with exceedingly gratifying results. One church, whose total contributions to the Foreign Missionary work during the year preceding amounted to but $40, now reports $55 as collected in the *Sunday-school.*

The Committee of the Presbytery of Chenango report the amount contributed to the Cause, during the past year, $1791.26, against $681.46, the amount reported the previous year; an increase of more than 150 per cent.

The Committee of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Third, report an increase of contributions during the past year of $1544.90; about 50 per cent; and that 19 of the 21 churches connected with the Presbytery have contributed.

The Committee of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Fourth, report an increase of the contributions of $783.96; about 18 per cent; and that 21 of their 28 churches have contributed.

The Committee of the Presbytery of Wilmington report an increase of $118.21, or about 20 per cent; that but two of the churches actually in relation to that Presbytery failed to contribute; and that they anticipate a collection from each of their churches in the year ensuing.

The Committee of the Presbytery of Harrisburgh report an increase of $280.88; about 20 per cent; that 6 of their 9 churches have contributed; and that they hope to secure a contribution from every one of them during the present year.

The Committee of the Presbytery of Trumbull report that 12 of the 16 churches connected with that Presbytery have contributed $600; an increase of about 15 per cent.

The Committee of the Presbytery of Cincinnati report that 9 of their 16 churches have contributed $2902.75; an increase of $1069, or about 60 per cent.

The Committee of the Presbytery of Troy report that 11 of their 18 churches have contributed $1297.51; about the same amount as the previous year.

The most gratifying and promising feature of the work has been the development of interest in the Sunday-schools, some of which have contributed a large proportion of the amount credited to the churches; in two or three cases about 25 per cent, and in one case more than 50 per cent.

These are the only reports received from the Presbyterial Committees. They show conclusively that this plan of Presbyterial action and supervision is wise; and that, if it is adopted in all the Presbyteries, and the right men selected for their committees respectively, it will result in securing the coöperation of all our pastors and people in this glorious work.

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The number of the members of our Presbyteries employed in the Foreign Missionary work, in connection with the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, is fifty-eight. They are located as follows, namely:

SELAH B. TREAT, *Secretary*, Boston.
GEORGE W. WOOD, D.D., *Secretary*, New-York City.
CHARLES P. BUSH, *District Secretary*, Rochester, N. Y.
JOHN MCLEOD, *District Secretary*, Philadelphia, Pa.
ELISHA BALLANTINE, *District Secretary*, Cincinnati, O.

IN WESTERN AFRICA, 3.—*Gaboon Mission.* Albert Bushnell, Andrew D. Jack, Epaminondas J. Pierce.

IN SOUTH-AFRICA, 3.—Andrew Abraham, Silas McKinney, Seth B. Stone.

IN EUROPEAN TURKEY AND WESTERN ASIA, 21.—*Western Turkey*, 5.—Henry J. Van Lennep, D.D., Edward M. Dodd, Justin W. Parsons, Tilman C. Trowbridge, Theodore L. Byington. *Eastern Turkey*, 3.—Sanford Richardson, Orson P. Allen, W. Frederick Williams. *Central Turkey*, 2.—Homer B. Morgan, George H. White. *Syria*, 7.—William M. Thomson, D.D., William W. Eddy, J. Edwards Ford, Henry H. Jessup, J. Lorenzo Lyons, Samuel Jessup, George E. Post, M.D. *Nestorian*, 4.—George W. Coan, Joseph G. Cochran, John H. Shedd, Henry N. Cobb.

IN SOUTHERN ASIA, 11.—*Ceylon*, 1.—James Quick. *Mahratta*, 3.—Lemuel Bissell, William P. Barker, Henry W. Ballantine. *Madura*, 7.—John E. Chandler, Edward Chester, John Rendall, Horace S. Taylor, William Tracy, Charles T. White, Nathan L. Lord, M.D.

IN EASTERN ASIA, 5.—*Canton*, 1.—Daniel Vrooman. *Fuh Chau*, 2.—Caleb C. Baldwin, Simeon F. Woodin. *North-China*, 2.—Lyman D. Chapin, Justus Doolittle.

IN THE PACIFIC ISLANDS, 5.—*Sandwich Islands*, 4.—Claudius B. Andrews, Sereno E. Bishop, Lorenzo Lyons, John F. Pogue. *Micronesia*, 1.—Edward T. Doane.

NORTH-AMERICAN INDIANS, 5.—*Dakotas*, 3.—Thomas S. Williamson, M.D., Stephen R. Riggs, John P. Williamson. *Ojibwas*, 1.—Leonard H. Wheeler. *Senecas*, 1.—Asher Wright.

Eight of these brethren are now in this country, namely: Epaminondas J. Pierce, Silas McKinney, Andrew D. Jack, George H. White, Lemuel Bissell, Edward T. Doane, Justus Doolittle, J. Lorenzo Lyons.

One who was in the field last year, the Rev. Alvan B. Goodale, M.D., has been released from the service of the Board on account of the failure of his wife's health.

And one, the Rev. Samuel W. Bonney, of the Canton Mission, and of the Presbytery of Cincinnati, having faithfully preached Christ to the Chinese, has finished the work that was given him to do, and lives on high.

None of our brethren have joined the missionary ranks during the year.

In our last Report, we stated that the number of our representatives in the foreign field was two less than the year previous; and now we are compelled to report two less than last year.

Some of our brethren have been deeply afflicted in the death of their beloved companions during the year—a trial, the severity of which none

know so well as those who are thus bereaved when far away from home, and amid a people who cannot fully sympathize in this peculiar sorrow.

Your Committee, in accordance with the instructions of the Assembly in relation to correspondence with our missionary brethren, addressed them a circular-letter, dated January 31st, 1865, but regret that it was postponed too long to get a response from most of them for this Report.

Interesting letters, in reply, have been received from the Rev. Thomas S. Williamson, M.D., of the Dakota Mission; Rev. Albert Bushnell, of the Gaboon Mission; Rev. Tilman C. Trowbridge, Rev. Henry J. Van Lennep, D.D., and Rev. Theodore L. Byington, of the W. Turkey Mission, and Rev. Henry Harris Jessup, of the Syrian Mission.

[These letters were read to the Assembly, but occupy too much space for this abstract.]

The following resolution was adopted by the last Assembly:

"*Resolved*, That the Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions be authorized to take measures to become *incorporated*, so as to receive and hold property in trust for the General Assembly, to be expended in Foreign Missions."

Your Committee have obtained from the Legislature of the State of New-York the following

ACT OF INCORPORATION.

"CHAPTER 493.

"*An Act to incorporate the Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America. Passed April* 17, 1865.

"The People of the State of New-York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

"§ 1. R. Russell Booth, George Duffield, Alfred E. Campbell, John McLeod, John A. Brown, Joseph N. Tuttle, William E. Dodge, Walter Clarke, Daniel W. Poor, T. Ralston Smith, Thomas Bond, Walter S. Griffith, William Churchill, Edward A. Lambert, and Jesse W. Benedict, designated for that purpose by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, which met at Dayton, Ohio, in May, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and their successors in office, are hereby constituted a body corporate and politic, by the name of 'THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN MISSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America,' whose duty it shall be to superintend the whole cause of Foreign Missions in behalf of the said General Assembly, as said General Assembly may, from time to time, direct; also, to receive, take charge of, and disburse any property or funds which, at any time, and from time to time, may be intrusted to said General Assembly, or said Permanent Committee, for Foreign Missionary purposes.

"§ 2. The said Corporation shall possess the general powers and be subject to the provisions contained in title three, of chapter eighteen, of the first part of the Revised Statutes, so far as the same are applicable, and have not been repealed or modified.

"§ 3. The management and disposition of the affairs of said Corporation shall be vested in the individuals named in the first section of this act, and their successors in office, who shall remain in office for such period, and be displaced and succeeded by others, to be elected by said Gen-

eral Assembly, and at such time and in such manner as the said General Assembly shall direct and appoint.

"§ 4. The said Corporation shall in law be capable of taking, and recovering, and holding, any real or personal estate, which has been, or may hereafter be, given, devised, or bequeathed to it, or to the said General Assembly, for the purposes aforesaid, (and in conformity with existing statutes,) or which may accrue from the use of the same; but the said Corporation shall not take and hold real and personal estate above the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

"§ 5. This act shall take effect immediately."

To reinforce the missions already established, where so much precious labor has been bestowed, and foundations laid which, if properly built upon, will affect permanently the welfare of the people, but where, for want of men, there is great danger of losing all; to aid our missionary brethren who cry so loudly for help, while their strength is overtaxed, and they sink beneath the immense burdens laid upon them in the midst of their years—beloved brethren, who die in the harness, or break down in health and are compelled to return home, at the sacrifice to the Cause of half the good which might and ought to have resulted from their costly preparation for usefulness in the foreign field; to meet these pressing demands, and to enter into and occupy the fields so white for the harvest, which have never yet been improved, our great want is MEN, filled with the spirit of Missions, and prepared to endure hardness for the glory of the Master and the salvation of souls. The question of the day is here presented: Where are these soldiers of the Cross to be found? They are not in our Colleges or Theological Seminaries, so far as any indications exist at present. The number of candidates for the work of Foreign Missions in our public Seminaries at this time is distressingly small. Where shall we look for the recruits to fill the thinned ranks of the missionary forces but to the churches of Christ? By what means shall the necessary response be secured?

These questions your Committee would respectfully but earnestly urge upon the attention of the Assembly, that they may thus be suitably commended to the prayerful consideration of all our pastors and people.

The history of the work of Christ in our *army* affords ground for hope that many of our brave soldiers, who have there become the soldiers of Jesus, will, with the close of the war, have their attention so turned to the work of the ministry and of missions, as to devote their spared lives and their renewed powers to the service of the Redeemer, as preachers of his glorious Gospel to a lost race.

In conclusion, your Committee rejoice to believe that a brighter day is dawning on the Church and on the world. We stand on higher vantage ground as a Missionary Church than ever before. Our faith and our powers have been tried in a hand-to-hand struggle with the armies of rebellion, and God has given us the victory. Our people have cheerfully contributed millions of dollars and thousands of their noble sons to save our beloved country, and have been amply rewarded by the glorious result. In this experience of our ability to do and to suffer, we see abundant proof, that we possess the means and the men to send the Gospel to the millions who are perishing in heathen lands.

Is it not obvious that, to accomplish this work, we need only to feel *an adequate motive?* Under such a motive, to save the life of the nation that we love so well, our brethren have evinced a strength of purpose and a fertility of resource, which have counted losses the most terrible and exactions the most severe as *nothing* compared with the object to be ac-

complished. If, then, the love that we bear to our Redeemer, and to the millions for whom He died, is a sufficient motive, shall we not illustrate the fact by engaging in the work of missions, on a scale and with a spirit worthy of the Master and of His cause?

When a people, taught, disciplined, and qualified for a glorious work as we have been, shall, with true humility and faith, enter upon the work of Missions, in the same spirit which has been displayed so grandly in the war against the great rebellion, then indeed shall it come to pass that "The wilderness and the solitary place shall be glad for them, and the desert shall rejoice and blossom as the rose. It shall blossom abundantly, and rejoice even with joy and singing. The glory of Lebanon shall be given unto it, the excellency of Carmel and Sharon; they shall see the glory of the Lord, and the excellency of our God."

The term of office of the following members of the Committee expires at this time: Rev. George Duffield, D.D., Rev. Walter Clarke, D.D., Rev. T. Ralston Smith, Mr. John A. Brown, and Rev. Daniel W. Poor, D.D.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Committee,

WALTER S. GRIFFITH,

BROOKLYN, May 19, 1865. *Secretary.*

VII. ABSTRACT OF THE NINTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

THE past year has furnished encouraging evidences that the Education cause is advancing in the confidence of the ministry and the churches. Ninety-nine young men have been aided from the General Assembly's Education Fund. They were recommended by Presbyteries, as follows: New-York, Third, 12; New-York, Fourth, 11; Cayuga, 11; Utica, 7; Madison, 5; Newark, 3; Pataskala, 3; Athens, 3; Cincinnati, 2; Crawfordsville, 2; Rockaway, 2; Huron, 2; Logansport, 2; Detroit, 2; Tioga, 2; Philadelphia, Third, 2; Philadelphia, Fourth, 1; Bloomington, 1; Cold Water, 1; Marshall, 1; Monroe, 1; Trumbull, 1; Schuyler, 1; North-River, 1; Genesee, 1; Ithaca, 1; Albany, 1; Troy, 1; Chemung, 1; Saginaw, 1; Cleveland and Portage, 1; Winona, 1; Kalamazoo, 1; Chicago, 1; Brooklyn, 1; Ripley, 1.

They have attended the following Institutions: Auburn Theological Seminary, 16; Lane Seminary, 9; Union Seminary, 27; Princeton Seminary, 1; Hamilton College, 12; Union College, 4; Yale, 2; College of New-Jersey, 1; Western Reserve, 2; Marietta, 5; Wabash, 5; Michigan University, 3; Olivet, (Michigan,) 1; Franklin and Marshall, 1; Iowa University, 1; Ashmun Institute, 2; Cortland Academy, (New-York,) 1; Waverley Institute, (New-York,) 1; Saunders' Institute, (Philadelphia,) 1; South-Salem Academy, (Ohio,) 1; Mountain Academy, (New-Jersey,) 1.

The number of students aided has been greater by twelve than that of the previous year. Fifteen have finished their course of study and been licensed to preach. The appropriations paid were advanced twenty-five per cent by direction of the last Assembly.

The amount received into the treasury from the contributions of churches, individuals, and interest, was $18,927.49, being an increase of $560 over

the previous year. The balance in the treasury now is $1750.72. With the balance from the last year, the proceeds of railroad bonds sold, and a portion of the present year's contributions, three permanent scholarships of $2000 each have been established—an arrangement from which the Committee expect much good to result, and which they propose to continue from year to year, until the number of students aided shall be increased so as to require the whole amount of the current contributions of the year for their assistance.

The Report recommends a few changes in the Rules, a further increase of the appropriations, and most earnest and prayerful and persevering efforts to increase the number of candidates for the ministry.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. OWEN, *Chairman.*

THORNTON A. MILLS, *Secretary.*

VIII. COMMISSIONERS IN ATTENDANCE ON THE SEVERAL GENERAL ASSEMBLIES, SINCE THE SEPARATION, A.D. 1838.

		Ministers.	Elders.	Total.
1839,	Philadelphia, Pa.	85	62	147
1840,	" "	58	29	87
1843,	" "	73	41	114
1846,	" "	87	55	142
1849,	" "	86	39	125
1850,	Detroit, Mich.	88	54	142
1851,	Utica, N. Y.	99	55	154
1852,	Washington, D. C.	108	73	181
1853,	Buffalo, N. Y.	115	85	200
1854,	Philadelphia, Pa.	120	80	200
1855,	St. Louis, Mo.	101	63	164
1856,	New-York, N. Y.	116	90	206
1857,	Cleveland, Ohio.	125	100	225
	[Secession of 19 Southern Presbyteries.]			
1858,	Chicago, Ill.	108	91	199
1859,	Wilmington, Del.	109	78	187
1860,	Pittsburgh, Pa.	114	90	204
1861,	Syracuse, N. Y.	114	79	193
1862,	Cincinnati, Ohio.	116	93	209
1863,	Philadelphia, Pa.	120	99	219
1864,	Dayton, Ohio.	117	86	203
1865,	Brooklyn, N. Y.	120	109	229
	Average,	103⅔	69	172⅔

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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, IN ACCOUNT WITH WILLIAM A. BOOTH, *Treasurer.*

Dr.				Cr.			
May, 1864.	To paid Mileage to Commissioners,		$4321 15	May, 1864.	By Balance from the old account,		$76 62
" "	Delegates to Corresponding Bodies:			"	Receipts of the Mileage Committee,	$5486 05	
	Rev. G. E. Pierce, D.D.,	$6 00		"	Receipts of the Stated Clerk,	177 23	5663 28
	Rev. J. Sewall,	20 00		"	Balance to new account,		84 94
	Rev. Wm. Sterling,	37 50					
	Rev. L. H. Reid,	17 33					
	Rev. L. Gilbert, D.D.,	10 08					
	Rev. J. Sailor,	12 00					
	Rev. R. R. Booth, D.D.,	10 00					
			112 91				
" "	the Officers of the Assembly:						
	Stated Clerk,	161 60					
	Permanent Clerk,	27 00					
	Janitor,	25 00					
			213 60				
" "	for Printing and Stationery:						
	John Moffet,	17 25					
	Dayton Journal Office,	23 00					
	J. A. Gray & Green,	1071 66					
			1111 91				
" "	for Sundries:						
	Engrossing,	14 00					
	Postage, Freight, etc.,	41 27					
	Counterfeit Bill,	10 00					
			65 27				
			$5824 84				$5824 84
May, 1865.	To Balance to new account,		$84 94				

We have examined the foregoing account, compared it with the vouchers, and find it to be correct.

May 19th, 1865.

H. W. Williams,
John P. Crosby,
Saml. T. Bodine,
} *Auditors.*

New-York, May 12, 1865.

WM. A. BOOTH, *Treasurer.*

THE PRESBYTERIAN COMMITTEE OF HOME MISSIONS *in account with* EDWARD A. LAMBERT, *Treasurer.*

Dr.			1864.		Cr.
1865.			May 1.	By Balance, Cash on hand,	$7,873 32
May 2.	To amount paid to Missionaries, and General, Associate, and District Secretaries, including traveling expenses,	$75,226 03	1865.		
	" Salary of Assistant Treasurer,	1,448 00	May 2.	" Donations from Churches and Individuals,	84,010 69
	" Rent and care of office, New-York,	386 31		" Legacies,	1,593 65
	" Rent and expenses, Philadelphia office,	151 53			
	" Printing Annual Reports, Circulars, Certificate of Membership, etc.,	364 54			
	" Blank Books and Stationery,	61 39			
	" Postage and Revenue Stamps,	182 24			
	" Interest on Loans, Exchange, and Advertising Monthly Receipts,	158 11			
	" Law Expenses, "Irwin Will Case,"	225 63			
	" Loan repaid, (from a Clergyman, without interest, credited in last year's Report,)	600 00			
	" Balance,	14,673 88			
		$93,477 66			$93,477 66
			1865.		
			May 2.	By Balance,	$14,673 88

NEW-YORK, May 2, 1865.

EDWARD A. LAMBERT, *Treasurer.*

The above account has been examined and found correct.

J. MILTON SMITH, } *Auditing*
JOSEPH F. JOY, } *Committee.*

Dr. THE CHURCH ERECTION FUND, *in account with* JESSE W. BENEDICT, *Treasurer.*
From May 1, 1864, *to May* 1, 1865.

To Cash, Loans to churches,	$2,550 00	By Balance from former account,	$19,997 52
" Donations to churches,	1176 00	By Cash, from Call Loans and Temporary Investments,	292,249 84
" Call Loans and Temporary Investments,	304,862 64	" Interest on ditto,	4,229 47
" Expenses, being salary to Secretary and Treasurer, rent of office, stationery, printing, postage, etc.,	1,707 76	" Instalments received from various churches on account of their bonds and mortgages,	8,633 25
To Balance in Bank,	17,228 32	" Interest on ditto,	1,152 82
		" Annual Collections received from churches on account of donations,	1,027 50
		" Miscellaneous,	234 32
	$327,524 72		$327,524 72
		By Balance in Bank,	$17,228 32

This certifies that we have examined the vouchers in the hands of the Treasurer, and find the above account correct.

NEW-YORK, May 8th, 1865.

MARCUS C. RIGGS,
TOBIAS D. LANDER,
CHARLES A. DAVISON.

CONDITION OF THE CHURCH ERECTION FUND, MAY 1ST, 1865.

Amount of Loans to churches, secured by Bonds and Mortgages,	$36,480 43
Amount of Donations to churches secured by Bonds and Mortgages,	13,728 66
Amount of Call Loans and Temporary Investments,	55,500 00
Interest earned thereon to date,	909 53
Cash in Bank,	17,228 32
Total,	$123,846 94

This certifies that we have examined the securities in the hands of the Treasurer, and find the above Statement to be correct.

MARCUS C. RIGGS,
TOBIAS D. LANDER,
CHARLES A. DAVISON.

Dr. THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION *in account with* JESSE W. BENEDICT, *Treasurer.* Cr.

From May 1, 1864, *to May* 1, 1865.

1864–65.			1864–65.			
	To Cash paid Students in Theological Seminaries, Colleges, and Academies, during the year from 1st May, 1864, to 1st May, 1865,	$12,128 26		By Balance from last account,		$3,320 86
	To Cash paid salary of General Secretary, traveling expenses, exchange, printing, stationery, rent, postage, etc.,	3,247 77		By Cash received from Presbyteries and Churches, as per accompanying statement,		17,144 26
	To Cash paid three Scholarships, invested in United States Bonds,	6,138 60		By Cash from Individuals, as per accompanying statement,		1,033 45
	To Balance to new account,	1,750 72		By Cash, part of appropriation to a Student in Marietta College, in May, 1863, not used,		35 00
				By Cash, proceeds of sale of Railroad Bonds,		1,017 00
				By Cash, Interest of Phelps Scholarship, invested in United States Bonds,	$120 00	
				Premium on gold,	118 26	
						238 26
				By Cash, interest of two other Scholarships, invested in United States Bonds,	240 00	
				Premium on gold,	236 52	
						476 52
		$23,265 35				$23,265 35
			1865. May 1.	By Balance to new account,		$1,750 72

This certifies that I have audited the above account, and find it to be correct, (the vouchers for payments to Students for last quarter not having all been returned.)

New-York, May 16th, 1865. WM. W. WICKES.

Dr. JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer, in account with* THE TRUSTEES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN HOUSE. Cr.

1864.			1864.		
May 1.	To Balance of Cash,	$3,366 23	May.	Cash, returned rents to Publication Committee,	$72 50
	Received rents,	225 00		" Paid expenses,	80 00
	Ditto from the Publication Committee,	7,000 00		" Paid to the Publication Committee, per bequest of the late Jonas Guthrie, Trust account,	615 86
	Ditto from Dividends, Peter Douglass's Estate, Trust account,	700 00		" Paid for ten thousand five hundred dollars, invested in U. S. and City Loans for Sinking Fund,	10,262 50
	Ditto from Jonas Guthrie's Estate, Trust account,	1,847 58		" Paid for twelve hundred and seven dollars and fifty-six cents, Lehigh Mortgage Loan, account trust, Jonas Guthrie,	1,231 71
	Ditto from interest and Premiums on Invested Funds,	674 58		Balance,	1,550 82
		$13,813 39			$13,813 39
1865.					
May 1.	Balance,	$1,550 82			

PHILADELPHIA, May 2d, 1865.

JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer.*

We have compared the foregoing account with the vouchers, and find it correct.

SAMUEL H. PERKINS, WILLIAM T. EVA, } *Auditors.*

JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer, in account with* THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MINISTERIAL RELIEF FUND.

Dr. *To March 31st, 1865.* Cr.

To cash received in contributions from churches and individuals, from August 1, 1864, to March 31, 1865,	$3539 71	By investment in the Permanent Fund,	$1500 00
To interest and premium on loan,	98 76	" Paid appropriations,*	250 00
		" Secretary's salary and traveling expenses,	514 75
		" Postage,	28 36
		" Printing and advertising,	21 75
		" Stationery,	10 06
		" Miscellaneous,	6 75
			2331 67
		Balance in treasury,	1306 80
	$3638 47		$3638 47

March 31st, 1865. JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer.*

* In April the amount appropriated increased to $625, with applications for about $1000 more.

Dr. THE PRESBYTERIAN PUBLICATION COMMITTEE, *in account with* WM. L. HILDEBURN, *Treasurer*. Cr.

1864.				1864.			
April 1.	To orders paid by the Treasurer, viz.:			April 1.	By Balance on hand, April 1, 1864,....		$5,126 14
	For the Committee:				" Donations received to March 31, 1865, viz.:		
	For printing, binding, stereotyping, engraving, etc.,.....	$31,402 16			For General Purposes,...	$6,590 93	
	" Copyright,.....	675 23			For Endowment Fund,...	31,376 66	
	" Trustees Presbyterian House on account 1-5th of Endowment Fund,..	7,000 00					37,967 59
	" U. S. Bonds, Premium and accrued Interest,.....	21,636 25			Cash received on account of sales,.....		30,005 91
	" St. Louis Bonds,.....	750 00			Cash received on account of interest on Investments,.....		2,366 44
	" Ground-rent, Taxes, and Repairs, on account of Presbyterian House,....	2,158 14			Cash received on account of rents from Presbyterian House,.....		1,727 50
	" Secretary's salary,.....	2,418 32					
	" Traveling expenses of Secretary and Committees,.....	114 85					
	" Insurance,.....	99 00					
	" Advertising, freight, etc.,.....	486 10					
	" Salary of Special Agent for Endowment Fund,.....	1,500 00					
	" Traveling expenses Ag't for End't Fund,	398 11					
			$68,638 16				
	For the Bookstore:						
	For Merchandise,.....	5,509 72					
	" Salaries,.....	1,306 01					
	" Advertising and sundries,.....	181 27					
			6,997 04				
1865.							
April 1.	To Balance to new account,.....		1,558 38				
			$77,193 58				$77,193 58
				1865.			
				April 1.	By Balance to new account,.....		$1,558 38

PHILADELPHIA, April 1, 1865. [E. E.] WM. L. HILDEBURN, *Treasurer*.

V. Miscellaneous.

I. EXPENSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The attention of the Presbyteries is called to the Plan, proposed by the Assembly of 1857, for the raising of an annual Fund, to defray the traveling expenses of Commissioners, and the contingent expenses of the General Assembly.

"The Committee on the Polity of the Church, to whom was referred the consideration of a permanent system of Mileage, presented the following report, which was adopted:

"The Constitution affirms that, 'in order, as far as possible, to procure a respectable and full delegation to all our judicatories, it is proper that the expenses of ministers and elders, in their attendance on these judicatories, be defrayed by the bodies which they respectively represent.'

"The following recommendations are therefore submitted:

"That each Presbytery be earnestly requested to contribute annually their full proportion toward the expenses of our General Assemblies.

"That this proportion be determined by the number of communicants connected with the Presbytery.

"That the rate *per capita* for the next Assembly be five (5) cents for each communicant.

"That each Presbytery be at liberty to apportion their quota among their churches as they shall deem best.

"That the Standing Committee on Mileage, annually appointed, estimate and report the probable amount that will be needed to defray the necessary traveling expenses of the Commissioners, and the contingent expenses, of the next succeeding Assembly, together with the rate that will be adequate.

"That, on or before the fourth day of the sessions of each Assembly, the amount thus contributed be paid to the Committee on Mileage, and a bill be presented, by each Commissioner, of his necessary traveling expenses and mileage.

"That these bills, having been duly audited by the Mileage Committee be paid as fully as the funds will permit, after appropriating an amount sufficient to defray the contingent expenses of the Assembly.

"That each minister and vacant church, connected with those Presbyteries who have contributed their full quota to this fund, be entitled to a copy of the Annual Minutes.

"That, in order to avail themselves of the privileges of this plan, the Presbyteries must contribute and forward to the Assembly their full proportion of this fund as thus determined."

This Plan was adopted after much and careful deliberation. It calls for an annual contribution, from each of our Presbyteries, to the amount, for the Assembly of 1866, of six cents for each of their communicants as reported in the *printed Minutes of the last Assembly*. Although but partially com-

plied with, the wisdom of the Plan has been fully attested. During the past seven years, the Contingent expenses have been fully paid, and an average of eighty-five per cent of the necessary traveling expenses of the Commissioners of the Presbyteries complying with the Plan. Such a result has never before been attained by us, or other General Assemblies. If the Presbyteries will but faithfully comply with the Plan, all the expenses will be fully met. In order to this,

1. Let the Commissioners be instructed to look to the Assembly, and not to their Presbytery, for the payment of their traveling expenses.

2. Let the amount required be apportioned in due season among the churches of the Presbytery, according to their relative ability.

3. Let the Stated Clerk of the Presbytery be charged with the duty of collecting these apportionments, and forwarding the amount in good time to the Assembly.

4. Let the Commissioners of the Presbytery be instructed to pay to the Assembly the full apportionment thus obtained by the Stated Clerk; and to make good any deficiency in the amount, with the assurance of being reimbursed by the Presbytery on their return.

The adoption of such a course will, it is thought, secure a sum amply sufficient to meet all the contingent expenses of the Assembly, and all the necessary traveling expenses of all the Commissioners. It lays but a light burden on the feebler Presbyteries, and cannot prove grievous to the stronger. It is exceedingly desirable that the burden should not be laid on a part only. It is not just that the stronger Presbyteries should decline to bear their full proportion of the burden, whatever it may be.

In case it is found impracticable on the part of any Presbytery to comply with the Plan, a contribution is to be made, to the Contingent Fund of the Assembly, of an amount not less than seventy-five cents for each ministerial member of the Presbytery, according to the Minutes of 1863. (See Minutes of 1864, p. 460. See, also, Minutes of 1865, p. 46.)

II. ANNUAL MINUTES.

The price, as determined by the Assembly of 1864, *is sixty cents*, postage not included. A copy will be sent, without charge, to the Stated Clerk of every Presbytery, and of every Synod; also, to every Minister, and the Session of every vacant church, whose address is known, and whose Presbytery has contributed to the Mileage Fund its full apportionment, or to the Contingent Fund not less than seventy-five cents for each of its Ministers; also, by order of the Assembly of 1863, to each of our Foreign Missionaries.

III. SYNODICAL REPORTS.

A *Statistical Report* is to be forwarded to the Assembly by the Stated Clerk of every Synod, in which are to be stated the number of Presbyteries, ministers, churches, licentiates and candidates within their bounds, and how distributed; the changes which may have been made in the number or arrangement of their Presbyteries; the names of the Stated Clerks of the Presbyteries; the place and hour of the next Annual Meeting; and the names of the Moderator and Stated Clerk of the Synod.

IV. PRESBYTERIAL REPORTS.

It is required of every Presbytery to prepare and forward to the General Assembly—

1. A *Statistical Report*, according to the form exhibited on page 111, of the present Appendix; of which a printed blank will be furnished in due season, by order of the Assembly, to the Stated Clerk of every Presbytery. This report should, if possible, embrace all the changes in the Presbytery previous to the first day of April.

2. *A Narrative of the State of Religion* within the bounds of the Presbytery for the year ending April 1st. These Narratives should specify facts in regard to the particular churches, their state, trials, encouragements, and prospects; how many of them, and which, have enjoyed revivals of religion through the year; in which of them the Catechisms are taught, Sunday-schools and Bible-classes organized, the number of scholars in each, etc.; also the decease, if any, of the ministers of the Presbytery during the year. Also, its various arrangements for Church Extension; stating the number of its ministers, and the particular manner in which they are employed; the number of its churches, and how they are supplied; the gross amount of funds collected in its bounds for Home Missions and Church Erection; the amount received by its churches from the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions, or any Home Missionary Society; the number of houses of worship, with their probable value, whether they are free from debt, and what has been done within the year to relieve them from debt; the number of new churches organized, and new houses of worship erected; what itinerant arrangements have been adopted for preaching the Gospel; what and how much agency has been employed: together with all such other facts and suggestions as will show, from year to year, what has been accomplished, and what may need to be undertaken, to bring all the churches to a proper degree of effort to promote the kingdom of Christ. As the Narratives are not to be publicly read, less care may be given to their style, and more to the detail of particulars, such as will aid the Committee of the Assembly, in preparing their Annual General Narrative of the State of the Church.

V. STATED CLERKS OF PRESBYTERIES.

Attention is requested to the following particulars: Let the Stated Clerk of every Presbytery take special care,

1. That the Commissioners to the Assembly are furnished, in due season, with a *Commission*, according to the model prescribed in the Form of Government, chap. XXII., sec. ii.

2. That its proportion of the Mileage Fund of the Assembly be, also, in due season, apportioned annually by the Presbytery among its churches, and the amount collected and forwarded, by the hands of one of the Commissioners, or by mail to the Stated Clerk of the Assembly.

3. That the *Presbyterial Reports*, specified in the previous article, be duly prepared, *authenticated*, and forwarded. These Reports should be on separate papers, for the convenience of the Assembly in referring them to distinct Committees.

In preparing the Statistical Report, let the following rules be strictly observed:

(1.) Carefully copy the blank form and order of columns, etc., on page 111, if a blank has not been furnished.

(2.) Record Ministers in the order of their *ministerial* age, with their *Christian* names in full; and their address in the adjoining column.

(3.) ☞ Place the name of every Church opposite the name of its Pastor, or Stated Supply; never opposite the name of any other minister; if vacant, place it at the foot of the roll. ☜

(4.) Place after the name of every minister, an Abbreviation, denoting his occupation; e. g.: P., for a Pastor; P. E., for a Pastor Elect; P. C., for a Pastor of a Congregational Church; C. P., for a Colleague Pastor; S. S., for a Stated Supply; H. M., for a Home Missionary; C. M., for a City Missionary; T. M., for a Tract Missionary; S. M., for a Synodical Missionary; S. S. M., for a Sunday-School Missionary; P. M., for a Presbyterial Missionary; F. M., for a Foreign Missionary; Pres., for the President of a College; Chan., for a Chancellor; Prof., for a Professor of a College or Theological Seminary; Sec., for a Secretary, and D. Sec., for a District Secretary, of a benevolent Institution; Ag., for an Agent of do.; Ch., for a Chaplain; Tea., for a Teacher; Ed., for an Editor; W. C., for a Minister without charge; Col., for a Colporteur; Com., for a Commissioner.

(5.) Place after the name of every church the abbreviations, P., for one that has a Pastor; P. E., for one that has a Pastor Elect; S. S., for one that has a Stated Supply; or V., for one that is Vacant.

(6.) If a church fails to report, let the "whole number" of communicants be given as reported to the Synod, or to the last Assembly, with an asterisk (*) in the column of communicants, denoting the fact.

(7.) In the *additions* to the Church, distinguish between those on *examination* and those on *certificate;* in the *baptisms*, between the *adults* and the *infants;* and be careful to observe the order of the columns in which these particulars are recorded.

(8.) In the report of "*Funds*" contributed, observe the directions at the foot of the blank form on the next page, ☞ 111; and omit the fractions of the dollar.

(9.) The *names* of the Licentiates are to be recorded immediately after the list of Ministers, in the same column; but of the candidates—including all who are studying for the ministry under the care of the respective *churches* of the Presbytery—the *number* only is to be given.

(10.) Avoid erasures or interlineations, make names and numbers distinctly legible, and punctuate properly.

(11.) ☞ ADD UP ☜ every column, and *Authenticate* the Report with your *signature.*

(12.) Annex a Statement, with dates, of the licensures, ordinations, installations, dissolutions of pastoral relations, organizations of churches, changes in the names or number of churches, and the decease of licentiates and ministers, since the last annual report.

(13.) Affix no extraneous matter, such as memoranda, explanations, or orders for the delivery of the printed Minutes of the Assembly; let these be given on a separate sheet.

☞ If any thing should prevent the forwarding of the Statistical Report in time for the meeting of the General Assembly, let it be sent, as soon as possible—not later than June 1st—by mail, to the Stated Clerk of the General Assembly, No. 149 West Thirty-Fourth street, New-York City.

FORM OF A PRESBYTERIAL REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The Presbytery of report to the General Assembly, that they consist of Ministers, and have under their care Churches, and Licentiates; and under the care of their Churches Students for the Ministry, viz.:—

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CANDIDATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	COMMUNICANTS.				BAPTISMS.			FUNDS.							
			Added on Examination.	Added on Certificate.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	Adults.	Infants.	S. S. Membership.	General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
John Smith, D.D., P.	C——, N. J.	C——, P.															
Richard Roe, S. S.	P——, "	P——, First, S. S.															
Timothy Brown, W. C.—3.	O——, "	S——, P. E.															
Licentiates.		R——, North, V.—4.															
Edward Jones, S. S.	M——, N. Y.																
Timothy Edwards, Tea.	T——, Ohio.																
John Bliss, Ag.—3.	S——, N. J.																
Candidates, 2.		☞ ADD UP.															

☞ (Annex a statement, in this place, of the licensures, ordinations, installations, dissolutions of pastoral relations, organizations of churches, or any change in the name or number of churches, and the decease of licentiates and ministers, with dates in every case, since the last report.) Attest, JAMES JOHNSON, *Stated Clerk.*

Date.

☞ In the column for Funds, the first six are to include only what is paid to our own treasuries, and for Foreign Missions. The last column is to include what is given for other benevolent objects. The fractions of the dollar are to be omitted.

VI. SUCCESSION OF MODERATORS.

			PRESI
1.	A.D., 1789,	Rev. *John Rodgers, D.D., of	New-Yo
2.	1790,	*Robert Smith, D.D.,	New-Ca
3.	1791,	*John Woodhull, D.D.,	N. Brun
4.	1792,	*John King, D.D.,	Carlisle.
5.	1793,	*James Latta, D.D.,	New-Ca
6.	1794,	*Alexander McWhorter, D.D.,	New-Yo
7.	1795,	*John McKnight, D.D.,	"
8.	1796,	*Robert Davidson,	Carlisle.
9.	1797,	*William M. Tennent, D.D.,	Philadel
10.	1798,	*John Blair Smith, D.D.,	Albany.
11.	1799,	*Sam. Stanhope Smith, D.D., LL.D.,	N. Brun
12.	1800,	*Joseph Clark, D.D.,	"
13.	1801,	*Nathaniel Irwin,	Philadel
14.	1802,	*Azel Roe, D.D.,	New-Yo
15.	1803,	*James Hall, D.D.,	Concord
16.	1804,	*James F. Armstrong,	N. Brur
17.	1805,	*James Richards, D.D.,	New-Yo
18.	1806,	*Samuel Miller, D.D., LL.D.,	"
19.	1807,	*Archibald Alexander, D.D.,	Philadel
20.	1808,	*Philip Milledoler, D.D.,	New-Yo
21.	1809,	*Drury Lacy,	Hanove
22.	1810,	*John Brodhead Romeyn, D.D.,	New-Yo
23.	1811,	Eliphalet Nott, D.D., LL.D.,	Albany.
24.	1812,	*Andrew Flinn, D.D.,	Harmor
25.	1813,	*Samuel Blatchford, D.D.,	Columb
26.	1814,	*James Inglis, D.D.,	Baltimo
27.	1815,	*William Neill, D.D.,	Albany.
28.	1816,	*James Blythe, D.D.,	W. Lex
29.	1817,	*Jonas Coe, D.D.,	Columb
30.	1818,	*Jacob Jones Janeway, D.D.,	Philade
31.	1819,	*John Holt Rice, D.D.,	Hanove
32.	1820,	*John McDowell, D.D.,	Jersey.
33.	1821,	*William Hill, D.D.,	Winche
34.	1822,	*Obadiah Jennings, D.D.,	Steuben
35.	1823,	*John Chester, D.D.,	Albany.
36.	1824,	*Ashbel Green, D.D., LL.D.,	Philade
37.	1825,	*Stephen N. Rowan, D.D.,	New-Yo
38.	1826,	*Thomas McAuley, D.D., LL.D.,	"
39.	1827,	*Francis Herron, D.D.,	Ohio.
40.	1828,	*Ezra Stiles Ely, D.D.,	Philade
41.	1829,	*Benjamin Holt Rice, D.D.,	Hanove
42.	1830,	*Ezra Fisk, D.D.,	Hudsor
43.	1831,	Nathan S. S. Beman, D.D., LL.D.,	Troy.
44.	1832,	*James Hoge, D.D.,	Columb
45.	1833,	*William A. McDowell, D.D.,	Charles
46.	1834,	*Philip Lindsley, D.D.,	W. Ten
47.	1835,	*William W. Phillips, D.D.,	New-Yo
48.	1836,	*John Witherspoon, D.D., LL.D.,	Harmor
49.	1837,	David Elliott, D.D.,	Ohio.
50.	1838,	*Samuel Fisher, D.D.,	Newark
51.	1839,	Baxter Dickinson, D.D.,	Cincinn
52.	1840,	William Wisner, D.D.,	Ithaca.

			PRESBYTERIES.
53.	A.D., 1843, Rev.	Ansel D. Eddy, D.D., of	Newark.
54.	1846,	Samuel Hanson Cox, D.D., LL.D.,	Brooklyn.
55.	1849,	*Philip C. Hay, D.D.,	Tioga.
56.	1850,	David H. Riddle, D.D.,	Pittsburgh.
57.	1851,	Albert Barnes,	Philadel., 4th.
58.	1852,	William Adams, D.D.,	N. York, 4th.
59.	1853,	D. Howe Allen, D.D.,	Cincinnati.
60.	1854,	Thomas H. Skinner, D.D., LL.D.,	N. York, 3d.
61.	1855,	William C. Wisner, D.D.,	Niagara.
62.	1856,	Laurens P. Hickok, D.D.,	Troy.
63.	1857,	Samuel W. Fisher, D.D.,	Cincinnati.
64.	1858,	Matthew L. P. Thompson, D.D.,	Buffalo.
65.	1859,	Robert W. Patterson, D.D.,	Chicago.
66.	1860,	Thornton A. Mills,	Indianapolis.
67.	1861,	Jonathan B. Condit, D.D.,	Cayuga.
68.	1862,	George Duffield, D.D.,	Detroit.
69.	1863,	Henry B. Smith, D.D.,	N. York, 4th.
70.	1864,	Thomas Brainerd, D.D.,	Philadel., 4th.
71.	1865,	James B. Shaw, D.D.,	Rochester.

VII. SUCCESSION OF STATED CLERKS.

			PRESBYTERIES.
1.	A.D., 1788, Rev.	*George Duffield, D.D., of	Philadelphia.
2.	1790,	*Ashbel Green, D.D., LL.D.,	"
3.	1803,	*Philip Milledoler, D.D.,	"
4.	1806,	*Nathaniel Irwin,	"
5.	1807,	*Jacob Jones Janeway, D.D.,	"
6.	1817,	*William Neill, D.D.,	"
7.	1825,	*Ezra Stiles Ely, D.D.,	"
8.	1836,	*John McDowell, D.D.,	"
9.	1838,	*Erskine Mason, D.D.,	New-York, 3d.
10.	1846,	Edwin Francis Hatfield, D.D.,	"

VIII. SUCCESSION OF PERMANENT CLERKS.

			PRESBYTERIES.
1.	A.D., 1802, Rev.	*Nathaniel Irwin, of	Pennsylvania.
2.	1807,	*John Ewing Latta,	New-Castle.
3.	1825,	*John McDowell, D.D.,	Elizabethtown.
4.	1837,	John M. Krebs, D.D.,	New-York.
5.	1838,	*Eliphalet W. Gilbert, D.D.,	Philadel., 4th.
6.	1854,	Henry Darling, D.D.,	" 3d.
7.	1864,	J. Glentworth Butler, D.D.	" 3d.

VI. Statistical Reports.

I. OF THE SYNODS.

SYNODS.	PRESBYTERIES.	PLACE OF MEETING.	TIME OF MEETING.	MODERATORS.	STATED CLERKS.
I. ALBANY.	Champlain, Troy, Albany, Columbia, Catskill.—5.	Schaghticoke, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Alanson D. Barber.	A. Bordman Lambert, D.D.
II. UTICA.	St. Lawrence, Watertown, Oswego, Utica.—4.	Watertown, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Joseph N. McGiffert.	William E. Knox.
III. ONONDAGA.	Onondaga, Cayuga, Cortland, Tioga.—4.	Syracuse, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	George N. Boardman.	Lewis H. Reid.
IV. GENEVA.	Geneva, Steuben, Chemung, Ithaca, Wellsborough, Lyons.—6.	Palmyra, N. Y.	Sept., last Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Franklin S. Howe.	Benjamin M. Goldsmith.
V. SUSQUEHANNA.	Otsego, Chenango, Delaware.—3.	Franklin, N. Y.	Sept., 3d Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Elroy Curtis.	Willard M. Hoyt.
VI. GENESEE.	Buffalo, Ontario, Rochester, Genesee, Niagara, Angelica.—6.	Lima, N. Y.	Sept., 2d Tuesday, 1865, 4 P.M.	Henry E. Niles.	Timothy Stillman, D.D.
VII. NEW-YORK AND NEW-JERSEY.	Hudson, North River, Long Island, N. York, 3d, N. York, 4th, Brooklyn, Newark, Rockaway, Montrose.—9.	Orange, N. J.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Francis B. Wheeler.	Obadiah M. Johnson.
VIII. PENNSYLVANIA.	Wilmington, Philadelphia, 3d, Philadelphia, 4th, Harrisburgh, District of Columbia.—5.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Beriah B. Hotchkin.	William E. Moore.
IX. W. PENNSYLVANIA.	Erie, Meadville, Pittsburgh.—3.	Birmingham, Pa.	Sept., 4th Friday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Joseph S. Travelli.	George A. Lyon, D.D.
X. MICHIGAN.	Detroit, Monroe, Marshall, Washtenaw, Kalamazoo, Coldwater, Saginaw, Gr'd River Valley, Lake Superior.—9.	Kalamazoo, Mich.	Oct., last Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Wm. Hogarth, D.D.	William S. Taylor.
XI. WESTERN RESERVE.	G. River, Huron, Trumbull, Cleveland and Portage, Medina, Elyria, Maumee.—7.	Elyria, Ohio.	Oct., Friday after 2d Tuesday, 1865, 2 P.M.	Franklin Maginnis.	Xenophon Betts.
XII. OHIO.	Athens, Pataskala, Franklin, Scioto.—4.	Portsmouth, Ohio.	Sept., last Friday, 1865, 7 P.M.	A. Kingsbury, D.D.	Addison Kingsbury, D.D.
XIII. CINCINNATI.	Cincinnati, Ripley, Dayton, Hamilton.—4.	Cincinnati, Ohio.	Oct., 3d Friday, 1865, 11 A.M.	William M. Cheever.	William M. Cheever.

XIV. INDIANA.	Salem, Madison, Indianapolis, Greencastle.—4.	Madison, Ind.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Thomas S. Milligan.	John M. Bishop.
XV. WABASH.	Crawfordsville, St. Joseph, Logansport, Fort Wayne.—4.	Plymouth, Ind.	Oct., 3d Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	George C. Noyes.	Francis S. McCabe.
XVI. ILLINOIS.	Illinois, Schuyler, Wabash, Alton.—4.	Shelbyville, Ill.	Oct., 1st Thursday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Timothy Hill.	George C. Wood.
XVII. PEORIA.	Ottawa, Knox, Galena and Belvidere, Chicago, Bloomington.—5.	Waukegan, Ill.	Oct., 3d Thursday, 1865, 7 P.M.	John W. Bailey.	Zeph. M. Humphrey, D.D.
XVIII. WISCONSIN.	Milwaukee, Fox River, Columbus.—3.	Neenah, Wis.	Sept., 3d Thursday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Hiram H. Kellogg.	Benjamin G. Riley.
XIX. IOWA.	Des Moines, Keokuk, Iowa City, Dubuque, Chariton, Cedar Valley.—6.	Lyons, Ia.	Sept., 2d Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Milton H. Dysart.	Samuel Storrs Howe.
XX. MINNESOTA.	Dakota, Minnesota, Winona.—3.	Chatfield, Minn.	Sept., last Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	John Peck.	Charles S. Le Duc.
XXI. MISSOURI.	St. Louis, Lexington, Northern Missouri, Kansas.—4.	St. Louis, Mo.	Oct., 1st Friday, 1865, 11 A.M.	James Brownlee.	Henry A. Nelson, D.D.
XXII. TENNESSEE.	Union, Kingston, Holston.—3.	New-Market, Tenn.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1865, 11 A.M.		
XXIII. ALTA CALIFORNIA.	San Francisco, San José, Sierra Nevada, Washoe.—4.	San Francisco, Cal.	Oct., 1st Wednesday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	George Pierson, M.D.	Edward B. Walsworth.

KEY TO THE ABBREVIATIONS, &c., IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE.

An asterisk, (*) attached to the name of a Presbytery, denotes that no Report has been received from that Presbytery the present year, and that the deficiency is supplied from the last Report rendered, and other sources, if any. An asterisk is also attached to the number of Communicants, when a *Church* has failed to render a Report, and the deficiency is supplied in like manner. The same sign attached to the first column shows the *whole number of Additions*, both on Examination and Certificate, no distinction having been made in the Presbyterial Report. The same sign, in the "General Assembly" column, shows the excess of the payment to the Assembly above the sum reported.

The following abbreviations also are used: P., for *Pastor;* P. E., for *Pastor Elect;* C. P., for *Colleague Pastor;* P. C., for *Pastor of a Congregational Church;* S. S., for *Stated Supply;* W. C., for *Without Charge;* Ag., for *Agent;* H. M., for *Home Missionary;* C. M., for *City Missionary;* T. M., for *Tract Missionary;* P. M., for *Presbyterial Missionary;* S. M., for *Synodical Missionary;* S. S. M., for *Sunday-School Missionary;* F. M., for *Foreign Missionary;* Pres., for *President;* Chan., for *Chancellor;* Prof., for *Professor;* Tea., for *Teacher;* Ed., for *Editor;* Ch., for *Chaplain;* Sec., for *Secretary* of a Benevolent Society; D. Sec., for *District Secretary;* Col., for *Colporteur;* Com., for *Commissioner;* and V., for a *Vacant* Church.

II. OF THE PRESBYTERIES.

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CANDIDATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	COMMUNICANTS.				BAP'D.		S.S Membership.	FUNDS CONTRIBUTED.							
			Added on Examination.	Added on Certificate.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	Adults.	Infants.		General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
I. Synod of Albany.																	
1. *Presb. of Champlain.*																	
Moses Chase, W. C.	Plattsburgh, N. Y.																
Rufus R. Deming, W. C.	Constable, "																
Moses Thacher, S. S.	Peru, "	Peru, S. S.	1		50		1	3		2 00		6					10
Silas R. Woodruff, W. C.	Plattsburgh, "																
Stephen H. Williams, P. C.	North-Hero, Vt.																
Charles M. Seaton, P. C.	Charlotte, "																
Joseph T. Willett, P.	Essex, N. Y.	Essex, P.	1	4	102					5 00	60						42
Zebulon M. P. Luther, W. C.	Vineland, N. J.																
Cyrenius Ransom, P.	Moriah, N. Y.	Port Henry, P.	3	2	30		2	11		1 00							219
Andrew M. Millar, S. S.	Chateaugay, "	Chateaugay, S. S.		5	99					5 00		31					60
Benjamin Marvin, W. C.	Bangor, "																
Jonathan Copeland, P.	Champlain, "	Champlain, P.	2	1	190	112			250	10 00	92	351	22			1200	779
Asahel Bronson, S. S.	Ticonderoga, "																
George T. Everest, S. S.	Au Sable Forks, "	Au Sable Forks, S. S.		1	48					3 00			15				80
John Bradshaw, P. C.	Crown Point, "																
Alanson D. Barber, W. C.	Williston, Vt.																
Edwin A. Bulkley, P.	Plattsburgh, N. Y.	Plattsburgh, P.	1	7	240	80			125	12 00		50				2000	350
Royal G. Wilder, F. M.	Kolapoor, India.																
John R. Herrick, P.	Malone, N. Y.	Malone, P.	1	4	411		1	3		9 00	329	645					469

Asa E. Everest, Ch.	Mooers, N. Y.															
Silas G. Randall, W. C.	Rockford, Ill.															
Henry E. Butler, S. S.—22.	Keeseville, N. Y.	Keeseville, S. S.		7	141				7 00		63					133
		Mooers, S. S.			81					25						155
		Redford, V.			*33											
		Beekmantown, S. S.			*150				5 00							
		Fort Covington, V.			*138											
		Ellenburgh, S. S.	5	5	39	3			2 00	41	9					5
		Constable, S. S.	5		56	2			3 00							26
		Burke, S. S.			*29											40
		Moira, S. S.		2	46				2 00		41					3
		Chazy, V.—18.			*75						59					47
			19	38	1958	192	9	17	375	66 00	547	1255	37			3200	2418
2. *Presb. of Troy.*																
Nathan S. S. Beman, D.D., LL.D., P. Em.	Carbondale, Ill.															
Jonathan Harris Noble, P.	Schaghticoke, N. Y.	Schaghticoke, P.	7	2	223	2	3		10 00	150	130		114			163
Laurens P. Hickok, D.D., V. Pres.	Schenectady, "															
A. Bordman Lambert, D.D., P.	Salem, "	Salem, P.	12	2	180	3	2		9 40	25	187	10	60			200
Lewis Kellogg, P.	Whitehall, "	Whitehall, P.	10		236	3	8		12 00	84	227	25	42			75
Andrew Jackson Fennel, P.	Glenn's Falls, "	Glenn's Falls, P.			*214											
Chauncey H. Hubbard, S. S.	Bennington, Vt.															
Selden Haines, W. C.	Rome, N. Y.															
Rufus C. Clapp, W. C.	Chestertown, "															
Robert Day, Ch.	Nassau, "															
Peter Gordon, W. C.	South-Easton, "															
Jotham Sewall, S. S.	North-Granville, "	North-Granville, S. S.	2	6	74	2	1		3 50	38	65	10				33
Samuel M. Wood, S. S.	Eagle Mills, "	Brunswick, S. S.	4		*100	2			5 00	40	34	5				21
Waters Warren, S. S.																
Joseph Hurlbut, S. S.																
John Newbanks, W. C.	Troy, "															
Jacob A. Prime, P.	Troy, "	Troy, Liberty st., P.	7		50	3	2			7		2				20

MINISTERS & LICENTIATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	Added on Exam.	Added on Certif.	Whole No.	Unknown.	BAP'D. Adults.	BAP'D. Infants.	S. S. Mem.	General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publicat'n.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
P. Mason Bartlett, S. S.	Williamstown, Mass.																
Abner De Witt, P.	Hoosick Falls, N. Y.	Hoosick Falls, P.			*167					8 35							
Henry M. Swift, S. S.																	
John Turbitt, S. S.	Concord, Mich.																
Marvin R. Vincent, P.	Troy, N. Y.	Troy, First, P.	22	16	650		15	1		25 00	1388	480	66	537		4537	967
James M. Crawford, Ch.	Argyle, "																
John Peter Roe, Ch.	Cornwall, "																
Henry S. Redfield, S. S.																	
Charles S. Marvin, S. S.																	
Joshua B. Hall, P.	Tomhannock, "	Pittstown, P.			24						10			23			60
		Johnsonville, P.	21	3	47		17	1			10			10			47
Charles F. Dowd, Tea.—28.	North-Granville, "																
Licentiates.																	
Eli T. Mack, Tea.	Flatbush, L. I.																
Charles D. Flagler, S. S.—2.	Chestertown, N. Y.	Chestertown, S. S.			*61												
		Middle Granville, V.			*70												
Candidates, 3.		Lansingb'h, Olivet, V.	9	6	106		2				200	100	50	62			682
		Hebron, V.			*37												
		Warrensburgh, S. S.	9	1	*40					2 25	7	12		6			8
		Fort Ann, V.															
		Bolton, V.—18.															
			103	36	2279		49	19		75 50	1959	1235	168	854		4537	2276
3. *Presb. of Albany.*																	
Charles Doolittle, P.	West-Nassau, N. Y.	West-Nassau, P.		1	52			1	60	2 80	58	3	61	34			
Philander Barbour, P. E.	Brainerd, "	East-Nassau & Brainerd, P. E.	10		82		8	4	180	4 00	415	50	10	50	10	30	42

Henry Darling, D.D., P.	**Albany, N. Y.**	**Albany, Fourth, P.**	26	22	712		11	11	705	43	80	1269	570	231	1392		293		
Lumas H. Pease, S. S.	**Bachelorville, "**	**Edinburgh, S. S.**			*127														
Stephen Bush, W. C.	**Waterford, "**																		
Frederick S. Jewell, Prof.	**Albany, "**																		
Zerah T. Hoyt, S. S.	**Greenfi'd Centre, "**																		
Frederick W. Flint, P.	**Cohocs, "**	**Cohocs, P.**	9	9	194		1	13	326	11	50	34	40	33	120		304		
William Whittaker, S. S.	**Greenbush, "**	**Greenbush, S. S.**			*167														
Daniel C. Frost, S. S.	**Putnam, Ct.**																		
William H. Carr, Ch.	**Albany, N. Y.**																		
John P. Cushman, P. C.—12.	**Brighton, Mass.**																		
		Stephentown, S. S.			*64														
Candidate, 1.		**Mechanicsville, S. S.**		4	61			5	82				2						
		Sand Lake, V.			*59														
		Moreau, V.			*40														
		West-Troy, V.—11.			*60														
			45	36	1618		20	34	1353	62	10	1776	665	335	1596	10	627	42	
4. *Presb. of Columbia.*																			
Brainerd Kent, W. C.	**Chicago, Ill.**																		
John Whitney, S. S.	**Canaan Four C., N. Y.**	**Canaan Centre, S. S.**	1		43	10		4	30	2	35	15	33				500	31	
William S. Leavitt, P.	**Hudson, "**	**Hudson, P.**	5	1	359	40	3	5	200	18	15	39	346	32			3200	1925	
Charles S. Sylvester, S. S.	**Richmond, Mass.**																		
Charles T. Berry, P.	**Valatie, N. Y.**	**Valatie, P.**	18	4	233	61	6	3	150	11	00	32	100				1644	60	
William H. Clark, W. C.	**Spencertown, "**																		
Allen Fraser, S. S.	**Corfu, "**																		
John McVey, P.—8.	**New-Lebanon, "**	**New-Lebanon, P.**	7		58	12	1	2	80	2	50								
		Hillsdale, V.			*60					3	00								
		Spencertown, V.—6.	3	2	61		1	3	90	2	95	25	23	5	10	51	733	35	
			34	7	814	123	11	17	550	39	95	111	502	37	10	51	6077	2051	

VI. Statistical Reports.

I. OF THE SYNODS.

SYNODS.	PRESBYTERIES.	PLACE OF MEETING.	TIME OF MEETING.	MODERATORS.	STATED CLERKS.
I. ALBANY.	Champlain, Troy, Albany, Columbia, Catskill.—5.	Schaghticoke, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Alanson D. Barber.	A. Bordman Lambert, D.D.
II. UTICA.	St. Lawrence, Watertown, Oswego, Utica.—4.	Watertown, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Joseph N. McGiffert.	William E. Knox.
III. ONONDAGA.	Onondaga, Cayuga, Cortland, Tioga.—4.	Syracuse, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	George N. Boardman.	Lewis H. Reid.
IV. GENEVA.	Geneva, Steuben, Chemung, Ithaca, Wellsborough, Lyons.—6.	Palmyra, N. Y.	Sept., last Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Franklin S. Howe.	Benjamin M. Goldsmith.
V. SUSQUEHANNA.	Otsego, Chenango, Delaware.—3.	Franklin, N. Y.	Sept., 3d Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Elroy Curtis.	Willard M. Hoyt.
VI. GENESEE.	Buffalo, Ontario, Rochester, Genesee, Niagara, Angelica.—6.	Lima, N. Y.	Sept., 2d Tuesday, 1865, 4 P.M.	Henry E. Niles.	Timothy Stillman, D.D.
VII. NEW-YORK AND NEW-JERSEY.	Hudson, North River, Long Island, N. York, 3d, N. York, 4th, Brooklyn, Newark, Rockaway, Montrose.—9.	Orange, N. J.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Francis B. Wheeler.	Obadiah M. Johnson.
VIII. PENNSYLVANIA.	Wilmington, Philadelphia, 3d, Philadelphia, 4th, Harrisburgh, District of Columbia.—5.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Beriah B. Hotchkin.	William E. Moore.
IX. W. PENNSYLVANIA.	Erie, Meadville, Pittsburgh.—3.	Birmingham, Pa.	Sept., 4th Friday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Joseph S. Travelli.	George A. Lyon, D.D.
X. MICHIGAN.	Detroit, Monroe, Marshall, Washtenaw, Kalamazoo, Coldwater, Saginaw, Gr'd River Valley, Lake Superior.—9.	Kalamazoo, Mich.	Oct., last Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Wm. Hogarth, D.D.	William S. Taylor.
XI. WESTERN RESERVE.	G. River, Huron, Trumbull, Cleveland and Portage, Medina, Elyria, Maumee.—7.	Elyria, Ohio.	Oct., Friday after 2d Tuesday, 1865, 2 P.M.	Franklin Maginnis.	Xenophon Betts.
XII. OHIO.	Athens, Pataskala, Franklin, Scioto.—4.	Portsmouth, Ohio.	Sept., last Friday, 1865, 7 P.M.	A. Kingsbury, D.D.	Addison Kingsbury, D.D.
XIII. CINCINNATI.	Cincinnati, Ripley, Dayton, Hamilton.—4.	Cincinnati, Ohio.	Oct., 3d Friday, 1865, 11 A.M.	William M. Cheever.	William M. Cheever.

XIV. INDIANA.	Salem, Madison, Indianapolis, Greencastle.—4.	Madison, Ind.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Thomas S. Milligan.	John M. Bishop.
XV. WABASH.	Crawfordsville, St. Joseph, Logansport, Fort Wayne.—4.	Plymouth, Ind.	Oct., 3d Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	George C. Noyes.	Francis S. McCabe.
XVI. ILLINOIS.	Illinois, Schuyler, Wabash, Alton.—4.	Shelbyville, Ill.	Oct., 1st Thursday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Timothy Hill.	George C. Wood.
XVII. PEORIA.	Ottawa, Knox, Galena and Belvidere, Chicago, Bloomington.—5.	Waukegan, Ill.	Oct., 3d Thursday, 1865, 7 P.M.	John W. Bailey.	Zeph. M. Humphrey, D.D.
XVIII. WISCONSIN.	Milwaukee, Fox River, Columbus.—3.	Neenah, Wis.	Sept., 3d Thursday, 1865, 7 P.M.	Hiram H. Kellogg.	Benjamin G. Riley.
XIX. IOWA.	Des Moines, Keokuk, Iowa City, Dubuque, Charlton, Cedar Valley.—6.	Lyons, Ia.	Sept., 2d Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	Milton H. Dysart.	Samuel Storrs Howe.
XX. MINNESOTA.	Dakota, Minnesota, Winona.—3.	Chatfield, Minn.	Sept., last Thursday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	John Peck.	Charles S. Le Duc.
XXI. MISSOURI.	St. Louis, Lexington, Northern Missouri, Kansas.—4.	St. Louis, Mo.	Oct., 1st Friday, 1865, 11 A.M.	James Brownlee.	Henry A. Nelson, D.D.
XXII. TENNESSEE.	Union, Kingston, Holston.—3.	New-Market, Tenn.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1865, 11 A.M.		
XXIII. ALTA CALIFORNIA.	San Francisco, San José, Sierra Nevada, Washoe.—4.	San Francisco, Cal.	Oct., 1st Wednesday, 1865, 7½ P.M.	George Pierson, M.D.	Edward B. Walsworth.

KEY TO THE ABBREVIATIONS, &c., IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE.

An asterisk, (*) attached to the name of a Presbytery, denotes that no Report has been received from that Presbytery the present year, and that the deficiency is supplied from the last Report rendered, and other sources, if any. An asterisk is also attached to the number of Communicants, when a *Church* has failed to render a Report, and the deficiency is supplied in like manner. The same sign attached to the first column shows the *whole number of Additions*, both on Examination and Certificate, no distinction having been made in the Presbyterial Report. The same sign, in the "General Assembly" column, shows the excess of the payment to the Assembly above the sum reported.

The following abbreviations also are used: P., for *Pastor;* P. E., for *Pastor Elect;* C. P., for *Colleague Pastor;* P. C., for *Pastor of a Congregational Church;* S. S., for *Stated Supply;* W. C., for *Without Charge;* Ag., for *Agent;* H. M., for *Home Missionary;* C. M., for *City Missionary;* T. M., for *Tract Missionary;* P. M., for *Presbyterial Missionary;* S. M., for *Synodical Missionary;* S. S. M., for *Sunday-School Missionary;* F. M., for *Foreign Missionary;* Pres., for *President;* Chan., for *Chancellor;* Prof., for *Professor;* Tea., for *Teacher;* Ed., for *Editor;* Ch., for *Chaplain;* Sec., for *Secretary* of a Benevolent Society; D. Sec., for *District Secretary;* Col., for *Colporteur;* Com., for *Commissioner;* and V., for a *Vacant* Church.

II. OF THE PRESBYTERIES.

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CANDIDATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	COMMUNICANTS.				BAP'D.		S.S Membership.	FUNDS CONTRIBUTED.							
			Added on Examination.	Added on Certificate.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	Adults.	Infants.		General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
I. Synod of Albany.																	
1. *Presb. of Champlain.*																	
Moses Chase, W. C.	Plattsburgh, N. Y.																
Rufus R. Deming, W. C.	Constable, "																
Moses Thacher, S. S.	Peru, "	Peru, S. S.	1		50		1	3		2 00		6					10
Silas R. Woodruff, W. C.	Plattsburgh, "																
Stephen H. Williams, P. C.	North-Hero, Vt.																
Charles M. Seaton, P. C.	Charlotte, "																
Joseph T. Willett, P.	Essex, N. Y.	Essex, P.	1	4	102					5 00	60						42
Zebulon M. P. Luther, W. C.	Vineland, N. J.																
Cyrenius Ransom, P.	Moriah, N. Y.	Port Henry, P.	3	2	30		2	11		1 00							219
Andrew M. Millar, S. S.	Chateaugay, "	Chateaugay, S. S.		5	99					5 00		31					60
Benjamin Marvin, W. C.	Bangor, "																
Jonathan Copeland, P.	Champlain, "	Champlain, P.	2	1	190	112			250	10 00	92	351	22			1200	779
Asahel Bronson, S. S.	Ticonderoga, "																
George T. Everest, S. S.	Au Sable Forks, "	Au Sable Forks, S. S.		1	48					3 00			15				80
John Bradshaw, P. C.	Crown Point, "																
Alanson D. Barber, W. C.	Williston, Vt.																
Edwin A. Bulkley, P.	Plattsburgh, N. Y.	Plattsburgh, P.	1	7	240	80			125	12 00		50				2000	350
Royal G. Wilder, F. M.	Kolapoor, India.																
John R. Herrick, P.	Malone, N. Y.	Malone, P.	1	4	411		1	3		9 00	329	645					109

4. *Presb. of Utica.*																		
David Chassell, D.D., W. C.	Holland Patent, N. Y.																	
Charles F. Butler, W. C.	Verona, "																	
Ely Burchard, W. C.	Clinton, "																	
Augustus L. Chapin, S. S.	Amsterdam, "																	
Henry Boynton, W. C.	Clinton, "																	
Samuel W. Brace, Ag.	Utica, "																	
Theodore Spencer, W. C.	" "																	
Philemon H. Fowler, D.D., P.	" "	Utica, P.	18	18	529	5	8			1470	1721	185	431			3982		
Samuel W. Fisher, D.D., Pres.	Clinton, "	Hamilton College, S.S.	4	6	47	1					20					5		
Nich. W Goertner, D.D., Com.	" "																	
Samuel W Raymond, W. C.	" "																	
A. Delos Gridley W. C.	" "																	
William E. Knox, P.	Rome, "	Rome, P.	3	12	333	1	3	15	50	171	265	30	137			280		
Jonathan B. Hubbard, P.	Whitesboro, "	Whitesboro, P.	2	4	146	1				30	40		32			65		
Franklin A. Spencer, S. S.	Terryville, Ct.																	
Daniel Gibbs, W. C. *In trans.*																		
Elliot H. Payson, P. C.	Oxford, N. Y.																	
Amos W Seeley, W. C.	Brooklyn, (E.D.), "																	
Chester Fitch, P.	New-York Mills, "	New-York Mills, P.			140		2			149	100							
Moses E. Dunham, S. S.	Westmoreland, "																	
Albert H. Corliss, P.	Holland Patent, "	Holland Patent, P.	39	5	132			7	35	106	73		41			69		
Elijah H. Bonney, S. S.	Vernon Centre, "	Vernon Centre, S. S.			150													
Joseph N. McGiffert, P.	Sauquoit, "	Sauquoit, P.	7	2	128	2	2	6	35	69	77		12			343		
T. Dwight Hunt, P. E.	Niles, Mich.																	
Charles Jerome, Ag.	Clinton, N. Y.																	
William N McHarg, Prof.	" "																	
Anson Gleason, C. M.	Brooklyn, "																	
Wilson B. Parmelee, P.	Westernville, "	Westernville, P.	3	1	93	2	2	4	50	33	123	26	46			245		
Elizur N. Manley, P.	Booneville, "	Booneville, P.	15	4	175	4	8	8	00	100	100	20	25			50		
Michael V. D. Waters, S. S.	Gravesville, "																	
Edwin E. Williams, P. C.	Warsaw, "																	
W. Frederick Williams, F. M.	Mardin, E. Turkey, A.																	

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Edward B. Furbish, P.	New-Hartford, N. Y.	New-Hartford, P.	17	1	128		4	3		38 58				37			8
Henry Hickok, W. C.	Vernon, "																
James B. Fisher, S. S.	Lyons' Falls, "	Lyons' Falls, S. S.	1		29					1 45	16		3				
Albert Erdman, P.	Clinton, "	Clinton, P.			230												
Gavin P. Hamilton, P.	Vernon, "	Vernon P.	1	4	*62						25	40		30			10
Dillon Williams, W. C.	Cleveland, "																
John Campbell, S. S.	Taberg, "	Taberg, S. S.			*28												
William S. Franklin, P. E.	Camden, "	Camden, P. E.			*380												
Benjamin F. Willoughby, P. E.	Augusta, "																
Charles C. Kimball, S. S.—42.	Leroy, "																
		Fairfield, V.															
		Boothe, V.															
		Florence, V.			*15												
		Russia, V.			*28												
		S. Trenton, S. S.			*22												
		Deerfield, S. S.			*40												
		Norwich Corners, S.S.			19												
		Trenton, V.			19												
		Verona, V.		1	126			1			11		20	10			
		Clayville, S. S.	1	1	86												
Licentiates.		Waterville, V.	4	3	146		1			7 40	62	74	23				120
		North-Bay, V.			*25												
David A. Holbrook, Tea.	Clinton, N. Y.	Osceola, S. S.			*18												
Anson J. Upson, Prof.	" "	Newport, V.—30.															
William Walcott Wetmore, S.S.	Ann Arbor, Mich.																
S. S. Vischer,	Rome, N. Y.		115	62	3274		21	29		89 13	2242	2633	307	801			5177
J. B. McLean, Tut.	Clinton, "																
Archibald Crawford.—6.	Connaught, Ireland.																
Candidates, 10.																	

Stephen Bush, W. C.	Waterford, "																		
Frederick S. Jewell, Prof.	Albany, "																		
Zerah T. Hoyt, S. S.	Greenfi'd Centre, "																		
Frederick W. Flint, P.	Cohoes, "	Cohoes, P.	9	9	194		1	13	326	11	50	34	40	33	120		304		
William Whittaker, S. S.	Greenbush, "	Greenbush, S. S.			*167														
Daniel C. Frost, S. S.	Putnam, Ct.																		
William H. Carr, Ch.	Albany, N. Y.																		
John P. Cushman, P. C.—12.	Brighton, Mass.																		
		Stephentown, S. S.			*64														
Candidate, 1.		Mechanicsville, S. S.		4	61			5	82				2						
		Sand Lake, V.			*59														
		Moreau, V.			*40														
		West-Troy, V.—11.			*60														
			45	36	1618		20	34	1353	62	10	1776	665	335	1596	10	627	42	
4. *Presb. of Columbia.*																			
Brainerd Kent, W. C.	Chicago, Ill.																		
John Whitney, S. S.	Canaan Four C., N. Y.	Canaan Centre, S. S.	1		43	10		4	30	2	35	15	33				500	31	
William S. Leavitt, P.	Hudson, "	Hudson, P.	5	1	359	40	3	5	200	18	15	39	346	32			3200	1925	
Charles S. Sylvester, S. S.	Richmond, Mass.																		
Charles T. Berry, P.	Valatie, N. Y.	Valatie, P.	18	4	233	61	6	3	150	11	00	32	100				1644	60	
William H. Clark, W. C.	Spencertown, "																		
Allen Fraser, S. S.	Corfu, "																		
John McVey, P.—8.	New-Lebanon, "	New-Lebanon, P.	7		58	12	1	2	80	2	50								
		Hillsdale, V.			*60					3	00								
		Spencertown, V.—6.	3	2	61		1	3	90	2	95	25	23	5	10	51	733	35	
			34	7	814	123	11	17	550	39	95	111	502	37	10	51	6077	2051	

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5. *Presb. of Catskill.*																	
Linus H. Fellows, W. C	Vinton, Iowa.																
Leonard B. Van Dyck, W. C.	Coxsackie, N. Y.																
John B. Fish, W. C.	Catskill, "																
John Moase, Col.	Middleburgh, "																
Andrew P. Freese, W. C.	Acra, "																
Alex. O. Peloubet, *In transitu*,	Mecklenburgh, "																
John O. Wells, P.	Greenville, "	Greenville, P.	4	2	120		2	1		8 00	54	20				30	349
George A Howard, P.	Catskill, "	Catskill, P.	2	3	222			3	100		313	206		425		2050	553
Charles O. Reynolds, W. C.																	
Alvin Cooper, S. S.	Durham, "	Durham, Second, S. S.	3	1	72	5		2	50	4 00	102	65	10	18		500	257
William Addy, S. S.	Windham Centre, "	Windham Centre, S.S.	2		101			1	134	8 00		45					112
William Hart, P.—12.	Malden, "	Malden, P.	5	2	37	3		4	70	5 00	85	636		50		1100	160
		Rensselaerville, S. S.	2		75		1		75	3 00	25						8
Candidate, 1.		Ashland, S. S.	1		40	6		1	65	3 61		10		2		200	37
		Durham, First, V.			153	7		2	191	10 00	112	135	74	12		652	642
		Cairo, V.			78				48	4 00	5	10	5				14
		Centerville, V.			70	3				2 00							
		Hunter, V.			*108					4 00	40					850	
		Livingstonville, V.			38				40	2 00	13					60	20
		E. Windham, V.—13.			33			1	56	2 00	10						140
			19	8	1147	24	3	15	829	57 20	759	1127	89	507		5442	2294
II. Synod of Utica.																	
1. *Presb. of St. Lawrence.*																	
Rufus Pratt, W. C.	Dorset, Vt.																
Elijah W. Plumb, D.D., Tea.	Potsdam, N. Y.																

Herman C. Riggs, P.	Potsdam, "	Potsdam, P.	6	7	192		3	3	200	10	00	68	158	17			1500	222
John W. Whitfield, S. S.	Waddington, "	Waddington, S. S.	7		56			5		3	00		12					30
Samuel W. Pratt, P.—9.	Brasher Falls, "	Brasher Falls, P.	16	2	52	8	5		75	2	60	32	155	6			500	350
		De Kalb, S. S.	3		18		3				90							
		Herman, V.—8.			23					1	05							3
			43	17	724	8	13	18	550	37	80	348	569	23	6		3057	1235
2. *Presb. of Watertown.*																		
Sylvester Holmes, W. C.	New-Bedford, Mass.																	
Calvin Yale, W. C.	Martinsburgh, N. Y.																	
Isaac Brayton, D.D., W. C.	Albany, "																	
George Kerr, LL.D., Tea.	Cooperstown, "																	
Alvan Parmelee, S. S.	Woodville, "																	
James H. Carruth, W. C.	Osawatomie, Kan.																	
Joseph A. Canfield, Ch.	Dannemora, N. Y.																	
J. Jermain Porter, P.	Watertown, "	Watertown, First, P.	5	10	265		1	2	150	28	00	95	513	75	193		2200	1419
Enos Wood, S. S.	Dexter, "	Dexter, S. S.			51	6			100	3	00						400	65
		Brownville, S. S.			19				40	3	00						275	24
Lyman B. Waldo, W. C.	Adams, N. Y.																	
Phineas C. Headley, S. S.	Waterville, Me.																	
Homer B. Morgan, F. M.	Antioch, Syria.																	
Samuel L. Merrell, S. S.	Theresa, N. Y.	Theresa, S. S.			100				50	4	00	12	14	15	12		35	
		Plessis, S. S.	1		93				60	6	00	15	16	8			50	9
										*2	25							
Wm. H. Lockwood, *In trans.*	Eauclaire, Wis.																	
Richard G. Keyes, W. C.	Watertown, N. Y.																	
John McLeish, Jr., *In trans.*																		
George W. Mackie, P.	Adams, N. Y.	Adams, P.	1	3	226		1	1	150	12	00							50
Hiram Hill, S. S.	Cape Vincent, "	Cape Vincent, S. S.	1		86				113	4	00	11		6				167
George D. Baker, P.	Watertown, "	Watertown, Sec., P.	4	4	174		1	8	120	8	00	70	72	20	15		17,000	81

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William Campbell, P.	Chaumont, N. Y.	Chaumont, P.	8	1	61	19	7		160	4 00				6		130	17
		Le Ray, S. S.			*49												
		Philadelphia, S. S.			22				41								
		Lowville, P. E.	2	1	136					12 00							
		Turin, S. S.			67				80	4 00							150
O. M. Legate, S. S.—21.	Carthage, N. Y.	Carthage, S. S.	9	4	56	29			68	2 00	20						
		Sackett's Harbor, V.			94			4	50	6 00		18		37			3
		Belleville, V.			*72												
		Martinsburgh, V.			25												
		Clayton, V.			*63												
		Orleans, V.			*35												
		West-Turin, V.—20.			*27												
3. *Presb. of Oswego.*			31	23	1721	54	10	15	1182	98 25	223	633	124	263		20,090	1985
Ezra Scovell, W. C.	New-Haven, N. Y.																
Samuel W. Leonard, W. C.	West-Monroe, "																
Thomas A. Weed, P.	Mexico, "	Mexico, P.	12	7	190		7	3	195	12 00	260	110		258		1700	150
Edward Lord, P.	Fulton, "	Fulton and Granby, P.	2	2	235	10	1		183	9 65	188	259				1840	393
Peter W. Emens, P.	Volney, "	Volney, P.		1	100	2			80							750	63
John Reid, P.	New-Haven, "	New-Haven, P.	7	2	99	2	1		120		19	94				669	196
J. Niles Hubbard, P.—7.	Hannibal, "	Hannibal, P.	10	3	124		5	3	185	6 00	50	25	13	50		800	750
		Williamstown, P. E.			*46												
		Redfield, S. S.			*30												
		Constantia, V.	3	3	28				50							565	
		Amboy, V.			*58												
		West-Camden, V.			*17												
		Cleveland, S. S.—11.															
			34	18	927	14	14	6	813	27 65	517	488	13	308		6324	1552

4. 1780. of Utica,

David Chassell, D.D., W. C.	Holland Patent, N. Y.																	
Charles F. Butler, W. C.	Verona, "																	
Ely Burchard, W. C.	Clinton, "																	
Augustus L. Chapin, S. S.	Amsterdam, "																	
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Samuel W. Brace, Ag.	Utica, "																	
Theodore Spencer, W. C.	" "																	
Philemon H. Fowler, D.D., P.	" "	Utica, P.	18	18	529	5	8			1470	1721	185	431			3982		
Samuel W. Fisher, D.D., Pres.	Clinton, "	Hamilton College, S.S.	4	6	47	1					20					5		
Nich. W. Goertner, D.D., Com.	" "																	
Samuel W. Raymond, W. C.	" "																	
A. Delos Gridley, W. C.	" "																	
William E. Knox, P.	Rome, "	Rome, P.	3	12	333	1	3	15	50	171	265	30	137			280		
Jonathan B. Hubbard, P.	Whitesboro, "	Whitesboro, P.	2	4	146	1				30	40		32			65		
Franklin A. Spencer, S. S.	Terryville, Ct.																	
Daniel Gibbs, W. C. *In trans.*																		
Elliot H. Payson, P. C.	Oxford, N. Y.																	
Amos W. Seeley, W. C.	Brooklyn, (E. D.), "																	
Chester Fitch, P.	New-York Mills, "	New-York Mills, P.			140		2			149	100							
Moses E. Dunham, S. S.	Westmoreland, "																	
Albert H. Corliss, P.	Holland Patent, "	Holland Patent, P.	39	5	132			7	35	106	78		41			69		
Elijah H. Bonney, S. S.	Vernon Centre, "	Vernon Centre, S. S.			150													
Joseph N. McGiffert, P.	Sauquoit, "	Sauquoit, P.	7	2	128	2	2	6	35	69	77		12			343		
T. Dwight Hunt, P. E.	Niles, Mich.																	
Charles Jerome, Ag.	Clinton, N. Y.																	
William N. McHarg, Prof.	" "																	
Anson Gleason, C. M.	Brooklyn, "																	
Wilson B. Parmelee, P.	Westernville, "	Westernville, P.	3	1	93	2	2	4	50	33	123	26	46			245		
Elizur N. Manley, P.	Booneville, "	Booneville, P.	15	4	175	4	8	8	00	100	100	20	25			50		
Michael V. D. Waters, S. S.	Gravesville, "																	
Edwin E. Williams, P. C.	Warsaw, "																	
W. Frederick Williams, F. M.	Mardin, E. Turkey, A.																	

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Asa Messer, W. C.	" "																
Aaron D. Lane, W. C.	Waterloo, "																
Miles P. Squier, D.D., Prof.	Geneva, "																
Ephraim Chapin, W. C.	Waterloo, "																
Charles Goodrich, W. C.	Penn Yan, "																
Ebenezer Everett, W. C.	Hopewell, "																
Thomas Lounsbury, D.D., W. C.	Ovid, "																
Fred. E. Cannon, D.D., W. C.	Geneva, "																
Alvah Lilly, W. C.	Pewaukee, Wis.																
Samuel H. Gridley, D.D., P.	Waterloo, N. Y.	Waterloo, P.	8	6	296		5	7	160	15 00	65	100				1138	190
Ansel D. Eddy, D.D., W. C.	Saratoga Springs, "																
John R. Moser, W. C.	Phelps, N. Y.																
John A. Murray, W. C.	Geneva, "																
James R. Boyd, W. C.	" "																
Timothy M. Hopkins, S. S.	" "																
John B. Richardson, Ag.	" "																
Blackleach B. Gray, P.	Seneca Castle, "	Castleton, P.	1	4	127	9	1	4	100	6 45	68	45				750	114
Ezra Jones, S. S.	Canoga, "	Canoga, S. S.	2		58	22	1		30		5	23				390	95
A. Augustus Wood, D.D., P.	Geneva, "	Geneva, P.	12	20	438	29	6	11	400	20 25	242	425	60	300		12,536	2712
Chauncey Francisco, S. S.	Hopewell, "	Hopewell, S. S.			38				68	2 10	5					320	35
Abraham T. Young, S. S.	Oak's Corners, "	Oak's Corners, S. S.		1	71	7		2	80	3 25	10	8		12		660	115
Horace Fraser, W. C.	Varick, "																
Benjamin M. Goldsmith, P.	Benton, "	Benton, P.		2	152	10		3	99	7 75						700	220
Abijah B. Dunlap, W. C.	Grand Traverse, Mich.																

1. *Presb. of Onondaga.*																			
Truman Baldwin, W. C.	Cicero,	N. Y.																	
George S. Boardman, D.D., W.C.	Cazenovia,	"																	
Royal A. Avery, W. C.	Gloversville,	"																	
Orin Hyde, W. C.	Fayetteville,	"																	
Marcus Smith, S. S.	Collamer,	"	Collamer, S. S.	1		65		1	60	2	00	3	5				330	25	
Ebenezer C. Beach, W. C.	Lysander,	"																	
Sherman B. Canfield, D. D., P.	Syracuse,	"	Syracuse, First, P.	5	17	440	1	2	400	25	00	222	387	283	250		2900		
Lewis H. Reid, P.	"	"	Syracuse, 1st Ward, P.	2	3	186	1	3	180	12	00	45	68	100	37		1200	440	
George W. Thompson, W. C.	"	"																	
Edwin Benedict, S. S.	Jamesville,	"	Jamesville, S. S.		3	36			40	2	00				5		400	20	
Ebenezer G. Townsend, W. C.	U. S. Army.																		
Alfred A. Graley, S. S.	Manlius,	N. Y.	Manlius, S. S.	3	4	67	2		40	5	00	30	57		32		827	20	
Edwin R. Davis, S. S.	Camillus,	"	Camillus, S. S.	3	1	47	2		50	3	00	45	25	17	27		885	75	
John F. Kendall, P.	Baldwinsville,	"	Baldwinsville, P.	8	3	128	2	3	130	8	00	50	60	50	8		19,000	20	
Chester W. Hawley, W. C.	Homer,	"																	
William J. Erdman, P.	U. S. Army.		Fayetteville, P.	3	4	211	2	6	198	10	00	35	80	24	80		1150	635	
James Marshall, Ch.	"																		
John S. Bacon, S. S.	Belle Isle,	N. Y.	Amboy, S. S.	4	1	93	2	1	100	5	00	25	31				1100	100	
Nathan Bosworth, S. S.	Pompey Hill,	"	Pompey Hill, S. S.		3	152						20	50		25		650	66	
Robert C. Allison, S. S.	La Fayette,	"	La Fayette, S. S.		3	107				6	00	23	24	10	42			62	
George D. Horton, S. S.	Oneida Lake,	"	Oneida Lake, S. S.	5	6	34			90	2	00	25					450	25	
Archibald M. Shaw, *In trans.*,	Avon,	"																	
Nath. Perkins Campfield, P.—	Cazenovia,	"	Cazenovia, P.	10		240	4		120	15	00	181	423	75	26	50	1005	313	
[22.			Wampsville, V.			*42						6							
Candidates, 3.			Pompey Centre, V.			*26													
			Otisco, S. S.	2		195	2	2		8	00		31		42			62	
			Onondaga Valley, S.S.	1	6	91	1		110	4	00	18			20		546	173	
			Onondaga, S. S.			22			43	1	00				6		337	117	
			Lenox, V.			*42													

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James Rolette, W. C.	North-Urbana, N. Y.																
David F. Judson.—14.		Pulteney, S. S.			72				50	4 05		6					22
		Kennedyville, V.			*47				30								
		Wayne, V.			*12												
		Addison, S. S.			*67				60								
		Woodhull, S. S.			30				50	1 36		23				125	4
		Hornby, S. S. [V.			*40												
		Painted Post, Second,			*20												
		Cohocton, S. S.			*24				60								
		Wheeler, V.—18.			3					1 00	3	3					11
			55	26	1347		21	23	1120	42 11	331	342	148	33		5450	925
3. *Presb. of Chemung.*																	
John Gray, W. C.	Moreland, N. Y.																
B. Foster Pratt, W. C.	Oberlin, Ohio.																
George Spaulding, *In transitu.*																	
Curtis Thurston, W. C.	Athens, Pa.																
Charles Chapman, S. S.	Orange, N. Y.	Mead's Creek, S. S.		1	43					2 50		12					40
Charles C. Carr, P.	Horse Heads, "	Horse Heads, P.	3	5	135	10	1	5		8 00	25		22	44			150
Franklin S. Howe, P.	Watkins, "	Watkins, P.	2	10	93	9		4		6 00	53	52	36	176			200
Reuben H. Close, W. C.	Elmira, "																
George C. Curtis, D.D., P.	" "	Elmira, First, P.	4	11	292		1			19 00	620	233	169	174			175
Isaac Clark, P.	" "	" Second, P.	4	10	159		3	4		9 00	111	186	53	138			50
Augustus W. Cowles, D.D., Pres.	" "																
Sylvester B. Shearer, W. C.	Havana, "																
Charles H. Chester, S. S.	" "	Havana, S. S.		2	90					5 00	18	33	16	17			
Benjamin Russell, S. S.	Weston, "	Tyrone, S. S.			*91												
Darwin Chichester, P.	Burdett, "	Burdett, P.			90			2		6 00	25	52	7	30			25

Robert Procter, *In transitu*,	Preceptor, &c.																
John E. Werth, Ch.	U. S. Army.																
Albert C. Reed, P.	Elbridge, N. Y.	Elbridge, P.	5	5	118			3		6	50	48	182				900	323
Marcus N. Preston, P.	Skaneateles, "	Skaneateles, P.	2	6	135		11	1		7	00	170	160	20	18		750	22
Samuel B. Sherrill, P.	Meridian, "	Cato, P.	5	3	164			3		8	50	13	56		11		823	63
William W. Howard, P.	Aurora, "	Aurora, P.		6	94		1			5	00	152	324	32	34		1200	92
Philander Read, Ch.	U. S. Army.									*6	20							
Philemon R. Day, C. M.	Troy, N. Y.	Moravia, S. S.			70													
Charles A. Conant, S. S.—33.	Five Corners, "	Genoa, First C., S. S.			*72													
		Jordan, V.	2	9	100		1			6	00		20	9	10		2850	
Licentiates.		Scipio, V.			*29													
		Sennett, S. S.		2	117					6	50	26	10			7		
Albert G. Thornton.		Genoa, Second, V.			*18													
George S. Gray, Tea.	Englewood, N. J.	Ira, V.			*19													
Wright C. Galpin,	New-Haven, Ct.	Marcellus, Second, V.			*19													
Alexander Lamberton,	Rochester, N. Y.	Borodino, V.—23.			*20													
Edwin A. Spence.																		
Henry Ward.			45	94	2682	14	24	36		127	70	1823	2314	312	299	7	18,000	4966
Albert True, S. S.	Cedar Falls, Iowa.																	
John V. C. Nellis, S. S.	Jordan, N. Y.																	
David Biggar.																		
Henry C. Hazen, *In transitu*,	Ithaca, N. Y.																	
Abel S. Wood, S. S.	Verona, "																	
Thomas E. Davis.																		
Thomas F. Chafer.																		
Charles H. Wheeler,	Auburn, N. Y.																	
Solomon H. Moon,	" "																	
Willard P. Gibson,	" "																	
William N. Page,	" "																	
Thomas Campbell, S. S.	Sennett, "																	
Gustavus R. Alden,	Auburn, "																	
Merrit Gally,	" "																	
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5. *Presb. of Wellsborough.*																	
Elijah D. Wells, W. C.	Lawrenceville, Pa.																
Sidney Mills, W. C.	" "																
Octavius Fitch, S. S.	" "																
Elisha B. Benedict, W. C.	Elkland, "																
Samuel J. McCullough, S. S.	Tioga, "	Tioga, S. S.		1	34	3			44	6 00			75			350	
James F. Calkins, P. and Ch.	Wellsborough, "	Wellsborough, P.	1		100				80	6 00	12	23					
Joseph L. Riggs, W. C.	Elmira, N. Y.																
Francis Rand, W. C.	Tioga, Pa.																
James H. Parsons.																	
John L. Swain, S. S.—10.	Ulysses, Pa.	Ulysses, S. S.	2		37		1	3		1 00	7	5	3	3			
	Nelson, "	Beecher's Island, S. S.	2		45		2		50	6 00			8	17		200	
		Farmington, S. S.	2		26		1	3	38	2 00		10					35
	Wells, "	Wells & Col'bia, S. S.		1	55	8			45	6 00						63	
		Columbia X Roads, V.			*17												
		Coudersport, V.			30				60	1 00							
		Richmond, V.			*13												
		Smethport, V.			*32												
		Covington, V.			*22												
		Blossburgh, V.			*50												
Licentiate.																	
		Lawrenceville, V.—			61						15	15	10			5	
Theron P. Otis, S. S.—1.	West-Greece, N. Y.	[13.								*2 00							
			7	2	522	11	4	6	317	30 00	34	53	96	20		618	35
6. *Presb. of Lyons.*																	
George R. H. Shumway, P.	Newark, N. Y.	Newark, P.	3	6	228	12	1	1	190	11 80	94	123	15	17		1741	349
Lyman Manly, W. C.	Ontario, "																

	Marcus Ford, D.D., W. C.	Binghamton, N. Y.														
	Peter Lockwood, W. C.	" "														
	Oliver P. Conklin, P. C.	Berkshire, "														
	Joel Jewell, S. S.	Wells, Bra'f'd Co., Pa.														
	Samuel W. Bush, Ch.	Binghamton, N. Y.														
	Hiram W. Gilbert, Ag.	" "														
	David A. Abbey, S. S.	Apalachin, "	Apalachin, S. S.	1		40		1	1	60	2 00	10	14	12	20		500	30
	Willard Richardson, Ch.	Conkling, "																
	Cyrus T. Mills, W. C.	Ware, Mass.																
	Samuel H. Hall, D.D., Ag.	Newark, N. J.																
	William C. Boyce, Tea.	Aurora, N. Y.																
	Peter L. D. St. Croix, W. C.																	
	William W. Collins, S. S.	Maine, "	Maine, S. S.		4	110				120	2 00	20	41	10			500	24
	George N. Todd, S. S.	Candor, "																
	Silas McKinney, F. M.	Amansimtote, S. Af.																
	Samuel F. Bacon, P.	Newark Valley, N. Y.	Newark Valley, P.	13	11	209	1	3	1	200	4 00	36	70	8	53		1025	80
	George N. Boardman, P.	Binghamton, "	Binghamton, P.	37	28	514		8	5	250	28 00	603	714	176	300		3683	
	T. Dwight Walker, S. S.	Union, "	Union, S. S.	36	6	200		21	2	242	8 00	26	82	8	62		1243	93
	John S. Hanna, S. S.	Great Bend, Pa.																
	George M. Life, P.	Nichols, N. Y.	Nichols, P.	1	3	23	2			80	2 00	8			9		370	
	Sabin McKinney, W. C.	Binghamton, "																
	Solon Cobb, S. S.—22.	Owego, "	Owego, S. S.	3	10	242		1	1	150	18 00	286	211	61	165		2000	300
			Conkling, S. S.	18	1	103		10	3	100	2 00						900	
			Richford, S. S.			52			1	70			11		15		500	
	Licentiate.		Hawleyton, V.			*15												
			Castle Creek, V.—11.			*16												
	William W. Palmer.—1.			109	63	1524	3	44	14	1272	66 00	989	1143	275	624		10,721	527
	Candidates, 2.																	

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JAMES MCMASTER, W. C.																		
Lambert S. Fine, W. C.																		
John C. Moses, S. S.	Dundee,	N. Y.	Dundee, S. S.		2	85		4	90	4	35	13	16	13	9		940	68
Alfred M. Stowe, D. Sec.	Canandaigua,	"																
L. Richmond Janes, W. C.	Shortsville,	"																
Charles B. Dye, W. C.	New-Haven,	Ct.																
Charles E. Stebbins, S. S.	Phelps,	N. Y.	Phelps, S. S.	1	3	156	49	1	1	160	8	00	56	33	20	16	960	220
E. Woodward Brown, P. M.	Whitesboro,	"	West-Dresden, S. S.	1		43	2	1	1	105	2	45	4	15			350	7
William Atwood, P.	West-Fayette,	"	West-Fayette, P.	2	6	62	3	2	1	194	2	70	4	6		7	568	269
Willis J. Beecher, P.	Ovid,	"	Ovid, P.	1	1	221	9		6	300	11	00	142	165		11	1491	445
James T. Hanning, P. E.—37.	Springville,	"									*5	60						
			Gorham, S. S.	8		84	4	3	2	80	3	50	14	17			1941	19
Licentiates.			Seneca Falls, V.	5	11	170		2	1	105	8	70	50	145	19		1257	298
			Romulus, S. S.			180				154	9	70	50	39				72
William Kreutzer.			Manchester, V.	3	2	50		3	1	85				24			811	8
Anthony D. Axtell.—2.	Geneva,	N. Y.	Branchport, V.	2		55		1		165	2	75	7	7			326	
			Penn Yan, V.—18.	1	8	265	30		2	161	13	65		336		10	6001	927
				47	66	2551	174	26	46	2536	127	20	735	1404	112	365	31,139	5814
2. *Presb. of Steuben.*																		
David D. Gregory, P.	Prattsburgh,	N. Y.	Prattsburgh, P.	10	2	287		3	1	175	5	00	62	98	27	10	650	112
Samuel A. Rawson, S. S.	Jasper,	"	Jasper, S. S.	6	1	97		3	4	120	4	65	17	29			325	35
Stephen Vorhis, S. S.	Hammondsport,	"	Hammondsport, S. S.	1	2	98			1	150	4	45	10	12	5	5	600	100
Mills B. Gelston, S. S.	Naples,	"	Naples, S. S.	3	5	145		3		100	3	50		13	11	5	700	38
Louis F. Laine, S. S.	Canisteo,	"	Canisteo, S. S.	11		60		4	1	75	3	00	15	5	5	5	650	50
William A. Niles, S. S.	Corning,	"	Corning, S. S.	23	8	175		8	14	150	8	00	93	145	50		1300	323
Fordyce Harrington, S. S.	Campbelltown,	"	Campbell, S. S.		8	60				50	2	60	125		43		600	212
Ziba N. Bradbury, S. S.	Howard,	"	Howard, S. S.	1		90			2	50	4	50	6	8	7	8	500	18
Hiram E. Johnson, S. S.	Painted Post,	"	Painted Post, S. S.			*20												
William A. Wolcott, W. C.	Campbell,	"																
Charles T. White, F. M.	Pulney,	India.																
La Fayette Dudley, Tea.	Cornwall,	Ct.																

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James Rolette, W. C.	North-Urbana, N. Y.																
David F. Judson.—14.		Pulteney, S. S.			72				50	4 05		6					22
		Kennedyville, V.			*47				30								
		Wayne, V.			*12												
		Addison, S. S.			*67				60								
		Woodhull, S. S.			30				50	1 36		23				125	4
		Hornby, S. S. [V.			*40												
		Painted Post, Second,			*20												
		Cohocton, S. S.			*24				60								
		Wheeler, V.—18.			3					1 00	3	3					11
			55	26	1347		21	23	1120	42 11	331	342	148	33		5450	925
3. *Presb. of Chemung.*																	
John Gray, W. C.	Moreland, N. Y.																
B. Foster Pratt, W. C.	Oberlin, Ohio.																
George Spaulding, *In transitu.*																	
Curtis Thurston, W. C.	Athens, Pa.																
Charles Chapman, S. S.	Orange, N. Y.	Mead's Creek, S. S.		1	43					2 50		12					40
Charles C. Carr, P.	Horse Heads, "	Horse Heads, P.	3	5	135	10	1	5		8 00	25		22	44			150
Franklin S. Howe, P.	Watkins, "	Watkins, P.	2	10	93	9		4		6 00	53	52	36	176			200
Reuben H. Close, W. C.	Elmira, "																
George C. Curtis, D.D., P.	" "	Elmira, First, P.	4	11	292		1			19 00	620	233	169	174			175
Isaac Clark, P.	" "	" Second, P.	4	10	159		3	4		9 00	111	186	53	138			50
Augustus W. Cowles, D.D., Pres.	" "																
Sylvester B. Shearer, W. C.	Havana, "																
Charles H. Chester, S. S.	" "	Havana, S. S.		2	90					5 00	18	33	16	17			
Benjamin Russell S. S.	Weston, "	Tyrone, S. S.			*91												

Samuel J. Dorsey, S. S.																	
Philander Griffin, S. S.	**Carlton, N. Y.**																
Walter V. Couch, Sec.	**Rochester, "**																
Benjamin F. Randolph, Ch.	**Buffalo, "**																
Philos G. Cook, Ch.	**" "**																
Joel F. Bingham, P.—37.	**" "**	**Buffalo, Westm., P.**	2	6	107	14		3	130	8 00	221	25				2300	
		Clarence, S. S.	2	1	58	2		2	340	3 00		19				945	37
		Conewango, V.			*23												
Licentiates.		Corry, S. S.	3	17	20						10					470	
		Dunkirk, P. E.	2	3	110				150	6 00	31					1056	
Edward P. Willard,	**Cayuga Bridge, N. Y.**	Ellicottville, V.			*63												
Samuel T. Clarke.—2.	**Buffalo, "**	Newstead, S. S.			*60												
		Portland, P. E.		3	77	2			125	3 00						100	30
Candidates, 9.		St. Catherine's, S. S.			*146					6 00					6		
		Silver Creek, S. S.		3	164	18			75	10 00	8	20				4635	150
		Springbrook, S. S.			29				25	1 40						50	25
		Springville, S. S.			127		4	1		6 00	9					960	415
		South-Wales, V.			*12												
		Westfield, V.—27.	1	5	269			2		16 00	152	174					1052
			127	107	3573	148	34	45	2903	200 90	2998	3168	385	1269	6	32,546	11,300
2. *Presb. of Ontario.*																	
Justus S. Hough, W. C.	**E. Bloomfield, N. Y.**																
John Barnard, D.D., W. C.	**Lima, "**																
Milton Buttolph, S. S.	**North-Bristol, "**																
Pliny F. Sanborn, S. S.	**West-Bloomfield, "**																
William Hunter, P.	**Springwater, "**	**Springwater, P.**			*59												
Anson H. Parmelee, P.	**Livonia, "**	**Livonia, P.**	13	2	148		6			6 85	209	143		112			400
Joseph R. Page, P.	**Perry, "**	**Perry, P.**	2	3	109	4		1		6 35	33	60	29				131
Luther Conklin, P. C.	**East-Bloomfield, "**																
Levi Parsons, P.	**Mount Morris, "**	**Mt. Morris, First, P.**	30	8	257		7	7	150	11 00	79	110	13	16			55
Nathaniel Elmer, ***In transitu.***	**Stone Church, "**																

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George P. Folsom, P.	Geneseo, N. Y.	Geneseo, Second, P.	29	7	206	29	14	2	125	7 40	93	62	26	26			137
Levi G. Marsh, P.	Nunda, "	Nunda, P.	7	4	200	60		2	185	6 55	27	18	14				30
Orson P. Allen, F. M.	Kharpoot, Koordistan.																
Samuel Mills Day, S. S.	Honeoye, N. Y.																
Samuel Jessup, P.	Dansville, "	Dansville, P.	4	5	201	16	1	1	100	10 25	27	128					136
Alphonso L. Benton, P.	Lima, "	Lima, P.	3	7	241	14	2	2	235	11 90	83	70	28	20			424
Dwight Scovel, P.	Lakeville, "	Geneseo, First, P.	7	1	149	20	2	1	185	7 15	100	143	45	41			335
Ira O. De Long, S. S.	Honeoye Falls, "																
Claudius B. Lord, S. S.—19.										*2 35							
		Avon, S. S.		1	48		2	1	40	2 50	20	24					
		Union Corners, V.			19					2 00							
		South-Bristol, V.—12.			*8												
			95	38	1645	143	34	17	1020	74 30	671	758	155	215			1648
3. *Presb. of Rochester.*																	
Daniel Johnson, W. C.	Fairport, N. Y.																
George Freeman, W. C.	Parma, "																
David Powell, W. C.	Fowlersville, "																
Charles E. Furman, W. C.	Buffalo, "																
Lemuel Brooks, W. C.	Churchville, "																
Nathaniel Hurd, S. S.	Mendon, "	Mendon, S. S.	2		40		2					34					40
Richard Dunning, W. C.	Rochester, "																
James B. Shaw, D.D., P.	Rochester, "	Rochester, Brick, P.	29	14	985		5	10	854		167	482				21,200	2044
Jeremiah Woodruff, S. S.	Penfield, "	Penfield, S. S.	1	3	51		1		61		25						38
Ebenezer M. Toof, P.	Holley, "	Holley, P.	2	6	147	26	12	6	194	8 70	33	51					99
Royal Mann, W. C.	Penfield, "																
Charles P. Bush, D. Sec.	Rochester, "																
William A. Fox, P. E.	Dunkirk, "																

Horace Eaton, P.	Palmyra,	N. Y.	Palmyra, P.	5	6	374	36		5	240	19	00	188	253				1200	140	
Robert E. Willson, P.	Clyde,	"	Galen, P.	44	6	184		18	12		7	00	38	61	20	128		510		
William H. Megie, S. S.	Junius,	"	Junius, S. S.	1		55	1	1	2	80	3	15	30	13						
Chester Holcomb, W. C.	Newark,	"									*5	00								
George R. Rudd, W. C.	Lyons,	"																		
William Lusk, S. S.	Huron,	"	Huron, S. S.	1	1	129	10	1	2	62	6	45		35				418	40	
George W. Warner, S. S.	Weedsport,	"	Savannah, S. S.	1		18					1	60						1312	81	
Arunah H. Lilly, S. S.	East-Palmyra,	"	East-Palmyra, S. S.	2		109	5			135	5	60	33	50		15		860	128	
Armon Spencer, S. S.	Williamson,	"	Williamson, S. S.	3		34		2		100	1	65	10					692	141	
James C. Smith, S. S.	Romulus,	"																		
James Ireland, S. S.	Sodus,	"	Sodus, S. S.	2	1	*96				95	5	00	4	3				995	15	
William L. Page, S. S.	Wolcott,	"	Wolcott, S. S.	7	11	141	2	5	13	182	6	70	52	20				2121	411	
Horatio W. Brown, P. E.	Lyons,	"	Lyons, P. E.	3	4	230		1	15	350	11	25	266	304		335		1700	500	
William Young, S. S.—16.	Red Creek,	"	Wolcott, Second, S.S.	2	1	51		1	1	50	2	75						250	10	
			Wayne, S. S.	3	1	40		1										375		
Licentiates.			Rose, V.	16	2	67		9		80	2	90		15				582	145	
			Ontario, V.—15.			*37														
Samuel W. D. Westfall,	Lyons, N. Y.																			
Henry T. Perry.—2.	Boston, Mass.																			
				93	39	1793	66	40	51	1564	89	85	710	877	35	492		14,656	2969	
Candidates, 4.																				
V. Synod of Susquehanna.																				
1. *Presb. of Otsego.*																				
Alonzo Welton, S. S.	Sharon Springs,	N. Y.																		
Charles Wadsworth, W. C.	Cherry Valley,	"																		
Solomon J. Tracy, W. C.	Springfield,	"																		
Henry Herrick, Ag.	Exeter,	"																		
E. Vine Wales, S. S.	Oneonta,	"	Laurens, S. S.	1	3	34		1	1		2	00	10					211		
Samuel J. White, S. S.	Gilbertsville,	"	Gilbertsville, S. S.	18	4	240		4	2	115	12	00	35	57	21	20	15	1060	377	
William Baldwin, S. S.	Worcester,	"	Worcester, S. S.	3		71		1			3	00	8					330	61	

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Horace P. Bogue, S. S.	Buffalo, N. Y.	East-Hamburgh, S. S.			*16												
Samuel G. Orton, D.D., W. C.	North-East, Pa.																
John Scott, W. C.	Hamburgh, N. Y.																
Nathaniel S. S. Smith, W. C.	Buffalo, "																
Timothy Stillman, D.D., Sec.	Dunkirk, "																
Sylvester Cowles, S. S.	Randolph, "																
William Hancock, S. S.	Ripley, "	Ripley, First, S. S.			70	1			40	4 00		21				375	1500
		" Second, S. S.			65				38	3 00	8	22				532	30
Albert T. Chester, D.D., Tea.	Buffalo, "																
Charles Crocker, S. S.	Glenwood, "	Colden, S. S.			47				50	2 50	10					345	35
Walter Clarke, D.D., P.	Buffalo, "	Buffalo, First, P.	13	6	481	75	2	1	500	33 00	1282	1307	222	626		6962	1228
Henry Smith, D.D., P.	" "	" North, P.	15	3	319	7	1	8	550	32 00	1044	900	112	525		5004	5000
Sherman D. Taylor, S. S.																	
Amos P. Hawley, W. C.	Jersey City, N. J.																
Levi A. Skinner, W. C.	Westfield, N. Y.																
Ashur Wright, F. M.	Versailles, "																
Richard M. Sanford, S. S.	Griffin's Mills, "	West-Aurora, S. S.			92	11			100	5 00	5	5	4	5		781	69
Grosvenor W. Heacock, D.D., P.	Buffalo, "	Buffalo, La Fay.st., P.	56	43	447		17	10	300	20 00	60	250		40		3966	568
Edwin S. Wright, D.D., P.	Fredonia, "	Fredonia, P.	19	6	323		5	3	180	16 00	82	300	22	20		1400	645
William L. Hyde, Ch.	Dunkirk, "																
Daniel T. Conde, F. M.																	
Joseph G. Cochran, F. M.	Seir, Persia.																
Oliver D. Hibbard, Ch.	Randolph, N. Y.																
Charles L. Hequemburgh, W. C.	Dunkirk, "																

Lucius I. Root, P.	Medina,	N. Y.	Medina, P.		8	158			3	137	8	00		40	12			1200	99	
Norman B. Sherwood, W. C.	Millville,	"																		
Lawrence S. Atkins, S. S.	Millville,	"	Millville, S. S.			74	8			85	3	90	25	41				1017	53	
Thomas Daggett, P.	Niagara Falls,	"	Niagara Falls, P.	1	3	124		1	2	282	6	55	253	82				1375	470	
David J. B. Hoyt, W. C.	Gaines,	"																		
Fred. A. Chase, S. S.—17.	Lyndonville,	"	Lyndonville, S. S.			*84					4	20								
			Albion, P. E.	4	7	419			4	300	21	50	135	164				1613	250	
			Somerset, S. S.		2	83				126	4	15						525	1	
			Porter, S. S.			145				225	6	10		28				406	83	
			Carlton, S. S.	3	4	57	8		3	25	1	70	10					200		
Licentiate.			Middleport, V.			*25														
			Tuscarora, V.—16.			*78					*6	00								
E. P. Hyde.—1.	Youngstown,	"																		
				13	48	2209	62	5	25	2175	110	30	504	981	60	78		13,340	1752	
6. *Presb. of Genesee Valley.*																				
Joel Wakeman, D. D., P.	Almond,	N. Y.	Almond, P.	2	3	234	20		3	150	12	00	180	40				900	139	
John T. Baldwin, W. C.	Franklinville,	"																		
David L. Hunn, W. C.	Angelica,	"																		
Samuel Porter, S. S.	Bradford, Pa.																			
Elias L. Boing, P.	Angelica,	N. Y.	Angelica, P.	10	5	135	1	5	6	231	6	75	150	257				1076	530	
Milton Waldo, S. S.	Hornellsville,	"	Hornellsville, S. S.	9	8	115	5	8	7	270	5	05	120	65		20		2560	78	
I. Norton Crittenden, S. S.	Belmont,	"	Belmont, S. S.	6	2	87		1	1	90	4	25	10	10				850		
Philander Camp, S. S.	Andover,	"	Andover, S. S.	1	1	42				50	2	00	4	5				450	20	
Isaac G. Ogden, P.	Portville,	"	Portville, P.			70	6		1	100	3	75		138	25	30		1250	380	
William C. White, Prof.	Crawfordsville,	Ind.																		
J. Clark Richardson, S. S.	Oramel,	N. Y.																		
John E. Baker, *In transitu.*																				
Eusebius Hale, W. C.																				
James B. Beaumont, P.	Olean,	"	Olean, P.	18	5	108	2	10	5	206	5	50	29	40	10	10	10	1500	125	
Charles M. Livingston, S. S.	Wellsville,	"																		
Allen Traver, *In transitu.*—16.	Corfu,	"	Cuba, P. E.	8	5	154		3	3	125	7	70	12	41				785	211	
			Arkport, V.			38	8			82	2	00	46	10				80		

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George P. Folsom, P.	Geneseo, N. Y.	Geneseo, Second, P.	29	7	206	29	14	2	125	7 40	93	62	26	26			137
Levi G. Marsh, P.	Nunda, "	Nunda, P.	7	4	200	60		2	185	6 55	27	18	14				30
Orson P. Allen, F. M.	Kharpoot, Koordistan.																
Samuel Mills Day, S. S.	Honeoye, N. Y.																
Samuel Jessup, P.	Dansville, "	Dansville, P.	4	5	201	16	1	1	100	10 25	27	128					136
Alphonso L. Benton, P.	Lima, "	Lima, P.	3	7	241	14	2	2	235	11 90	83	70	28	20			424
Dwight Scovel, P.	Lakeville, "	Geneseo, First, P.	7	1	149	20	2	1	185	7 15	100	143	45	41			335
Ira O. De Long, S. S.	Honeoye Falls, "																
Claudius B. Lord, S. S.—19.										*2 35							
		Avon, S. S.		1	48		2	1	40	2 50	20	24					
		Union Corners, V.			19					2 00							
		South-Bristol, V.—12.			*8												
			95	38	1645	143	34	17	1020	74 30	671	758	155	215			1648
3. *Presb. of Rochester.*																	
Daniel Johnson, W. C.	Fairport, N. Y.																
George Freeman, W. C.	Parma, "																
David Powell, W. C.	Fowlersville, "																
Charles E. Furman, W. C.	Buffalo, "																
Lemuel Brooks, W. C.	Churchville, "																
Nathaniel Hurd, S. S.	Mendon, "	Mendon, S. S.	2		40		2					34					40
Richard Dunning, W. C.	Rochester, "																
James B. Shaw, D.D., P.	Rochester, "	Rochester, Brick, P.	29	14	985		5	10	854		167	482				21,200	2044
Jeremiah Woodruff, S. S.	Penfield, "	Penfield, S. S.	1	3	51		1		61		25						38
Ebenezer M. Toof, P.	Holley, "	Holley, P.	2	6	147	26	12	6	194	8 70	33	51					99
Royal Mann, W. C.	Penfield, "																
Charles P. Bush, D. Sec.	Rochester, "																
William A. Fox, P. E.	Dunkirk, "																

Robert McMath, W. C.	Webster,																		
C. R. Wilkins.																			
Yates Hickey, Sec.	New-York City, "										*72	06							
Alexander C. Stewart, S. S.	New-Lexington, O.																		
Byron Bosworth, S. S.	Henrietta, N. Y.																		
John C. Taylor, P.	Sweden, "	Sweden, P.	1	3	62		1	1	122	3	00	9	18	5	4			108	
Edwin Allen, S. S.	Parma Centre, "	Parma Centre, S. S.		4	55							21	16				75	43	
Corlis B. Gardner, P. E.	Cuba, "																		
Edwin B. Van Auken, S. S.	Honeoye Falls, "	West-Mendon, S. S.	24	3	112		9	12	82			53	100				687	51	
H. B. Gardner, S. S.	Bergen, "	Bergen, S. S.			*180														
William H. Webb, S. S.	Victor, "	Victor, S. S.	1	4	121	1			440			22	60					225	
Augustus C. Shaw, S. S.—27.	Clayville, "	Gates, S. S.			*39														
		Chili, V.		1	55	46	1	1					21					17	
		Kendall, V.			*43														
		Brockport, V.	3	8	202		1	1	235										
Licentiates.		Pittsford, V.	2	3	131		1	4				42	49						
		Ogden, V.—17.	4	3	248		1	1	168	16	60	676	45					247	
George Mixon.																			
Edwin L. Carpenter, Tea.	Rochester, N. Y.		104	86	3240	73	47	56	3032	106	61	2104	3288	274	288		34,602	5367	
David Dickey, Ag.—3.	" "																		
4. *Presb. of Genesee.*																			
Ebenezer H. Stratton, W. C.	Johnsonburgh, N. Y.																		
Gabriel S. Corwin, P.	Elba, "	Elba, P.	1	3	84	6	1	1	105	5	00	100	100	50		33	540	542	
T. Morey Hodgman, S. S.	York, "																		
Alfred North, W. C.	Leroy, "																		
Elisha Whittlesey, P.	Waterbury, Ct.																		
Daniel Russell, P.	Pike, N. Y.	Pike, P.	6	1	118	23	3	3	87	5	00	13	18		6		873		
George W. Coan, F. M.	Oroomiah, Persia.																		
N. Marcellus Clute, S. S.	Oakfield, N. Y.	Oakfield, S.S.	9		70		6	1	140	3	50	13	40		11		1536	38	

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Charles F. Mussey, P.	Batavia, N. Y.	Batavia, P.	9	8	223		6	2	200	14 00	310	203	98	58	33	1757	395
R. Hart Dexter, S. S.	Pavilion, "	Pavilion, S. S.	1	1	32			2	30	1 30	3					500	5
Charles F. MacCarthy, W. C.	U. S. Army.																
Martin B. Gregg, W. C.	Orangeville, N. Y.																
John M. Ballou, S. S.	Byron, "	Byron, S. S.	11	2	119	19	8	1	150	7 05	60	31	10	10	30	910	45
John Wickes, S. S.—14.	Attica, "	Attica, S. S.	11	4	104		5	6	140	4 48	40	74				1000	275
		Corfu, S. S.		2	88			2	75	5 00	41	93		10		600	98
		Orangeville, V.			49			1	35	2 94		5				625	12
		Tonawanda Valley, V.			21			1	60	1 43						196	
Candidate, 1.		Sheldon, First, V.			17			1		1 00						230	6
		Wiscoy, V.			*27												
		Bennington, V.			*39												
		Leroy, S. S. [S. S.	39	18	300	20	19	2	320	16 00	260	227		21		3700	600
		Pembroke & Batavia,			70				60	3 00					20	400	50
		Alexander, V.—16.			*34					1 00							
			87	39	1395	68	48	23	1402	70 70	840	791	158	116	116	12,867	2066
5. *Presb. of Niagara.*																	
Jonathan Hovey, W. C.	Barre Centre, N. Y.																
Herman Halsey, W. C.	East-Wilson, "																
William C. Wisner, D.D., P.	Lockport, "	Lockport, P.	2	12	442		1	5	400	21 60		221		78		3400	283
Obadiah C. Beardsley, W. C.	Albion, "																
Linus W. Billington, S. S.	Barre Centre, "	Barre Centre, S. S.	1	5	79			1	90	3 95	31	58				400	46
William G. Hubbard, S. S.	Wilson, "	Wilson, S. S.	1	4	165	6	3	1	100	7 70		217				1235	186
Russell S. Egleston, S. S.	Knowlesville, "	Knowlesville, S. S.	1	3	168			3	200	8 50	50	100	48			1200	175
Joshua Cooke, Ch. and P.	Lewiston, "	Lewiston, P.			78	40		3	55	4 00		30					68
Charles A. Keeler, W. C.																	
John F. Severance.																	
John W. Marcussohn, S. S.	Lockport, "	[S.S. Lockport, 2d Ward,			30				150	2 15						769	38

John J. Owen, D.D., LL.D., Prof.	New-York City, N. Y.																					
Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., Ag.	" " "																					
William W. Newell, D.D., P.	" " "	N. Y., Allen st., P.	21	15	522		6	10	926	25	00	225	43				3608	1032				
Walter H. Bidwell, Ed.	New-York City, N. Y.																					
Asa D. Smith, D.D., LL.D., Pres. *In transitu*,	Hanover, N. H.																					
Dwight M. Seward, D.D., P.	Yonkers, N. Y.	Yonkers, First, P.	8	25	287			9	230	25	00	193	1770	232			11,150	2600				
Samuel D. Burchard, D.D., P.	New-York City, "	New-York, 13th st., P.	21	39	769		7	22	626	25	00	209	95	114	59		16,433	1854				
Oliver B. Bidwell, Ag.	" " "																					
Isaac P. Stryker, W. C.	" " "																					
Roswell D. Hitchcock, D.D., Prof.	" " "																					
D. D. Tompkins McLaughlin, W. C.	" " "																					
John R. Young, W. C.	Newport, R. I.																					
George Bowen, F. M.	Bombay, India.																					
James G. Craighead, Ed.	New-York City, N. Y.																					
Samuel G. Dwight, W. C.	Molokai, S. Islands.																					
Revilo J. Cone, Tea.	Fonda, N. Y.																					
Eliphalet P. Ackerman, Tea.	Hughsonville, "																					
Andrew Abraham, F. M.	Mapumulo, S. Africa.																					
Charles K. McHarg, W. C.	Cooperstown, N. Y.																					
James Morton, W. C.	New-York City, "																					
Charles Fanning, W. C.	" " "																					
Thomas Street, P.	" " "	New-York, North, P.	7	34	550	66	6	14	481	25	00	363	64				9300	460				
Thomas Ralston Smith, P.	" " "	" Seventh, P.	4	40	992		1	11	1247	25	00	201	248	76	72		5944	1436				
Samuel B. Bell, D.D., P.	" " "	" W. 50th st., P.	27	124	151		3	9	152	7	00						2975	109				
William P. Barker, F. M.	" " "	Ahmednug., First, S.S.	16		*120																	
Robert Russell Booth, D.D., P.	" " "	N. Y., Mercer st., P.	25	30	484	25	7	4	1225	45	00	2325	3850	430	68	1382	12,500	10,305				
James J. McMahon, W. C.	North-Haverstraw, "																					
Daniel Ames, W. C.	Harper's Ferry, Va.																					
Edward T. Doane, F. M.	Ebon Is., Micronesia.																					
Robert R. Thompson, W. C.	New-York City, N. Y.																					
Luther H. Cone, P. C.	Chicopee, Mass.																					

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William H. Babbitt, P.	Hoboken, N. J.	Hoboken, First, P.	4	2	107	1	1	2	175	5 00	58	83				9000	23
Varnum D. Collins, Ag.	China.																
James C. Egbert, P.	West-Hoboken, N. J.	Hoboken, West, P.	13	6	124	6	2	9	225	5 00	25	50				3089	40
Alonzo Brown, Tea.	New-York City, N. Y.																
Edward W. French, P.	Bergen, N. J.	Bergen, First, P.	14	48	249		3	9	211	15 00	322	277		120		3908	1050
James B. Bonar, P.	Montreal, C. E.	Montreal, Amer., P.	4	3	336	28	3	11	564	25 00		1500				14,579	1864
J. Sella Martin, P.	New-York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Prince st., P.	1	1	*446				45	1 00							25
Alvan B. Goodale, M.D., S. S., *In transitu.*	Belle Plain, Minn.																
Henry N. Cobb, Ag.	New-York City, N. Y.																
Herman D. Wrage, Prof.	" " "																
Alfred S. Collins, W. C.	Brooklyn, (E. D.), "																
John P. Watson, S. S.	East-Putman, Ct.																
Lyman Dwight Chapin, F. M.	Tienstin, China.																
Samuel P. Halsey, P.	Stamford, Ct.	Stamford, First, P.	4	4	152				150	20 00		285					
Lewis M. Birge, Ch.	U. S. Army.																
Edward Payson Hammond, Ev.	Vernon, Ct.																
James B. Finch, S. S.	Orient, (L. I.), N. Y.																
James D. Wilson, P.	New-York City, "	N. Y., Spring st., P.	12	24	586	203	7		350	15 00						3700	392
Alexander Nesbitt, P.	Tremont, "	Tremont, First, P.	25	2	137			7	300	2 00	40					2100	165
Edward O. Bartlett, Ch.	U. S. Army.																
Albert C. Bishop, S.S. *In trans.*	Warrensburgh, N. Y.																
Samuel P. Whiting, S. S.	Mendocino, Cal.																
William W. Newell, Jr., S. S.	Cooperstown, N. Y.																
James M. Stevenson, P.	Jersey City, N. J.	Jersey City, Second, P.		12	150			4	175	7 00	65					1500	60
David Stuart Dodge, Prof.	New-York City, N. Y.																
David L. Kiehle, H. M.	Minn.																
William White Williams, Ag.	Philadelphia, Pa.																
Austin P. Stockwell, S. S.	Pleasant Plains, N. Y.																
John Dewitt, P.—64.	Irvington, "	Greenburgh, Sec'd, P.		6	80			8	115	10 00	423	714				3642	1405

		N. Y., 14th st., S. S.	2	8	464			1	1200	45	00	739	1605	752	353		6972	6064
		" Germ., First, V.			*123						50							
Licentiates.		" First st., V.			*73													
		Newtown, Second Col.			*35													
Cuthbert H. Powell, W. C.	U. S. Army.	[V.—22.																
Eugene Douglass, W. C.	Albany, N. Y.		208	433	6937	329	46	130	8397	327	50	5258	10,584	1604	672	1382	110,400	28,884
John S. Whitman, S. S.	Charlemont, Mass.																	
John M. Forbes, Tea.	New-York City, N. Y.																	
Samuel Carlile, W. C.	" " "																	
Levi P. Sabin.																		
John T. Rhodes, Tea.	Flatbush, (L. I.), N. Y.																	
Ellsworth J. Hill.—8.	Leroy, "																	
Candidates, 16.																		
5. *Presb. of New-York, Fourth.*																		
Samuel H. Cox, D.D., LL.D., W. C.	New-York City, N. Y.																	
J. Holmes Agnew, D.D., Ed.	" " "																	
John Spaulding, W. C.	" " "																	
Jonathan I. Jones, W. C.	" " "																	
Henry P. Tappan, D.D., LL.D., W. C.	Berlin, Prussia.																	
E. Goodrich Smith, W. C.	Washington, D. C.	[P.																
William Adams, D.D., P.	New-York City, N. Y.	N.Y., Madison square,	53	53	926		14	41	1390	246	00	4197	8834	868	435		16,554	48,708
George W. Wood, D.D., Sec.	" " "																	
Henry B. Smith, D.D., LL.D., Prof.	" " "																	
Gorham D. Abbott, LL.D., Tea.	" " "																	
Henry M. Field, D.D., Ed.	" " "																	
Benjamin W. Dwight, Ph.D., LL.D., Tea.	" " "																	
George L. Prentiss, D.D., P.	" " "	N. Y., Covenant, P.	25	36	232		1	5	116	35	00	1870	915	939	190		6580	4407
Ezra H. Gillett, D.D., P.	Harlem, "	Harlem, First, P.	1	2	125	6		4	150			200	88		28		1486	27

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William Belden, Tea.	New-York City, N. Y.																
Amasa S. Freeman, P.	Haverstraw, "	Haverstraw, Cent'l, P.	3	1	137	18	1	4	225	14 00	82	57				2700	70
J. Edwards Ford, F. M.	Sidon, Syria.																
Samuel W. Bailey, S. S.	New-York City, "																
Charles Parker, S. S.	Irving, Kansas.																
Joseph P. Lestrade, T. M.	New-York City, "																
Oliver S. St. John, Tea.	Brooklyn, "																
Justin W. Parsons, F. M.	Nicomedia, Asia.																
J. Addison Saxton, S. S.	Norwich Town, Ct.																
Charles E. Lindsley, P. C.	Southport, "																
I. Bryant Smith, S. S.	Northport, (L.I.), N.Y.	Northport, First, S. S.			35			2	50		15			5		600	
Orlando H. White, W. C.	Jamaica Plains, Mass.																
Sereno E. Bishop, F. M.	Hana, Maui, S. Islands.																
Thomas S. Hastings, D.D., P.	New-York City, N. Y.	New-York, West, P.	21	58	633	248		15	250	25 00	670	1152	278	800		5655	1794
Sigmund Uhlfelder, W. C.	" " "																
Frederick W. Williams, W. C.	" " "																
John Henry Hall, W. C.																	
James H. Dwight, P.	Englewood, N. J.	Englewood, P.	4	5	36		2		70	3 00						2500	350
Edward Chester, F. M.	Madura, India.																
Abbott E. Kittredge, P.	New-York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Eleventh, P.	2	25	434	173	1	3	260			140				29,940	35
Jesse W. Hough, P. C.	Williston, Vt.																
Erskine N. White, P.	New-Rochelle, N. Y.	New-Rochelle, P.	2	11	115	13	2	6	110	14 00	63	137				2500	239
Charles H. Payson, S. S.	New-York City, "																
Eldridge M. Mix, P. C.	Burlington, Vt.																
Simeon F. Woodin, F. M.	Fuh Chau, China.																
Howard Crosby, D.D., P.	New-York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Fourth Av., P.	29	87	466	140	12	18	245	22 00	55	248	101			17,679	2832
George E. Post, M.D., F. M.	Tripoli, Syria.																
John Henry Sinclair, Tea.	Stapleton, (S.I.), N.Y.																
James B. Dunn, P.	New-York City, "	N. Y., Central, P.	9	15	513	256	5	7	440		59	132				3081	457
William R. Eastman, S. S.	Grantville, Mass.																

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Asa D. Smith, D.D., LL.D., Pres. *In transitu*,	Hanover, N. H.																			
Dwight M. Seward, D.D., P.	Yonkers, N. Y.	Yonkers, First, P.	8	25	287			9	230	25	00	193	1770	232			11,150	2600		
Samuel D. Burchard, D.D., P.	New-York City, "	New-York, 13th st., P.	21	39	769		7	22	626	25	00	209	95	114	59		16,433	1854		
Oliver B. Bidwell, Ag.	" " "																			
Isaac P. Stryker, W. C.	" " "																			
Roswell D. Hitchcock, D.D., Prof.	" " "																			
D. D. Tompkins McLaughlin, W. C.	" " "																			
John R. Young, W. C.	Newport, R. I.																			
George Bowen, F. M.	Bombay, India.																			
James G. Craighead, Ed.	New-York City, N. Y.																			
Samuel G. Dwight, W. C.	Molokai, S. Islands.																			
Revilo J. Cone, Tea.	Fonda, N. Y.																			
Eliphalet P. Ackerman, Tea.	Hughsonville, "																			
Andrew Abraham, F. M.	Mapumulo, S. Africa.																			
Charles K. McHarg, W. C.	Cooperstown, N. Y.																			
James Morton, W. C.	New-York City, "																			
Charles Fanning, W. C.	" " "																			
Thomas Street, P.	" " "	New-York, North, P.	7	34	550	66	6	14	481	25	00	363	64				9300	460		
Thomas Ralston Smith, P.	" " "	" Seventh, P.	4	40	992		1	11	1247	25	00	201	248	76	72		5944	1436		
Samuel B. Bell, D.D., P.	" " "	" W. 50th st., P.	27	124	151		3	9	152	7	00						2975	109		
William P. Barker, F. M.	" " "	Ahmednug., First, S.S.	16		*120															
Robert Russell Booth, D.D., P.	" " "	N. Y., Mercer st., P.	25	30	484	25	7	4	1225	45	00	2325	3850	430	68	1382	12,500	10,305		
James J. McMahon, W. C.	North-Haverstraw, "																			
Daniel Ames, W. C.	Harper's Ferry, Va.																			
Edward T. Doane, F. M.	Ebon Is., Micronesia.																			
Robert R. Thompson, W. C.	New-York City, N. Y.																			
Luther H. Cone, P. C.	Chicopee, Mass.																			

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Silas Billings, W. C.	Brooklyn, N. Y.																
R. B. S. Montsalvatgé, Ag.	Panama, C. A.	[P.															
Hugh S. Carpenter, P.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Brooklyn, Westmins.,			*181												
James N. Gloucester, W. C.	" "																
Henry J. VanLennep, D.D., F.M.	Smyrna, Turkey.	[P.															
Theodore L. Cuyler, P.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	" La Fayette Ave.,	34	83	689		8	27	800	40 00	4081	899	468	597		16,878	1983
Parsons C. Hastings, W. C.	" "																
Amos N. Freeman, P.	" "	" Siloam, P.			*85												
Peter J. H. Myers, W. C.	" "																
Elijah D. Murphy, P.	New-York City, "																
Charles S. Robinson, P.	Brooklyn, "	" First, P.	25	29	538		3	15		50 00	3343	1591	749	828			5244
Spencer Marsh, P.	Haverstraw, "	Haverstraw, P.	3		142		1	3					20	38			
William S. Karr, P.	Brooklyn, "	Brooklyn, Third, P.	6	10	303		1	8		10 00	340	327	137	250			
Seth B. Stone, F. M.	Ifafa, S. Africa.																
Tillman C. Trowbridge, F. M.	Constantinople, Tur.																
Joseph H. Robinson, P.	Brooklyn (E.D.), N.Y.	" (E.D.), First, P.	17	11	286		6	30			457	64	208	106			
Malcolm McG. Dana, P. C.	Norwich, Ct.																
Lyman Gilbert, D.D., W. C.	Brooklyn, N. Y.																
Thomas Thomas, W. C.	" "																
Benjamin F. Millard, Ag.—22.	" "																
		Craneville, S. S.—9.			*46												
Licentiates.			90	161	2815		22	93		140 00	9477	3585	2182	2169		16,878	7227
David Fitch,	Brooklyn (E.D.), N.Y.																
John H. Meacham,	New-York City, "																
Francis L. Cardoza.																	
Henry L. Teller.—4.																	
Candidate, 1.																	

Licentiates.		" *First st., V.*			*78														
		Newtown, Second Col.			*35														
Cuthbert H. Powell, W. C.	U. S. Army.	[V.—22.																	
Eugene Douglass, W. C.	Albany, N. Y.		208	433	6937	329	46	130	8397	327	50	5258	10,584	1604	672	1382	110,400	28,884	
John S. Whitman, S. S.	Charlemont, Mass.																		
John M. Forbes, Tea.	New-York City, N. Y.																		
Samuel Carlile, W. C.	" " "																		
Levi P. Sabin.																			
John T. Rhodes, Tea.	Flatbush, (L. I.), N. Y.																		
Ellsworth J. Hill.—8.	Leroy, "																		
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J. Holmes Agnew, D.D., Ed.	" " "																		
John Spaulding, W. C.	" " "																		
Jonathan I. Jones, W. C.	" " "																		
Henry P. Tappan, D.D., LL.D., W. C.	Berlin, Prussia.																		
E. Goodrich Smith, W. C.	Washington, D. C.	[P.																	
William Adams, D.D., P.	New-York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Madison square,	53	53	926		14	41	1390	246	00	4197	8834	868	435		16,554	48,708	
George W. Wood, D.D., Sec.	" " "																		
Henry B. Smith, D.D., LL.D., Prof.	" " "																		
Gorham D. Abbott, LL.D., Tea.	" " "																		
Henry M. Field, D.D., Ed.	" " "																		
Benjamin W. Dwight, Ph.D., LL.D., Tea.	" " "																		
George L. Prentiss, D.D., P.	" " "	N. Y., Covenant, P.	25	36	232		1	5	116	35	00	1870	915	939	190		6580	4407	
Ezra H. Gillett, D.D., P.	Harlem, "	Harlem, First, P.	1	2	125	6		4	150			200	88		28		1486	27	

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Charles H. Theberath, W. C.	Newark, N. J.																
Charles W. Seaman, P.	Paterson, "	Paterson, German, P.	10		74			7	46		10						
Samuel R. Davis, Sec.	New-York City, N. Y.																
Nelson Millard, P.	Montclair, N. J.	West-Bloomfield, P.	31	23	274		6	9	200	15 00	354	340	92	38	51	4282	2176
James H. Taylor, P.	Orange, "	Orange, Second, P.	14	29	365		1	3	272	22 00	360	1100	222	36		4533	3604
Arthur Mitchell, P.	Morristown, "	Morristown, South st.,	8	9	325	12	3	3	250	16 00	295	701	67	128		3105	1344
J. Allen Maxwell, P.	South-Orange, "	South-Orange, P. [P.	7	6	199		1	1	140	10 00	211	151				2676	1079
Charles T. Huley, P.	Newark, "	Roseville, P.	7	15	105		3	1	300	4 00		262				1594	497
Charles H. Thompson, P.	" "	Newark, Plane st., P.	12	7	161	5	3	10	111	*3 00						900	
David Magie, P.	Mendham, "	Mendham, First, P.	8	4	195		4	4	80	10 00		75				1475	190
James M. Dickson, P.	Newark, "	Newark, Sixth, P.	3	10	183	16	1	8	255	6 00	45	80	25			1941	393
Charles D. Shaw, P.	Paterson, "	Paterson, Second, P.	11	9	142		1	9	120	6 00	111	103	108	23	23	3600	215
James Robertson, S. S.	Danbury, Ct.																
Christian Wisner, P.	Bloomfield, "	Bloomfield, Ger., P.	8	9	65			13	50		10	15				270	9
Charles E. Knox, P.	" "	Bloomfield, P.	52	12	493		6	11	200	25 00	373	440	80	163		2875	2033
Fergus L. Kenyon, P.	Newark, "	E. Orange, First, P.	11	6	80		3	4	90	4 00	12					2887	78
Albert Krahn, P.—50.	" "	Newark, Ger., Sec., P.	20	4	88			5	60								
		Newark, Central, V.	17	2	308		7	2	300	20 00						5192	308
Licentiates.		Newark, Ger., Third,	68	4	155			12	130								
George Pierson, Jr.	Orange, N. J.	[S. S.—27.															
Isaac N. Caldwell.			624	289	6831	100	126	227	5973	313 00	3951	6398	1118	1196	457	93,038	27,524
Aaron Peck, Ag.																	
Samuel Murdock, S.S. *In trans.* [—4.	Craneville, N. J.																
Candidates, 16.																	
8. *Presb. of Rockaway.*																	
John Ford, W. C.	Parsippany, N. J.																
Josiah Fisher, S. S.	Succasunna, "	Berkshire Valley, S.S.			26												

Joseph H. Bradley, Ch.—19.	U. S. Army.																		
		Manhattanville, S. S.			43														
		N.Y.,French Evangel-	1		48	12			40									1509	68
Licentiates.		[ical, S. S.—15.																	
			158	295	3804	866	42	112	3506	373	00	7231	11,851	2201	1471			95,784	59,172
Samuel J. Parker.																			
Elizur W. Goodrich.																			
Charles Livingston,	East-Africa.																		
William A. Alrich,	Wilmington, Del.																		
William B. Dwight, Tea.	Englewood, N. J.																		
Robert H. Williamson,	Dodgeville, Wis.																		
C. Edwin Griggs, S. S.	Chaplin, Ct.																		
Thomas J. Holmes, S. S.	East-Hartford, "																		
William H. Ford, S. S.	Rocky Hill, "																		
Abraham C. Baldwin,	New-York City, N. Y.																		
Charles H. Barrett, S. S.	" " "																		
Alfred M. Penland,	" " "																		
Henry T. Ford.																			
Andrew Jackson Hetrick, S. S.	Westport, Ct.																		
George Lansing Raymond,	Chicago, Ill.																		
George Hermon Griffin, P. E.	Milford, Ct.																		
Oliver A. Kingsbury, S. S.—17.	Haddam, "																		
Candidates, 20.																			
6. *Presb. of Brooklyn.*																			
Alfred W. Dashiell, D.D., W. C.	Brooklyn, N. Y.																		
Samuel T. Spear, D.D., P.	" "	Brooklyn, South, P.	5	28	545		3	10		40	00	1256	704	600	350				

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Henry A. Riley, W. C.	Montrose, Pa.																
Darius Williams, W. C.	Wysox, "																
James B. McCreary, W. C.	Washington, D. C.																
Henry Van Houten, P.	Hawley, Pa.	Hawley, P.	1	3	60	6	1		150	4 00	25	14	7	13		582	758
Horatio Pattengill, S. S.	Susquehanna, "	Susquehanna, S. S.	1	5	86	14	1	2	130	6 00	18	4				1632	1654
Clarendon F. Muzzy, S. S.	Waverly, "	Abington, S. S.	1		36	2			50	3 00	10	35		3		300	341
		Clark's Green, S. S.	1		10				100	1 00	5	5				93	145
Albert R. Raymond, S. S.	Hamlinton, "																
Joseph O. Boswell, W. C.	Harford, "																
Thomas R. Townsend, S. S.	Dunmore, "	Dunmore, S. S.		1	60	2		5	170	3 00		125	10	15		575	183
William H. Adams, S. S.	Brooklyn, "	Brooklyn, S. S.	3	1	84	5			60	5 00	25	30		5		600	725
Samuel Whaley, P.	Providence, "	Providence, P.	1	4	82	7	1		130	6 00	60	49		13		1130	129
Elias O. Ward, P.	Bethany, "	Bethany, P.	2		87	9	1	2	75	5 00	10					370	
Jacob Best, S. S.	Waymart, "	Waymart, S. S.			27	3			84	3 00	17	11				620	13
		Prompton, S. S.			17	1			40	3 00	13	6				175	208
Oliver Crane, P.	Carbondale, "	Carbondale, P.	3	10	203	32	2	4	183	15 00		110				12,910	258
Jacob G. Miller, P.	Montrose, "	Montrose, P.	5	3	288	44	1	2	200	17 00	159	177	76			1470	2221
Jerre Lorenzo Lyons, F. M.	" "																
Henry Harris Jessup, F. M.	Beirut, Syria.																
James W. Raynor, S. S.	Springville, "	Springville, S. S.			50			2		4 00	13		7	3		81	11
Charles S. Dunning, P.	Honesdale, "	Honesdale, P.	51	13	332	74	21	3	350	25 00	265	550				4825	850
Raphael Kessler, P.	Pleasant Mount, "	Mount Pleasant, P.	3		113	4	2	4	100	6 00	48	48	6	12		700	118
		Uniondale, P.			97			1	60	4 00	13	7	5	10		175	75
Jeremiah N. Diament, S. S.	Redfield, N. Y.																
		Franklin, V.			65	5		3	40	6 00	17	35	6	5		450	50
		Liberty, V.			50				25	4 00	4	4	5	5		175	
Asahel L. Clark, P.	Hyde Park, Pa.	Hyde Park, P.	2	7	54			1	180	4 00	17	33	7			1350	45
Samuel Jessup, F. M.	Tripoli, Syria.																
Henry J. Crane, S. S.—30.	Wysox, Pa.	Wysox, S. S.	2		42	16	1		60	2 00	14	10	8	5		688	123
		Salem, S. S.	1	1	35				30	5 00						435	

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Daniel G. Sprague, W. C.	South-Orange, "																		
Joel Parker, D.D., P.	Newark, "	Newark, Park, P.	46	16	200		14	6	350	11	00	98	200		25	55	5143	760	
Isaac N. Sprague, P.	Caldwell, "	Caldwell, P.	24	6	441		11	9	200	13	00	100	205		21		1550	1104	
Isaac McIlvaine, W. C.	Newark, "																		
Ebenezer Seymour, S. S.	Bloomfield, "																		
William Bradley, Ag.	Orange, "																		
Jonathan F. Stearns, D.D., P.	Newark, "	Newark, First, P.	54	9	472	11	7	5	625	31	00	409	349	45	355	00	3200	4622	
James P. Wilson, D.D., P.	" "	" South Park, P.	42	19	364		12	13	430	27	00	509	378	86	127		9000	2089	
ChristopherM.Nickels,DD,W.C.	" "																		
James M. Sherwood, Ed.	New-York City, N. Y.																		
Selah B. Treat, Sec.	Boston, Mass.																		
Robert B. Campfield, W. C.	Newark, N. J.																		
George H. Hulin, W. C.	Bloomfield, "																		
Joseph S. Gallagher, Sec.	New-York City, N. Y.																		
Samuel Hutchings, Tea.	Newark, N. J.																		
Samuel L. Tuttle, Sec.	New-York City, N. Y.																		
Daniel W. Poor, D.D., P.	Newark, N. J.	Newark, High st., P.	28	10	261	8	4	8	167	10	00	300	444	22			10,378	925	
Joseph Few Smith, D.D., P.	" "	" Second, P.	53	18	484		14	7	400	27	00	275	255	75	148		3856	2442	
James Hoyt, P.	Orange, "	Orange, First, P.	5	25	296	36	1	12	212	21	00	263	673	75	50	17	3156	2313	
Robert Aikman, P.	Elizabeth, "	Elizabeth, Third, P.	5	4	190	7		8	150	10	00	30	40	20	30		14,000	463	
Theodore S. Brown, P.	Plainfield, "	Plainfield, Second, P.	15	26	235	5	10	4	200	10	00	22	93	75		96	2100	400	
Caleb C. Baldwin, F. M.	Fuh Chau, China.																		
Edward M. Dodd, F. M.	Smyrna, Asia.																		
George C. Goehring, W. C.																			
William W. Eddy, F. M.	Sidon, Syria.																		
Johann Ulrich Gunther, P.	Newark, N. J.	Newark,Ger.,First, P.	28		428		1	49	420			11	59	8		15	2175	129	
Ennals J. Adams, F. M.	Mendi Miss., Africa.																		
Aaron R. Wolfe, Tea.	Montclair, N. J.																		
Albert Mandell, P.	Madison, "	Madison, P.	37	7	248		13	4	215	12	00	153	435	18	52		3150	351	
Theodore L. Byington, F. M.	Eski Zaghra, W. Tur.																		

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William R. Morris.—2.	Dover, Del.	Newark, V.			*37												
Candidate, 1.		Milford, S. S.			*40												
		Mispillion, V.			*22												
		Felton, S. S.			*16												
		Greensboro, V.—15.			*10												
			74	22	1628		26	38	1919	78 20	2345	620	702	1360	69	9969	115
2. *Presb. of Philadelphia*, 3d.																	
Joseph McCool, W. C.	Pottsville, Pa.																
Michael Burdett, Ch.																	
James M. Davis, W. C.																	
Charles A. Smith, D.D., Tea.	Philadelphia, "																
Charles Brown, Sec.	" "																
Beriah B. Hotchkin, P.	Haverford, "	Marple, P.	3		96	5	1	4	200	5 00	40	42		60	41	770	700
Peter Parker, M.D., W. C.	Washington, D. C.																
William W. Taylor, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Phila., Olivet, P.	6	24	239	21	2	9	400			100	80	102		1800	50
Ezra E. Adams, D.D., P.	" "	" North Broad st., [P.	14	54	364		6	13	764	20 00	413	775	368	2200	300	26,560	19,800
Marcus E. Cross, W. C.																	
John Crowell, W. C.	" "																
Leeds K. Berridge, W. C.	" "																
Nathaniel Frost, Ch.																	
Isaac Wetherell, W. C.																	
Daniel March, D.D., P.	" "	Phila., Clinton st., P.	20	4	372	38	7	4	450	20 00	219	473	10	77		5927	3742
William Ottinger, Tea.	Germantown, "																
David C. Meeker, P.	Wallace P.O., "	W. Nantmeal, P.	1	1	116	14	1		66	5 00	12	20	15	13	10	835	128
John McLeod, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Phila., South Western, [P.	12	5	120			11	80			25				1500	
John W. Dulles, Sec.	" "																
William E. Moore, P.	Westchester, "	Westchester, P.	13	9	297	16	7	11	279	13 00	486	211	111	47		2473	483

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Daniel E. Megie, P.	Boonton,	"	Boonton, P.	2	5	140				175	7	00	44	52			800	184
Frederick F. Judd, Tea.	Oneida, N. Y.																	
Francis E. M. Bacheler, P.	Sparta,	N. J.	Sparta, P.	16	1	150		12		150	9	50		12			1200	90
Lewis Thompson, P.	Whippany,	"	Whippany, P.	3		124		2		120				47	77	12	700	52
James H. Board, S. S.	West-Milford,	"	West-Milford, S. S.	9	1	98		5	1	55	5	00	20	17	10		500	150
George W. Lloyd, P.	Branchville,	"	Frankford, P.	2		148		2		175	7	00		40	22			350
Robert S. Feagles, P.	Mendham,	"	Mendham, Second, P.	10	4	119		5	12	50	5	60	155	163	12		1000	
Peres B. Bonney, P.	Parsippany,	"	Parsippany, P.		2	62				40	3	25		34	7		578	24
Samuel Cox Hay, S. S.											*20	65						
Frederick A. M. Brown, P.	Parsippany,	"	Hanover, P.	1	4	98					5	00		136			900	300
Charles Milne, S. S.	Stanhope,	"	Stanhope, S. S.	12	2	43		6		60	1	00	24	10	5	3	1100	
Elijah W. Stoddard, P.—20.	Succasunna,	"	Succasunna, P.	4		75		3		90	5	00	55	55	23		1000	60
			Rockaway, S. S.			*198												
			Deckertown, S. S.	3	1	103				70	5	00	30				600	100
Licentiate.			Wantage, Second, S.S.			204				130	10	00			22	10	750	51
			Hardyston, S. S.—20.			*50												
John Jenkins.—1.				73	23	2222	15	43	24	1420	111	45	506	969	293	80	13,128	2739
Candidates, 2.																		
9. *Presb. of Montrose.*																		
Edward Allen, S. S.	Harford,	Pa.	Gibson, S. S.			40					3	00	10	14	6	5		41
Burr Baldwin, W. C.	Montrose,	"																
Lyman Richardson, Tea.	Harford,	"																
Adam Miller, P.	"	"	Harford, P.	11	3	236	12	1	8	200	10	00	35	29			710	260
James B. Wilson, W. C.	New-Milford,	"																
Samuel Schaffer, W. C.	Humphreysville,	"																

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Richard Walker, W. C.	Allentown, Pa.																
James Boggs, P.	Fairton, N. J.	Fairfield, First, P.	2	1	145	10	2	1	120	3 50		7	6	5			43
William T. Catto, W. C.																	
Francis Hendricks, S. S.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Kenderton, First, S.S.	2	8	49		2	2	90	3 00	13	6		20		1433	
Brown Emerson, S. S.	Vineland, N. J.	Cedarville, S. S.	8	1	104	15	5	2	70	3 50	10	9				48	
Charles F. Diver, Ag.	Cedarville, N. J.																
Douglas K. Turner, P.	Hartsville, Pa.	Neshaminy, P.	8	2	219	8	3	4	280	10 00	58	68	35	75		969	18
Thomas J. Shepherd, P.	Philadelphia, "	Phila., N. L., First, P.	12	9	450	100	2	12	400	30 00	110	1041	300	40	593	3500	1105
William T. Eva, P.	" "	Kensington, First, P.	17	15	1018	300	4	43	600	30 00	71			200	22	4000	7500
Edward B. Bruen, S. S.	" "	Phila., Wharton st.,	48	57	105		5	17	620	2 50	60	48		30		1382	145
Andrew Culver, P.	Manayunk, "	Manayunk, P. [S. S.	7	3	225	5	3	43	437	5 00	22	42				2334	50
Henry S. Osborn, P.	Belvidere, N. J.	Belvidere, Second, P.	1	2	101	8	1	1	150		47	450				880	25
Benjamin Judkins, Jr., S. S.	Clinton, Mass.																
J. Addison Whitaker, Ch.	New-Castle, Del.																
Joseph G. Williamson, P.	Sidney, N. J.	Bethlehem, P.	6	4	275		4	5		10 00	69	82		100		1117	548
Cornelius Earle, P.	Catasaqua, Pa.	Catasaqua, First, P.	17	16	80	5	3	6	230	7 50	84	43		212		1094	411
Thomas Pugh, S. S.	" "																
George W. Cox, W. C.	Philadelphia, Pa.	[P.															
James Y. Mitchell, P.	" "	Phila., N. L., Central,	16	4	320		8	7	270		19	43	10	10		2500	50
Alfred I. Snyder, P.	Whitemarsh, "	Springfield, First, P.			53	4		7	60	3 00	8	3		3		2216	18
		Jeffersonville, S. S.		3	44	14			80	3 00	8	4			3	220	21
Henry H. Budge, S. S.	Whitby, Canada W.																
Samuel Loomis, P.	Vineland, N. J.	Vineland, First, P.	4	61	106		2	1	204	2 50	10	10				3790	47
Albert Worthington, W. C.	" "	[Central, P.															
John B. Reeve, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Phila., Lombard st.,	7	1	253	20	1	10	200	2 50	12	12				3500	150
Enoch K. Miller, Ch.																	
William H. Thorne, W. C.		[First, P.															
Gulick Van Aken, P.—36.	" "	Phila., Southwark,	6	10	147		2	1	173	5 00	35	22				1356	54
		Hokendauqua, First,	1		14		1	1	190		15					222	
		Mountain, S. S. [S. S.	5		87	16	1		90	2 50	48	55		5			49

Wilbur Johnson, S. S.—1.	New-Milford, Pa.	New-Milford, S. S.	2	4	87		2		175	5 00	9		4			588	50	
Candidates, 2.		Auburn, V.			*10													
		Scott, S. S.			42													
		Jackson, V.			21					2 00								
		Archbald, V.			*10													
		Lenoxville, V.			*12													
		Dundaff, V.			*19													
		Lebanon, V.			*7													
		Nicholson, V.	3	7	10													
		Great Bend, V.—34.	2	5	153	12	1	6	160	7 00	7	40		7		938		
			95	67	2517	248	41	43	2797	161 00	794	1336	147	101		31,522	8258	
VIII. Synod of Pennsylvania.																		
1. *Presb. of Wilmington.*																		
George Foot, P.	Glasgow, Del.	Pencader, P.			*92													
George Hood, Tea.	Princeton, N. J.																	
D. Hopkins Emerson, P.	St. George's, Del.	St. George's, P.	22	2	224		8	12	181	12 00	360	60	230	685		2500		
Heminway J. Gaylord, P.	Delaware City, "	Delaware City, P.			101			2	136	5 00	119	60	127	59	11	897		
		Port Penn, P.	2	2	103				75	6 00	76	52	61	70		739	115	
Lewis C. Lockwood, W. C.	Georgetown, "	[P.																
George F. Wiswell P.	Wilmington, "	Wilmington, Central,	16	11	375		5	13	789	17 00	788	144	150	412	10	2800		
William Aikman, P.	" "	" Hanover-	22	7	343		7	11	550	17 00	982	294	134	119	48	2500		
John W. Mears, Ed.	Philadelphia, Pa.	[street, P.																
Daniel G. Mallery, Tea., S. S.	Delaware City, Del.	Chesapeake City, S. S.	1		27				112	1 00		10		15		183		
J. Garland Hamner, S. S.	Philadelphia, Pa.									*16 20								
William H. Edwards, S. S.—11.	Wilmington, Del.																	
		Christiana, S. S.	11		91		6		76	4 00	20					350		
Licentiates.		Forest, P. E.			*61													
Thomas M. Cann, Tea.	Wilmington, Del.	Drawyers, V.			*86													

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5. *Presb. of Dist. of Columbia.*																	
John C. Smith, D.D., P.	Washington, D. C.	Washington, Fourth,	15	22	474		1	16	260	22 00		326			25		63
William McLain, D.D., Sec.	" "	[P.															
Mason Noble, Ch.	Newport, R. I.																
Byron Sunderland, D.D., P.	Paris, France.	Washington, First, P.	15	11	274	4		4	250	13 80		183				6808	126
A. D. Hollister, W. C.	Washington, D. C.	[tional, P.															
Halsey Dunning, P.	Baltimore, Md.	Wash., First Constitu-	5	1	217	1	1	7	328	11 35	87	102		75		3542	183
Thaddeus Banks McFalls, P.	Washington, D. C.	Wash., Assembly's, P.	9	8	143		3	16	150	7 75	150	150		6		1702	7
William B. Evans, S. S.	" "	Granite, S. S.			30			1		2 00	10	10		10	2	25	59
John N. Coombs, P.	" "	Wash., Western, P.	8	14	90			6	100	3 75	10	55		5		1800	
Henry Highland Garnet, P.	" "	" First, Col., P.	7	5	107	1	1	4	82	4 75						1800	48
George H. Smyth, P.	" "	" Sixth, P.	10	4	79		2	2	50	4 85						2020	
David R. Frazer, W. C.—12.	Staten Island, N. Y.									*2 45							
		Harmony, V.—9.			*30												
Licentiate.																	
			69	65	1444	6	8	56	1220	72 70	257	826		96	27	17,697	486
R. Randolph Gurley, Sec.—1.	Washington, D. C.																
Candidate, 1.																	
IX. Synod of West-Penn.																	
1. *Presb. of Erie.*																	
George A. Lyon, D.D., P.	Erie, Pa.	Erie, P.	11	2	345		2	12	250	17 45	250	250	55	40	25	14,087	750
Joseph Vance, P.	Belle Valley, "	Belle Valley, P.			51	3			75	2 70	30	19	14	5		699	95
James F. Read, D.D., P.	Union Mills, "	Union, P.	6	2	60		2	4	80	3 00	6	11	9	6		882	27
George W. Cleveland, P.	Mooreheadville, "	Harbor Creek, P.			61	1		2	100	3 30	12	30	7	5		1737	120

Albert Henry Barnes, Tea.	Philadelphia, Pa.																
Samuel W. Crittenden, P.	Kingsessing, "	Darby, Second, P.	18	5	73	13	8	6	112			19	30	8	10		8000	37
Jonathan S. Willis, P.	Philadelphia, "	Phila., Western, P.	1	5	161	45	1		100	15	00	375	255	200	383		2100	200
George Van Deurs, S. S.	" "	" Tabor, S. S.	32	15	273		1	45	215			8	5	7	11	10	499	41
H. Augustus Smith, P.	West-Phila., "	" Mantua, First, P.	3	14	228	26	1	3	250	10	00	50	120		100		2000	200
Frank L. Robbins, P.	Philadelphia, "	" Green Hill, P.	26	11	304	30	12	4	540	15	00	500	206		500		4550	10,800
Richard A. Mallery, P.	" "	" Cedar st., P.	8	17	294	68	2	11	250			20	36		10		2975	124
J. Hervey Beale, S. S.	Christiana, Del.																	
Wolcott Calkins, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	" Calvary, P.	12	20	305	20		11	328	60	00	1292	2809	460	10,008		11,800	83,550
Llewelyn Pratt, S. S.	" "	" Mantua, Second,	6	14	29		4	4	180			15					450	
Isaac Riley P.	Pottsville, "	Pottsville, P. [S.S.	6	8	148	35		3	130	5	00			31	50		1837	168
George G. Smith, S. S.—35.	Bannock City, Mon. T.																	
		Phila., Logan Sq., V.	2	1	167	52	1	4	273	5	00	11			19		2463	53
Licentiate.		Darby, First, S. S.	1		60			4	50			18	18		11		1000	
		E. Whiteland, V.			78				30			15	16				200	10
E. Clarence Smith.—1.		Reeseville, V.	3	1	33				60			10	30	5	8		424	
		Unionville, V.			*17													
Candidates, 2.		Womelsdorf, V.—23.																
			203	228	4006	418	55	151	5207	193	00	4519	5771	1460	13,769	495	83,303	132,586
3. *Presb. of Philadelphia, 4th.*																		
Albert Barnes, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Phila., First, P.	16	6	443		3	9		75	00		3106					
Thomas Brainerd, D.D., P.	" "	" Third, P.	11		575		8	15	850	50	00	406	520	222	84	50	6000	2110
David Malin, D.D., Ch.	" "	[sq., P.																
Jacob Helffenstein, D.D., P.	Germantown, "	Germantown, Market	9	8	336	13	3	8	160	15	00	57	100	70	30	56	2760	350
Charles Boyter, W. C.	Beverly, N. J.	[P.																
Robert Adair, P.	Norristown, Pa.	Norristown, Central,	1	3	180	15		2	260	10	00	66	43	40	43		1250	100
Elias J. Richards, P.	Reading, "	Reading, First, P.	4	7	368		1	6		20	00	200	159		223			421
Matthew Meigs, Tea.	Pottstown, "																	
Cornelius S. Conkling, P.	Mt. Pleasant, N. J.	Alexandria, First, P.			*265													

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Richard Walker, W. C.	Allentown, Pa.																
James Boggs, P.	Fairton, N. J.	Fairfield, First, P.	2	1	145	10	2	1	120	3 50		7	6	5			43
William T. Catto, W. C.																	
Francis Hendricks, S. S.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Kenderton, First, S.S.	2	8	49		2	2	90	3 00	13	6		20		1433	
Brown Emerson, S. S.	Vineland, N. J.	Cedarville, S. S.	8	1	104	15	5	2	70	3 50	10	9				48	
Charles F. Diver, Ag.	Cedarville, N. J.																
Douglas K. Turner, P.	Hartsville, Pa.	Neshaminy, P.	8	2	219	8	3	4	280	10 00	58	68	35	75		969	18
Thomas J. Shepherd, P.	Philadelphia, "	Phila., N. L., First, P.	12	9	450	100	2	12	400	30 00	110	1041	300	40	593	3500	1105
William T. Eva, P.	" "	Kensington, First, P.	17	15	1018	300	4	43	600	30 00	71			200	22	4000	7500
Edward B. Bruen, S. S.	" "	Phila., Wharton st.,	48	57	105		5	17	620	2 50	60	48		30		1382	145
Andrew Culver, P.	Manayunk, "	Manayunk, P. [S. S.	7	3	225	5	3	43	437	5 00	22	42				2334	50
Henry S. Osborn, P.	Belvidere, N. J.	Belvidere, Second, P.	1	2	101	8	1	1	150		47	450				880	25
Benjamin Judkins, Jr., S. S.	Clinton, Mass.																
J. Addison Whitaker, Ch.	New-Castle, Del.																
Joseph G. Williamson, P.	Sidney, N. J.	Bethlehem, P.	6	4	275		4	5		10 00	69	82		100		1117	548
Cornelius Earle, P.	Catasaqua, Pa.	Catasaqua, First, P.	17	16	80	5	3	6	230	7 50	84	43		212		1094	411
Thomas Pugh, S. S.	" "																
George W. Cox, W. C.	Philadelphia, Pa.	[P.															
James Y. Mitchell, P.	" "	Phila., N. L., Central,	16	4	320		8	7	270		19	43	10	10		2500	50
Alfred I. Snyder, P.	Whitemarsh, "	Springfield, First, P.			53	4		7	60	3 00	8	3		3		2216	18
		Jeffersonville, S. S.		3	44	14			80	3 00	8	4			3	220	21
Henry H. Budge, S. S.	Whitby, Canada W.																
Samuel Loomis, P.	Vineland, N. J.	Vineland, First, P.	4	61	106		2	1	204	2 50	10	10				3790	47
Albert Worthington, W. C.	" "	[Central, P.															
John B. Reeve, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Phila., Lombard st.,	7	1	253	20	1	10	200	2 50	12	12				3500	150
Enoch K. Miller, Ch.																	
William H. Thorne, W. C.		[First, P.															
Gulick Van Aken, P.—36.	" "	Phila., Southwark,	6	10	147		2	1	173	5 00	35	22				1356	54
		Wakendaqua First	1		14		1	1	100		18					600	

Albert Bryant.																		
Thomas A. Hamilton.—4.																		
Candidates, 10.																		
4. *Presb. of Harrisburgh.*																		
William R. Dewitt, D.D., P.	**Harrisburgh, Pa.**	**Harrisburgh, First, P.**	5	3	158	4		5	300	25 00	1146	569		480		2500	3955	
John W. Davis, Ch.	" "																	
Jeremiah Miller, Sec.	**Philadelphia, "**																	
Harmon Loomis, Sec. *In trans.*	**New-York City, N. Y.**																	
William Sterling, P.	**Williamsport, Pa.**	**Williamsport, Sec., P.**	1	12	197	3	1	10	290	20 00	130	100	30	40	30	5000	1574	
William Tracy, F. M.	**Pasumalie, N. India.**																	
Conway P. Wing, D.D., P.	**Carlisle, Pa.**	**Carlisle, First, P.**	6	5	326	5	2	8	315	25 00	139	125	36	146		4050	530	
Charles M. Blake, Ch.	**Chattanooga, Tenn.**																	
Thomas H. Robinson, C. P.	**Harrisburgh, Pa.**																	
James Dickson, P.	**Northumberland, "**	**Northumberland, P.**			*90													
Alexander D. Moore, S. S.	**Dauphin, "**	**Dauphin, First, S. S.**	3		51			3	75	5 00	7	20		12		690	70	
Henry E. Niles, P.	**York, "**	**York, P.**	5	2	135		1	4	250	25 00	417	411	75	200	50	8000	1264	
John E. Long, S. S.—13.	**Hublersburgh, "**	**Hublersburgh, S. S.**	3		48			5	50	3 00	17	10				388	73	
		Spring Mills, S. S.	2		28				30	3 00	33					76	40	
Licentiates.																		
John L. Landis,	**Pottstown, Pa.**																	
Hiram Baker, S. S.—2.	**Harrisburgh, "**	**Harrisburgh, Second, S. S.—9.**	7	1	35		2		60		3					200	3	
Candidates, 3.			32	23	1068	12	6	35	1370	106 00	1892	1235	141	878	80	20,904	7509	

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		West-Adrian, V.			17											10	
Candidates, 2.		Raisin, V.			35				40			25				186	
		Adrian, V.—17.	5	16	268		2	4	216	10 00	130	130	37			2250	550
			90	61	1439		28	29	1076	69 85	466	590	175	90		11,669	1555
3. *Presb. of Marshall.*																	
Alfred Bryant, S. S.	Lower Lansing, Mich.	Lower Lansing, S. S.			35					3 00							
Calvin Clark, Sec.	Marshall, "									*9 00							
Hosea Kittredge, S. S.	Mason, "	Mason, S. S.	1	7	38		1	2		1 90	15	25		2			
William U. Benedict, Ag.	Vermontville, "																
Loomis Chandler, S. S.	Parma, "	Parma, S. S.	4	2	53		1		75	2 60	25	35		4			
Bela Fancher, P. E.	Homer, "	Homer, P. E.	2	2	113		1	1		5 70	35	25		25		47	
Benjamin Welles, W. C.																	
James Walker, S. S.	Eckford, "	Eckford, S. S.		1	51			1	70	3 00	15	35		6		28	
Oliver W. Norton, S. S.	Brooklyn, "	Brooklyn, S. S.	1	3	73		1	1		3 60	20		7	7			
Albert Bigelow, W. C.	Silver Creek, N. Y.																
J. Livingston Willard, P.	Marshall, Mich.	Marshall, P.	49	15	236		21	1			158	94				40	
Chester S. Armstrong, Ch.	U. S. Army.																
Joel Kennedy, S. S.	Albion, "	Albion, S. S.	38	11	191		12	3	200	7 40	10					2850	
Evan L. Davies, S. S.	Battle Creek, "	Battle Creek, S. S.	8	8	272		4	7		13 60	100		20			2146	
Samuel B. Shaw, S. S.	Roxana, "	Roxana, S. S.			18			2		1 00	6	3	2	2			
Theodore D. Marsh, H. M.	Central City, Col. Ter.																
James Odell, S. S., *In trans.*—	New Market, Tenn.	Danville, S. S.	2	3	26					1 30	7	10	14				
[17.		Springport, S. S.	6		45		1	1	65	2 10	24	12					
		Tekonsha, S. S.	3	4	44					2 00	24	24		1		10	
Candidate, 1.		Lansing, S. S.	8	9	143		5			10 30	20	25	20			115	
		Sunfield, S. S.			9												

Oliver W. Mather, W. C.	Windsor, Ct.																		
John L. King, W. C.	Kingston, Jamaica.																		
Lionel B. Hart, Ch.—18.	U. S. Army.																		
		Farmington, S. S.			26				1	55									
		Wing Lake, S. S.	16	2	64	7			2	20	5	9	3						
		Milford, S. S.			*60				3	00	22	64	14						
Candidates, 8.		Canton, V.			*61														
		Erin, S. S.			28				1	92									
		Springfield, S. S.			32		1		1	75	8	8							
		White Lake, V.—15.		6	60		7		2	90	17	16	2						
			72	40	1364	21	26		66	05	1113	979	532	692	64	120	1440		
2. *Presb. of Monroe.*																			
John Walker, W. C.	Jersey City, N. J.																		
Salmon Strong, W.C. *In trans.*																			
Erastus N. Nichols, W. C.	Tecumseh, Mich.																		
Isaac Crabb, W. C.	Fairfield, "																		
Charles N. Mattoon, D.D., P,	Monroe, "	Monroe, P.	50	7	287	12	7	200	12	00	119	174	30			1760	293		
Robert R. Salter, D.D., P.	" "	Lasalle, P.	2	1	67		4	40	1	00	6					395	10		
		Ida, S. S.	1		12		1	20		55	11					130	9		
George Duffield, Jr., W. C.	Galesburgh, Ill.																		
William S. Taylor, H. M.	Petersburgh, Mich.	Petersburgh, S. S.	4	4	43	2	2	50	1	60	20	18	1	6		1100	43		
		Deerfield, S. S.			33			40	1	50	10	5	1	4		447	10		
Erasmus J. Boyd, Prof.	Monroe, "								*13	10									
Horatio W. Shaw, H. M.	Clayton, "	Clayton, S. S.	1	2	20			20	1	25	4	5	4			442	65		
		Dover, S. S.		2	42			40	2	75	8	10	6			487	51		
Samuel Fleming, S. S.	Erie, "	Erie, S. S.	4	8	42	2		60	1	00			5	4		592	17		
Samuel E. Wishard, P.	Tecumseh, "	Tecumseh, P.	9	7	275	3	7	200	12	00	70	140	50	50		1330	388		
Edwin J. Stewart, S. S.	Morenci, "	Morenci, S. S.			21				1	00	22	3	2			255			
		Medina, S. S.	4	3	44	4	1	20			21	5	2			549			
Richard G. McCarthy, S. S.	Manchester, "	Manchester, S. S.	2	5	99	1	1	50	5	50	25	18	6	12		817			
Daniel H. Evans, S. S.—15.	Blissfield, "	Blissfield, S. S.	2	6	74			50	3	70	10	25	15	9		644	55		
		Palmyra, S. S.	6		60	2	2	80	2	90	10	32	16	5		275	64		

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Alfred Bryant, S. S.	Lower Lansing, Mich.	Lower Lansing, S. S.			35					3 00							
Calvin Clark, Sec.	Marshall, "									*9 00							
Hosea Kittredge, S. S.	Mason, "	Mason, S. S.	1	7	38		1	2		1 90	15	25		2			
William U. Benedict, Ag.	Vermontville, "																
Loomis Chandler, S. S.	Parma, "	Parma, S. S.	4	2	53		1		75	2 60	25	35		4			
Bela Fancher, P. E.	Homer, "	Homer, P. E.	2	2	113		1	1		5 70	35	25		25		47	
Benjamin Welles, W. C.																	
James Walker, S. S.	Eckford, "	Eckford, S. S.		1	51			1	70	3 00	15	33		6		28	
Oliver W. Norton, S. S.	Brooklyn, "	Brooklyn, S. S.	1	3	73		1	1		3 60	20		7	7			
Albert Bigelow, W. C.	Silver Creek, N. Y.																
J. Livingston Willard, P.	Marshall, Mich.	Marshall, P.	49	15	236		21	1			158	94				40	
Chester S. Armstrong, Ch.	U. S. Army.																
Joel Kennedy, S. S.	Albion, "	Albion, S. S.	38	11	191		12	3	200	7 40	10					2850	
Evan L. Davies, S. S.	Battle Creek, "	Battle Creek, S. S.	8	8	272		4	7		13 60	100		20			2146	
Samuel B. Shaw, S. S.	Roxana, "	Roxana, S. S.			18			2		1 00	6	3	2	2			
Theodore D. Marsh, H. M.	Central City, Col. Ter.																
James Odell, S. S., *In trans.*—	New Market, Tenn.	Danville, S. S.	2	3	26					1 30	7	10	14				
[17.		Springport, S. S.	6		45		1	1	65	2 10	24	12					
		Tekonsha, S. S.	3	4	44					2 00	24	24				10	
		Lansing, S. S.	8	9	148		5			10 30	20	25	20			115	
		Sunfield, S. S.			9												

4. *Presb. of Washtenaw.*				122	65	1414		47	19	410	68	00	459	288	63	47		5236	
Ebenezer Cheever, W. C.	Ypsilanti,	Mich.																	
Rufus Nutting, Tea.	Saline,	"																	
Edward E. Gregory, S. S.	Corunna,	"																	
Charles G. Clark, P. M.	Ann Arbor,	"																	
Sylvester Carey, W. C.	Stockbridge,	"																	
Seth Hardy, W. C.	Ypsilanti,	"																	
Maltby Gelston, S. S.	Saline,	"																	
Norman Kellogg, S. S.	Ypsilanti,	"	Stony Creek, S. S.	3	6	88	1	1	3	100	4	85	27	45	19	17		1010	
Benjamin Franklin, S. S.	Brighton,	"	Brighton, S. S.	2	2	45		2		110	2	40	5		7	9		682	40
Sanford R. Bissell, S.S. *In trans.*	Effingham, Ill.																		
George P. Tindall, P.	Ypsilanti,	Mich.	Ypsilanti, P.	39	19	400		12	14	330	18	25	157	114	47	25		2070	
Lucius D. Chapin, Prof.	Ann Arbor,	"																	
J. Ford Sutton, S. S.	Howell,	"	Howell, S. S.	10	3	125		5	14	100	6	05			38	32		1777	126
William J. G. Netting, S. S.	Unadilla,	"	Unadilla, S. S.			*38				50									
William W. Wetmore, S.S.—15.	Ann Arbor,	"	Ann Arbor, S. S.	14	2	250		2	3	320	16	00	73	104	31	40		12,525	53
			Plainfield, S. S.			*32				40									
Licentiates.			Saline, S. S.—8.	2	8	100		2			6	05	39	41				900	210
Elnathan A. Pitkin,	Ypsilanti,	Mich.		70	40	1078	1	24	34	1050	53	60	301	304	142	123		18,964	429
George H. Hood.—2.	Lodi,	"																	
Candidates, 3.																			
5. *Presb. of Kalamazoo.*																			
Seth Smalley, W. C.	Augusta,	Mich.																	
Ova P. Hoyt, D.D., W. C.	Kalamazoo,	"																	

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John G. Reichmann, D.D., S.S.	Kalamazoo, Mich.	Kalamazoo, Ger., S.S.	16		65			16		4 00	2				2	150	8
Elisha B. Sherwood, S. S.	Cassapolis, "	Cassapolis, S. S.	4	2	110	9	1	1	130	7 00	11	12				480	309
Preston Taylor, W. C.	Schoolcraft, "																
Manna Thompson, W. C.	Berrien Springs, "																
Milton Bradley, P.	Richland, "	Richland, P.	2	1	105	10		1	200	8 00	111	100				755	500
William Fuller, S. S.	Buchanan, "	Buchanan, S. S.	9	6	60		3	1	80	3 00	9	12			3	662	26
Albert L. Payson, Ch.	Schoolcraft, "																
Albert H. Gaston, S. S.	Prairieville, "	Prairieville, S. S.	2	6	22		1	2	170	1 00	8	4				600	57
Alexander Porter, S. S.	Edwardsburgh, "	Edwardsburgh, S. S.	1	2	94	19	1	1	40	9 00	35	8				750	38
John Sailor, P. E.	Allegan, "	Allegan, P. E.			109	15		3	160	8 00	31					241	272
George Willard, Prof.	Battle Creek, "																
William T. Bartle, S. S.	Lapeer, "																
Job Pierson, P.	Kalamazoo, "	Kalamazoo, P.	18	25	303	25	6	13	436	19 00	228	470	79	350	41	5281	852
Sjoaerd Osinga, S. S.	Gun Plain, "																
Martin Post, S. S.	Schoolcraft, "	Schoolcraft, S. S.	2	2	33				94	2 00	20	26	12			572	50
Edward G. Bryant, S. S.—18.	Hastings, "	Hastings, S. S.			30				75	2 00	5	8			5	550	85
		Niles, S. S.	3	21	300	21	2	1	200	20 00	141	200	92	52	51	1625	1100
Licentiate.		Paw Paw, S. S.			*55												
		Barry, V.			*18												
S. M. Burton.—1.	Kalamazoo, "	Decatur, V.	1	8	38	10	1		80		14					659	120
		Gun Plain, V.—15.	4		31		5	1	30		20						
Candidate, 1.			62	73	1373	109	20	40	1695	83 00	635	840	183	402	102	12,325	3417
6. *Presb. of Coldwater.*																	
Alanson Scofield, S. S.	Quincy, Mich.	Quincy, S. S.	2	7	21	7	1		30	2 40		6	7				
Charles S. Adams, W. C.	Hillsdale, "																
William C. Clark, D.D.																	
	Sturgis, "	Sturgis, P. E.	8	7	74		1	9	70	4 44	14	10		10			50

Edwin W. Childs, S. S.—3.	Jonesville,																	
		California, S. S.	3		35	1		4	28									
Licentiate.		Parkville, V.			*45													
		Somerset, V.			22	2			20	1	40						140	6
Albert E. Hastings.—1.	Jamestown, Ky.	Gilead, S. S.—12.	3		21		1		10	1	05							21
Candidate, 1.			65	71	942	35	30	27	918	45	92	348	368	101	76		5565	922
7. Presb. of Saginaw.																		
Henry H. Northrop, P.	Flint, Mich.	Flint, P.	7	18	245	8	1	10	150	17	00	137	200	60	72		1744	102
George Winter, S. S.	Holly, "																	
Donald B. Campbell, S. S.	Wenona, "																	
Thomas Wright, Sec.	Fentonville,"																	
Justus B. Jewell, W. C.	Carson City, Nev. T.																	
Jonathan A. Woodruff, S. S.	Allison, Mich.	Goodland, S. S.	1	2	19				35			10			2			
William C. Smith, S. S.	Huntington, Ind.																	
David H. Taylor, W. C.	Saginaw City, Mich.																	
John Gerrish, S. S.	Homer, "																	
Alexander Trotter, S. S.	Vassar, "	Vassar, S. S.			40	10			100	3	52	7					827	
Edward Dickinson, S. S.	Fentonville, "	Fentonville, S. S.	4	8	92	3	3	5	75	7	20		69	10			850	30
Calvin P. Quick, S. S.	Flushing, "	Flushing, S. S.		4	41				25	3	20	9	11				275	
Alanson Herrick, S. S.	Flint, "	Mundy, S. S.		3	30		1	1		2	40						50	
James A. Griffes, W. C.—14.	Kingston, Tenn.																	
		Saginaw City, V.	3	2	73		1	3	100	3	32				10		1538	
		Byron, V.			26	6			50	2	80						448	
		Saginaw, V.	3	4	24			1	70	1	36	11	6				36	17
		Bay City, S. S.			*79													

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John H. Walter, P.	Milan, Ohio.	Milan, P.	4	1	163	1	3	4	385	10 00	138	131	13	3	20	1151	103
J. Evarts Weed, P. E., *In trans.*	Lansing, Mich.																
Francis Z. Rossiter, P.	Huron, Ohio.	Huron, P.	10	2	68	7	3	7	60	3 50		61	10			822	26
Delos E. Wells, S. S.	Monroeville, "	Monroeville, S. S.	28	10	91		13	10	123	3 50	20	35	15			3036	150
John D. McCord, S. S.—16.	Plymouth, "	Plymouth, S. S.	5		78		1			4 50			7			545	150
		Lyme, V.		10	82	6		1	110	5 00	19	39	3			788	268
Candidates, 2.		Sandusky, S. S.	12	2	80		6	6	215	5 00			14			8500	125
		Peru, S. S.	9	1	59	1	5	1	105	3 00	13	10	22			500	29
		Olena, S. S.		3	66		3	1	58	3 50	16	26	17			400	
		Melmore, V.			46					2 00							
		Bloom, V.			50		2		85	3 00						1400	56
		Berlin, S. S.			*43												
		Greenfield, S. S.			*53												
		Republic, V.—16.			*40					2 00							
			82	37	1274	46	43	35	1598	67 00	370	501	218	33	61	20,800	1441
3. *Presb. of Trumbull.*																	
Ozias S. Eells, S. S.	Johnstonville, Ohio.	Johnston, S. S.	2	1	45			2	50	2 25		20	5				239
Isaac Winans, S. S.	Garretsville, "																
Xenophon Betts, S. S.	Vienna, "	Vienna, S. S.	3		60			3	25	3 00		23	6				
Henry B. Eldred, P.	Kinsman, "	Kinsman, P.	5	14	141		1		100	6 90	60	150					375
Claudius B. Andrews, F. M.	Honolulu, Oahu.																
Benjamin Walker, S. S.	Warren, Ohio.	Champion, S. S.	4	3	44				30	1 85		21	5				61
Joseph H. Scott, W. C.	Windham, "																
Levi B. Wilson, P.	Youngstown, "	Youngstown, P.	2	11	212		1	5	125	10 75	43		23				2112
William F. Millikan, P.	Mesopotamia, "	Mesopotamia, P.	13	2	74		6	1	80	2 85	52	74	15				159
		Farmington, P.			38				30	2 05	24	18	12				49
Augustus Cone, P. and S. S.	Newton Falls, "	Newton Falls, P.		4	64				75	3 20	21	14	5				38

											76					
										44	100				1460	80
XI. Synod of W. Reserve.																
1. *Presb. of Grand River.*																
Dexter Witter, W. C.	Burton, Ohio.															
Joseph A. Pepoon, W. C.	Munson, "															
J. Mills Gillett, P.	Ashtabula, "	Ashtabula, P.						6 35			*127					
Hiram A. Babcock, W. C.	Lindenville, "															
Horace W. Palmer, S. S.	Kingsville, "	Kingsville, S. S.						5 05			96					18
Justus L. Janes, S. S.	Mulberry Corners, "							*2 05		3				6		
Franklin L. Arnold, W. C.—7.	Grinnell, Iowa.															
		Burton, V.						7 00	27	30	140					44
		Rome, V.	8	2	55		1	3		75	19				400	44
		Chardon, V.—5.	4	3	25		3	1	1 15	2	2	2				16
			12	9	443		4	4	21 60	104	64	2		6	400	122
2. *Presb. of Huron.*																
Enoch Conger, W. C.	Lexington, Ohio.															
Hiram Smith, S. S.	Castalia, "	Margaretta, S. S.			28			1	45	2 00		21	2		150	9
Abram C. Du Bois, W. C.	Plymouth, "															
Samuel Montgomery, W. C.	Oberlin, "															
Alfred Newton, D.D., P.	Norwalk, "	Norwalk, P.	9	6	171	21	5	3	232	10 00	90	103	42	30	1995	247
Jonathan B. Parlin, S. S.	St. Ansgar, Iowa.															
Samuel D. Smith, Ag.	Mt. Gilead, Ohio.															
Horace S. Taylor, F. M.	Mandapasalie, India.															
Flavel S. White, W. C.	Fremont, Ohio.															
Lemuel Bissell, F. M.	Milan, "															
Ebenezer Bushnell, P.	Fremont, "	Fremont, P.	5	2	156	10	2	1	180	10 00	74	75	73		41	1513	278

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John H. Walter, P.	Milan, Ohio.	Milan, P.	4	1	103	1	3	4	385	10 00	138	131	13	3	20	1151	103
J. Evarts Weed, P. E., *In trans.*	Lansing, Mich.																
Francis Z. Rossiter, P.	Huron, Ohio.	Huron, P.	10	2	68	7	2	7	60	3 50		61	10			822	26
Delos E. Wells, S. S.	Monroeville, "	Monroeville, S. S.	28	10	91		13	10	123	3 50	20	35	15			3036	150
John D. McCord, S. S.—16.	Plymouth, "	Plymouth, S. S.	5		78		1			4 50			7			545	150
		Lyme, V.		10	82	6		1	110	5 00	19	39	3			788	268
Candidates, 2.		Sandusky, S. S.	12	2	80		6	6	215	5 00			14			8500	125
		Peru, S. S.	9	1	59	1	5	1	105	3 00	13	10	22			500	29
		Olena, S. S.		3	66		3	1	58	3 50	16	26	17			400	
		Melmore, V.			46					2 00							
		Bloom, V.			50		2		85	3 00						1400	56
		Berlin, S. S.			*43												
		Greenfield, S. S.			*53												
		Republic, V.—16.			*40					2 00							
			82	37	1274	46	43	35	1598	67 00	370	501	218	33	61	20,800	1441
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Ozias S. Eells, S. S.	Johnstonville, Ohio.	Johnston, S. S.	2	1	45			2	50	2 25		20	5				239
Isaac Winans, S. S.	Garretsville, "																
Xenophon Betts, S. S.	Vienna, "	Vienna, S. S.	3		60			3	25	3 00		23	6				
Henry B. Eldred, P.	Kinsman, "	Kinsman, P.	5	14	141		1		100	6 90	60	150					375
Claudius B. Andrews, F. M.	Honolulu, Oahu.																
Benjamin Walker, S. S.	Warren, Ohio.	Champion, S. S.	4	3	44				30	1 85		21	5				61
Joseph H. Scott, W. C.	Windham, "																
Levi B. Wilson, P.	Youngstown, "	Youngstown, P.	2	11	212		1	5	125	10 75	43		23				2112
William F. Millikan, P.	Mesopotamia, "	Mesopotamia, P.	13	2	74		6	1	80	2 85	52	74	15				159
		Farmington, P.			99				90	2 00	24	18	12				49
Augustus Cone, P. and S. S.	Newton Falls, "	Newton Falls, P.		4	64				75	3 20	21	14	5				38

Thomas Roberts, Ch.	U. S. Army,																
Henry R. Hoisington, P.—14.	Warren,	"	Warren, P.	4	5	214		6	120	10	95	62	113	20			416
			Ellsworth, S. S.			52			70	3	10	50	118				67
Candidate, 1.			Mecca, V.	6		46	2		70	2	35		12				110
			Basetta, V.			36		1		2	20						16
			Southington, V.—16.			20				1	80		2				
				42	59	1169	10	24	975	58	65	342	582	91			6102
4. *Presb. of Cleveland and Portage.*																	
John Keyes, W. C.	Dover,	Ohio.															
John Seward, W. C.	Tallmadge,	"															
Chester Chapin, W. C.	Brecksville,	"															
George E. Pierce, D.D., W. C.	Hudson,	"															
Israel Shaler, W. C.	Richfield,	"															
Samuel C. Aiken, D.D., P. Em.	Cleveland,	"															
Stephen W. Burritt, W. C.	"	"															
Thomas Lee, W. C.	Brooklyn,	"															
Samuel Bissell, Tea.	Twinsburgh,	"															
Samuel Lee, W. C.	Mantua,	"															
Benjamin Fenn, P. C.	Nelson,	"															
Joseph H. Breck, W. C.	Newburgh,	"															
Asa Brainard, W. C.	Cleveland,	"															
William Day, Ch.	"	"															
Daniel C. Blood, S. S.	Massillon,	"															
James Shaw, P. C.	Windham,	"															
Franklin Maginnis, P.	Collamer,	"	Euclid, P.	3	2	106	2	2		9	00	23	36	11	60		83
Anson Smyth, Tea.	Cleveland,	"															
Henry L. Hitchcock, D.D., Pres. and P.	Hudson,	"	West. Res. College, P.	1	2	45		3		4	50	35	35	25	5		

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6. *Presb. of Maumee.*																	
Nathaniel T. Fay, P. C.	Prairie Depot, Ohio.																
William W. Williams, P.	Toledo, "	Toledo, P.	16	30	290		9	6	325	27 00	161	604	300	200	55	4321	603
George A. Adams, S. S.	Perrysburgh, "	Perrysburgh, S. S.	5	8	74		5	10	60	3 00						1828	165
Charles Richards, S. S.	Maumee City, "	Maumee, S. S.		4	55			2	159	3 00	24	38	33	66		640	134
Perry C. Baldwin, S. S.	Bowling Green, "	Bowling Green, S. S.	2	1	40	3			50	3 00	9	15	18			295	200
		Tontogony, S. S.			20				50	1 00	15	10	25			140	106
John Eaton, Jr., Ag.—6.	Memphis, Tenn.																
		Defiance, S. S.	3	2	60				60	3 00	6	30	25	56		500	400
Candidates, 2.		Fostoria, S. S.		6	23			5	50	2 00				1			
		Waterville, S. S.			35					1 00							
		Ridgeville, V.			*15												
		Mill Grove, S. S.—10.			*85												
			26	51	697	3	14	23	754	43 00	215	697	401	323	55	7724	1608
XII. Synod of Ohio.																	
1. *Presb. of Athens.*																	
Hiram R. Howe, W. C.	Pine Grove, Ohio.																
William H. Bay, W. C.	Cumberland, "																
Roswell Tenney, W. C.	Marietta, "																
Calvin P. Hogshead, W. C.	Hanging Rock, "																
Charles Merwin, S. S.	Pomeroy, "	Pomeroy, S. S.	1	2	68			1			23		15				
Ebenezer B. Andrews, Prof.	Marietta, "																
Charles C. Hart, S. S.	Logan, "	Logan, S. S.		2	90			5		5 10	50		25	33			33
Moses P. Jimeson, W. C.	Cincinnati, "																
Henry C. Cheadle, S. S.	Tupper's Plains, "	Tupper's Plains, S. S.		3	40			1		2 00	14	16					10

			Bath, S. S.				*7												
			Solon, V.—18.				32					3	80	17	13		12		
				55	83	1716	46	18	37	1360	112	42	2135	3309	710	1104	72	25,453	6393
5. *Presb. of Elyria.*																			
John Monteith, W. C.	Elyria,	Ohio.																	
Caleb Burbank, W. C.	Chatham,	"																	
Marcus Palmer, W. C.	Fitchville,	"																	
Daniel W Lathrop, W. C.	Jackson, Mich.																		
Joel Talcott, W. C.	Wakeman,	Ohio.																	
Eldad Barber, P.	Florence,	"	Florence, P.			26					3	00	12	19					
Ansel R. Clark, S. S.	Huntington,	"									1	00	10	55	10				
David A. Grosvenor, Ag.	Elyria,	"									*85								
John McCutchan, P.	Ruggles,	"	Ruggles, P.		3	48			2		5	00	15	150	10				160
Hubbard Lawrence, S. S.	Olena,	"	Grafton, S. S.		1	23					3	00		35					160
Madison Elliott, W. C.	Rochester,	"									1	00							
James E. Vance, S. S.	Chatham,	"	Chatham, S. S.	32	2	137		17	2	100	5	65	22	112	21	38		725	48
Francis A. Wilbur, P.—13.	Elyria,	"	Elyria, P.	2	4	151			2	150	8	50	76	300				1600	113
			Rochester, S. S.			38		3	2	55									
			Brunswick, V.			*46													
			Hinkley, V.			*42													
			Vermillion, V.			*30													
			Wadsworth, V.			*22													
			Wellington, S. S.			*16													
			Birmingham, S. S.—[12.			33			1		2	00	12	18					
				34	10	612		20	9	305	30	00	147	689	41	38		2325	481

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6. *Presb. of Maumee.*																	
Nathaniel T. Fay, P. C.	Prairie Depot, Ohio.																
William W. Williams, P.	Toledo, "	Toledo, P.	16	30	290		9	6	325	27 00	161	604	300	200	55	4321	603
George A. Adams, S. S.	Perrysburgh, "	Perrysburgh, S. S.	5	8	74		5	10	60	3 00						1828	165
Charles Richards, S. S.	Maumee City, "	Maumee, S. S.		4	55			2	159	3 00	24	38	33	66		640	134
Perry C. Baldwin, S. S.	Bowling Green, "	Bowling Green, S. S.	2	1	40	3			50	3 00	9	15	18			295	200
		Tontogony, S. S.			20				50	1 00	15	10	25			140	106
John Eaton, Jr., Ag.—6.	Memphis, Tenn.																
		Defiance, S. S.	3	2	60				60	3 00	6	30	25	56		500	400
Candidates, 2.		Fostoria, S. S.		6	23			5	50	2 00				1			
		Waterville, S. S.			35					1 00							
		Ridgeville, V.			*15												
		Mill Grove, S. S.—10.			*85												
			26	51	697	3	14	23	754	43 00	215	697	401	323	55	7724	1608
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Hiram R. Howe, W. C.	Pine Grove, Ohio.																
William H. Bay, W. C.	Cumberland, "																
Roswell Tenney, W. C.	Marietta, "																
Calvin P. Hogshead, W. C.	Hanging Rock, "																
Charles Merwin, S. S.	Pomeroy, "	Pomeroy, S. S.	1	2	68			1			23		15				
Ebenezer P. Andrews, Prof.	Marietta "																

			Bashan, S. S.	1	3	20			2		1	00	7	7					
Charles D. Curtis, S. S.	Belpre,	Ohio.	Warren, S. S.	7	1	61		3	1		2	75	88	167		115			212
Russell D. Van Deursen, S. S.	Gallipolis,	"	Gallipolis, S. S.	5	4	66		4	4		3	00	9	39	10	8			
Andrew J. McKim, F. M.	Lima, South-America.										*11	00							
Ezra D. Shaw, S. S.—13.	Middleport,	Ohio.	Middleport, S. S.			48			1		3	00	64	13	30				300
			Wilkesville, S. S.			87			5		4	65	45	13					35
			Carthage, S. S.			17						75	4	6					40
			Salem, S. S.			*45													
			Watertown, S. S.			20			1		1	00							20
			Barlow, S. S.	1		24			1		1	30	11						
			Amesville, V.			*105													
Licentiates.			New-Plymouth, V.			*20					1	00							
			Newport, V.—17.			*15													
Samuel Maxwell, Tea.	Marietta,	Ohio.																	
M. Lawrence St. John, M.D.—2.	Neelysville,	"		15	15	768		7	25		39	15	334	269	80	156			660
Candidates, 5.																			
2. *Presb. of Pataskala.*																			
Jacob Tuttle, W. C.	Jersey,	Ohio.																	
Addison Kingsbury, D.D., P.	Zanesville,	"	Putnam, P.	8	6	112	3	2	8	200	10	00	231	340				1200	615
Charles M. Putnam, P.	Jersey,	"	Jersey, P.		4	107			3	100	9	00	87	74	39	30		600	140
Warren Swift, W. C.	Homer,	"																	
Edmund Garland, W. C.	Johnstown,	"																	
Hugh Carlisle.																			
Timothy W. Howe, P. and S. S.	Pataskala,	"	South-Fork, P.		3	57	6		2	80	5	00	23		15	18		175	75
			Kirkersville, S. S.			70			2	60	3	50	9	9		7		200	15
Ebenezer Buckingham, P.	Canton,	"	Canton, P.	7	4	122		2	8	150	12	00	140	134				13	300
Jonathan Samson, W. C.	Westfield, Iowa.																		
Theodore Stowe, Ch.	U. S. Army.																		

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Samuel P. Hildreth, S. S.	Dresden, Ohio.	Dresden, S. S.	2	2	79			6		2 00	16	35	30	30			
Abraham S. Avery, W. C.	New-Lexington, "																
Elias Thompson, S. S.	Croton, "	Hartford, S. S.	1	2	47				40	3 00	34	17	5			550	66
Rollin A. Sawyer, P.	Newark, "	Newark, Second, P.	4	4	111		2	7	200	10 00	130	110	75			1500	283
Charles W. Wallace, P.	Coshocton, "	Coshocton, P.	2		79		2	3		2 50	51	26				725	10
		Roscoe, P.			19						2					1	2
Joseph Little, Ch.	U. S. Army.																
Daniel A. Tawney, Ch.—17.	U. S. Army.																
		Granville, V.	11	6	277		6	2	330	5 00		394	96	47		800	20
		Johnstown, V.			41	1			40	2 00	13	18	5	10			
		Homer, S. S.	5	3	55		2		50	3 00		20				330	22
		Massillon, S. S.	8		76												
		Roseville, S. S.	1		36	6	1	1	40	2 00							
		Unity, S. S.		2	20		1										
		New-Lexington, S. S.		2	13												
		Fairmound, S. S.	5	2	48	4		1	80	2 50				12		875	4
		Bremen, S. S.			*30					2 00							
		New-Bethel, S. S.			*10												
		Cross-Roads, V.			*15					1 00							
		Baltimore, V.			*30												
		Canal Dover, S. S.—[23.			*20												
			54	40	1474	20	18	43	1370	74 50	736	1177	265	154		6960	1552
3. *Presb. of Franklin.*																	
Henry Shedd, W. C.	Mt. Gilead, Ohio.																
William H. Brinkerhoff, P.	Westervelt, "				*42												
Francis A. Griswold, S. S.	Mt. Gilead, "	Frankfort, P.	2	1	53	10		3	82	3 50	10	18	5	7	3	600	100
Henry Calhoun, S. S.	Circleville, "	Mt. Gilead, S. S.															
		Circleville, First, S. S.	1		120												

Walter Mitchell, S. S.	Marysville,	"																
Henry Bushnell, Tea.	Central College,	"																
Edward D. Morris, D.D., P.	Columbus,	"	Columbus, Second, P.	8	15	240	15	4	7	300	12	50	306	432	70	77		12,840	2700
Warren Jenkins, W. C.	Columbus,	"																
John Martin, S. S.	Sunbury,	"	Trenton, S. S.		3	65			4	36	3	25		15	10	6		448	18
			Porter, S. S.			37			1	41	3	00		20	9				18
Homer McVay, P.	Reynoldsburgh,	"	Reynoldsburgh, P.	4	1	102	17	2	2	90	4	00	12	29		7		911	
Thomas J. Downey, W. C.	"	"									*3	05							
John H. Shedd, F. M.	Salmas, Persia.																		
Hugh B. Scott, S. S.—16.	Central College,	"	Central College, S. S.	4	4	38		3	1	97	2	50	41			8		300	25
			Genoa, S. S.			*20													
			Little Mill Creek, S. S.	20	1	61		9	1	40	2	25		20				250	60
			Ashley, V.			*39													
Licentiate.			Jefferson, V.																
			Lower Liberty, V.—[16.																
Asa D. Lord, Tea.—1.	Columbus, Ohio.			51	35	1212	54	23	26	1061	63	05	501	730	194	171	3	18,192	3654
4. *Presb. of Scioto.*																			
E. Perkins Pratt, D.D., P.	Portsmouth,	Ohio.	Portsmouth, P.	9	9	286	12	3	19	460	18	00	510	637	62		105	5231	524
James R. Gibson, P. C.	Frankfort,	"	[Pine Grove, S. S.																
John M. Boal, S. S.	Hanging Rock,	"	Hanging Rock, and			52	9		2	70	6	00	21	21	32	53		1400	
Eli P. Adams, S. S.	Freestone,	"	Sandy Spring, S. S.	3		64		1	5	40	4	00	20	21	9	12	4	560	20
John H. Young, S. S.	Ironton,	"	Ironton, S. S.	7	11	132			4	317	8	00	161	161				1200	600
Warren Taylor, S. S. *In trans.*	Wilkesville,	"	Rome, S. S.			12			1	25	2	00	5	4	1	3		25	10
[—6.			Jackson, V.	3	1	69			6		2	00	5		1				25
			Madison, V.			27			3		2	00				5		25	
			Chillicothe, V.—8.			*30					2	00							
				22	21	672	21	4	40	912	44	00	722	844	105	73	109	8441	1179

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XIII. SYNOD OF CINCINNATI.																	
1. *Presb. of Cincinnati.*																	
Benj. P. Aydelotte, D.D., W. C.	Cincinnati, Ohio.																
Franklin Y. Vail, Ag.	College Hill, "																
M. L. P. Thompson, D.D., W. C.	Cincinnati, "																
D. Howe Allen, D.D., Prof.	Walnut Hills, "																
Wm. M. Thompson, D.D., F. M.	Beirut, Syria.																
Charles B. Boynton, D.D., W. C.	Potter's Land'g, Md.																
Elisha Ballantine, D. Sec.	Cincinnati, Ohio.																
George E. Day, D.D., Prof.	Walnut Hills, "																
John F. Pogue, F. M.	Lahainaluna, S. Isl's.																
Albert Bushnell, F. M.	Gaboon, West-Africa.																
John E. Chandler, F. M.	Madura, India.																
Lucian C. Ford, W. C.	Cincinnati, Ohio.																
William D. Rosseter, Sec.	" "																
Joseph Chester, P.	" "	Cin., Poplar st., P.	24	9	91	9	11	2	500	8 00	370	18	45	34	10	702	640
George M. Maxwell, Tea.	" "																
Wilbur McKaig, P.	" "	" Third, P.	35	16	314		12	10	630	30 00	331	161	193	152		3500	687
G. William Winnes, S. S.	" "	" Ger., First, S. S.	39		185		60		225	2 00	99	46	98	16		400	
G. S. Raidt, S. S.	" "	" Holland., 1st, S.S.			*70												
Osman A. Lyman, S. S.	Walnut Hills, "	Lane Seminary, S. S.	8	21	146		1	5	150	20 00	128	665	196			600	292
Adolphus S. Dudley, S. S.	Logansport, Ind.																
Llewelyn J. Evans, Prof.	Walnut Hills, Ohio.																
John L. French, S. S.	Batavia, "	Batavia, S. S.	9	7	49		4	2	120	1 00	32	12	25				

Mark Williams, S. S.	***Sharonville, Ohio.***	Sharonville, S. S.			20														
Henry V. Hitchcock, Ch.	***U. S. Army.***																		
Lycurgus Railsback, Ch.	***Chattanooga, Tenn.***																		
James M. Anderson, Pres.—28.	College Hill, Ohio.																		
		Morrow, V.			*22														
		Pleasant View, V.			25														
Licentiates.		Newport, V.			33					1	00								
		Jamestown, V																	
Elias Benzing,	Cleveland, Ohio.	New-Richmond, V.			75				85	2	00								
A. Z. Young, Ch.	Rockport, Ind.	Moscow, V.			10				85	1	00	1							
William M. Newton,	Walnut Hills, Ohio.	Cincinnati, Second, V.	44	17	462	33	13	12	241	30	00	3631	1386	791	780		6500		
George Little,	" "	[—16.																	
John G. Jones.—5.	" "		161	81	1588	42	101	35	2036	96	00	4617	2313	1364	982	10	12,032	1619	
Candidates, 3.																			
2. *Presb. of Ripley.*																			
John Rankin, P.	Ripley, Ohio.	Ripley, Second, P.	3	2	*68			3		5	00	20							
Jesse H. Lockhart, P.	Russellville, "	Russellville, P.	3	2	80		1	4		4	75	30							
David Gould, P.	Ripley, "	Ripley, First, P.	5	4	119		1	2	125	7	00	38	50	25			70	82	
James S. Campbell, W. C.																			
Victor M. King, P.	Winchester, "	Winchester, S. S.		1	30					2	00	3						12	
James W. West, P.	Georgetown, "	Strait Creek, P.			56			2	250	3	00								
Henry V. Warren, P.	" "	Georgetown, P.	4	5	85		4		60	4	00	10		13			120	18	
David Vandyke, S. S.	Manchester, "	Manchester, S. S.	6		100					5	50		17				5		
John A. R. Rogers, S. S.	Decatur, "	Decatur, S. S.	2		*100		1			5	00								
Jonathan Finney, P.	Ripley, "	Red Oak, P.	1	1	41			4		3	75							40	
S. G. W. J. Rankin.—11.		Sardinia, S. S.		1	46			2	50	2	60	10							
		North-Liberty, S. S.		1	18			1	30			3	260						
		Felicity, S. S.								1	50								
		Cedron, S. S.								2	00								
		Huntington, V.																	

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Candidate, 1.		Greenfield, V. S. Salem, V.—16.			*53												
			24	17	796		7	18	515	46 10	114	327	38			195	152
3. *Presb. of Dayton.*																	
Benjamin Graves, S. S.	New-Carlisle, Ohio.	New-Carlisle, S. S.	7	3	123	16	5	4	100	5 00			7				
S. Granby Spees, D.D., W. C.	Philadelphia, Pa.																
William M. Cheever, P.	Troy, Ohio.	Troy, First, P.	6	3	175	15	1	3	200	9 00	170	180		73		1600	500
N. Cogswell Coffin, W. C.	Marblehead, "																
Charles Gibbs, W. C.		[S. S.								*1 70							
Daniel M. Moore, S. S.	Yellow Springs, "	Yellow Springs, First,	3	6	32	6		5	55	2 00			20			250	86
Joseph B. Little, S. S.	Lima, "	Lima, Second, S. S.	38	7	117	2	17	3	125	6 00	36	43				300	100
Lewis E. Jones, S. S.	Tippecanoe, "	Greenville, Sec., S. S.			66			3	60	3 00	14			4		180	40
Linus Blakesly, S. S.—9.	Piqua, "	Piqua, Second, S. S.	14	3	90	10	8		120	4 00	20	21	5	30			
		Dayton, Third st., V.	5	9	295			6	200	15 00	650	220	46	300		2200	2000
		Tippecanoe, S. S.			*16												
		Osborne, S. S.			*14												
		Addison, S. S.—10.			*40												
			73	31	968	49	31	24	860	45 70	890	464	78	407		4530	2726
4. *Presb. of Hamilton.*																	
John W. Hall, D.D., Pres.	Oxford, Ohio.																
Benjamin W. Chidlaw, Sec.	Cleves, "																
William H. Rogers, Ch.	College Hill, "																
John H. Wilson, Tea. and S.S.	" "	Mt. Pleasant, S. S.			*14												
Clement E. Babb, Ed. and P.	" "	College Hill, P.	10	9	154		3	2	195	10 00	140	571	22	29		3150	643
			2		57			2	60	4 00	28	20		7			

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John Noble, W. C.—10.	Harrison Junct'n, "	Mason, S. S.—8.	8	2	35		5		108	2	00	10		7				40
Candidates, 3.			98	21	631		35	18	648	40	00	598	900	96	130		8150	1075
XIV. Synod of Indiana.																		
1. *Presb. of Salem.*																		
Joseph M. Sadd, Ch.	Louisville, Ky.																	
John G. Atterbury, D.D., P.	New-Albany, Ind.	N. Albany, Second, P.	5	5	232	31	3	1	490			271	712	78	112		2925	5983
Charles Hutchinson, P.	" "	" " Third, P.	10	10	187	2	6	22	290			138	253	53	21		2196	3305
William H. McCarer, P.	Evansville, "	Evansville, First, P.	4	2	164	8	1	5	270			115	77	58	33		2697	1120
John M. Bishop, P. E.	Bloomington, "	Bloomington, 2d, P.E.	18	6	97	5	6	2	90			23	109	22	8		1319	200
Philip Bevan, S. S.	Jeffersonville, "	Mt. Vernon, S. S.	10		80		1	4	60			25					100	3
Levi R. Booth, S. S.	Seymour, "	Seymour, S. S.	51	9	116	14	28		150			50	40		11		810	7
Irvin I. St. John, S. S.	Salem, "	Salem, S. S.			56				150				40				1000	25
Thomas A. Steele, S. S.	Mitchell, "	Mitchell, S. S.	27	5	68		13	13	100			10	5	5			937	
Thomas Spencer, Prof.	Terre Haute, "																	
Henry W. Ballantine, F. M.	Bombay, India.																	
William R. Higgins, S. S.—12.	Leavenworth, Ind.	Leavenworth, S. S.			75	17			75				8				400	64
		Mt. Zion, V.			4	3												
		Anderson, S. S.			17				25									
		Lawrenceport, V.			*30													
		Mt. Lebanon, S. S.	1		12												40	
		Greenville, S. S.—14.			31							6	6					
			126	37	1169	80	58	47	1700	51	00	638	1250	216	185		12,424	10,707

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Thomas S. Milligan, S. S.	Gosport, Ind.	Vandalia, S. S.	5	2	62		1	3	30	2 75	5	5	9				
		Bethany, S. S.	2		22			1		1 00	6	18	37				
		Hebron, S. S.	2		11		1			45	6	5	9				
		Gosport, S. S.			8					50	7					50	
Henry A. Rossiter, S. S.	Green Castle, "	Green Castle, 1st, S.S.	25	4	112	8	3	2	90	4 30	39	73	22	18		155	175
Henry L. Dickerson, P.	Danville, "	Danville, P.	6	7	136		3	5	90	6 50	53	56	50				
		White Lick, S. S.			42					2 25							
John Hawks, S. S.	Rockville, "	Rockville, Second, S.S.	23	1	130		8	5	150	6 50	100	95		15			214
		New-Bethel, S. S.			20				25	1 10		30					25
Daniel E. Bierce, P.	Terre Haute, "	Terre Haute, Baldwin, [P.		9	70			8	90	3 50	44	87	20	10		50	100
William N. Stimson, W. C—10.	Spencer, "									*50							
		Bowling Green, V.			*13					65							
		Brazil, V.—15.			*14					70							
			75	25	732	8	20	25	515	34 75	289	399	161	50		455	664
XV. Synod of Wabash.																	
1. *Presb. of Crawfordsville.*																	
James H. Johnston, S. S.	Crawfordsville, Ind.	Brown's Valley, S. S.			*46												
		Parkersburgh, S. S.			*15												
Edmund O. Hovey, Prof.	" "																
Caleb Mills, LL.D., Prof.	" "									*8 60							
Moody Chase, W. C.	Parkersburgh, "																
Joseph F. Tuttle, D.D., Pres.	Crawfordsville, "	Crawfordsville, S. S.	12	2	128		8		100	6 00	92	154	40	35			
Samuel S. Thomson, Prof.	" "																
Thomas Griffith, Ch.	U. S. Army.																
William R. Palmer, S. S.	Attica, Ind.	Attica, S. S.	1	4	71			6	60	3 25	43	22		25			
William N. Steele, S. S.	Williamsport, "	Williamsport, S. S.	2	1	53		1	4	75	3 00	23	40		5			

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Isaac De La Mater, Ch.	U. S. Army.	[S. S.															
Charles H. Marshall, S. S.	Indianopolis, Ind.	Indianapolis, Fourth,	3	8	110	2	2		8	00	60	30				510	28
John B. Logan, S. S.	Kirk's X Roads, "	Thorntown, S. S.	16	4	113	2	9	80	7	00	40	31					
Philander Anderson, W. C.	Zionsville, "																
George H. White, F. M.	Marash, Turkey.																
Arthur T. Rankin, S. S.	Kingston, Ind.	Kingston, S. S.	17	8	130	8	3	110	8	00		64	33			3000	500
Hanford A. Edson, P.—13.	Indianapolis, "	Indianapolis, Sec'd, P.	36	14	249	10	5	165	14	00	248	1023	1023	107		1800	9043
	Clarksburgh, "	Clarksburgh, S. S.	2	4	*20							25			4	450	100
	Franklin, "	New-Pisgah.			26				2	50	7						
	Thornton, "	Bethel, V.	3	2	47	1	1	40	3	00	12	23				210	60
	Amity, "	Highland, S. S.			10				2	50							20
	Southport, "	Southport, S. S.			*53			50	4	00	9	20		1			240
		Mt. Pleasant, V.			6												
	Noblesville, "	Noblesville, V.			*10												
	Laurel, "	Laurel, V.			*10												
	Zionsville, "	Zionsville, V.			*8												
	Anderson, "	Madison Co., Sec., S.S.			11				1	00							
	Greenfield, "	Greenfield, S. S.		4	74			200									
	Edinburgh, "	Edinburgh, S. S.—19.	4	9	14			25				2					85
Licentiate.			86	56	1121	3	25	33	820	68	00	406	1296	1092	183	4	6425	10,103
Joseph Swindt.—1.	Connersville, "																
4. *Presb. of Green Castle.*																	
Ransom Hawley, S. S.	Putnamville, Ind.	Putnamville, S. S.	12	2	52	4	1	40	2	05	15	18	5			200	150
John A. Tiffany, S. S.	Toronto, "	Toronto, S. S.			20				1	00	6	4	3	4			
		Clinton, S. S.			20				1	00	8	8	6	3			
John Covert.																	
Joseph Gaston Wilson, *In trans.*	Madison, Iowa.																

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Thomas S. Milligan, S. S.	Gosport, Ind.	Vandalia, S. S.	5	2	62		1	3	30	2 75	5	5	9				
		Bethany, S. S.	2		22			1		1 00	6	18	37				
		Hebron, S. S.	2		11		1			45	6	5	9				
		Gosport, S. S.			8					50	7					50	
Henry A. Rossiter, S. S.	Green Castle, "	Green Castle, 1st, S.S.	25	4	112	8	3	2	90	4 30	39	78	22	18		155	175
Henry L. Dickerson, P.	Danville, "	Danville, P.	6	7	136		3	5	90	6 50	53	56	50				
		White Lick, S. S.			42					2 25							
John Hawks, S. S.	Rockville, "	Rockville, Second, S.S.	23	1	130		8	5	150	6 50	100	95		15			214
		New-Bethel, S. S.			20				25	1 10		30					25
Daniel E. Bierce, P.	Terre Haute, "	Terre Haute, Baldwin,		9	70			8	90	3 50	44	87	20	10		50	100
William N. Stimson, W. C—10.	Spencer, "	[P.								*50							
		Bowling Green, V.			*13					65							
		Brazil, V.—15.			*14					70							
			75	25	732	8	20	25	515	34 75	289	399	161	50		455	664
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1. *Presb. of Crawfordsville.*																	
James H. Johnston, S. S.	Crawfordsville, Ind.	Brown's Valley, S. S.			*46												
		Parkersburgh, S. S.			*15												
Edmund O. Hovey, Prof.	" "																
Caleb Mills, LL.D., Prof.	" "									*8 60							
Moody Chase, W. C.	Parkersburgh, "																
Joseph F. Tuttle, D.D., Pres.	Crawfordsville, "	Crawfordsville, S. S.	12	2	128		8		100	6 00	92	154	40	35			
Samuel S. Thomson, Prof.	" "																
Thomas Griffith, Ch.	U. S. Army.																
William R. Palmer, S. S.	Attica, Ind.	Attica, S. S.	1	4	71			6	60	3 25	42	22		25			
William N. Steele, S. S.	Williamsport, "	Williamsport, S. S.	2	1	53		1	4	75	3 00	25	40		5			

	Attica,	Ind.	Newtown, S. S.			55			50					4					
Edward C. Johnston, S. S.—11.	Bainbridge,	"	Rob Roy, S. S.	1	2	36		1	45	1	65			18					
			Bainbridge, S. S.	2		70			30	4	25		13	6	9				
Licentiate.			Perrysville, V.	8		21			75	1	00								
			State Line, V.			5					25								
			Covington, V.	5		20				1	00	2		2					
William Wilmer.—1.	Montezuma,	"	Montezuma, S.S.—12.			*45													
Candidates, 2.				31	9	574		9	11	435	29	00	162	229	48	92			
2. *Presb. of St. Joseph.*																			
Christopher Cory, W. C.	Lima, Ind.																		
Jacob Patch, S. S.	Orland, "		Orland, S. S.	8	4	89		5		90			35	22	11			400	70
Lewis Hamilton, Ch.	U. S. Army.		Brockville, V.			*11													
Bethuel Farrand, W. C.	Ontario,	Ind.	Little Elkhart, V.			*15													
Edward Scofield, P.	Mishawaka,	"	Mishawaka, P.	12		97		3	4	200	4	25	10	50	5			100	200
George C. Noyes, P.	La Porte,	"	La Porte, P.	4	8	193		3	6		9	25	373	214	338	99			
Willam C. Porter, Ch.	U. S. Army.		Bourbon, V.			*19													
John E. Chapin, S. S.	Plymouth,	Ind.	Plymouth, S. S.	12	10	69		6		175	4	20	14	28	6			150	479
John B. Fowler, S. S.	Elkhart,	"	Elkhart, S. S.	3	9	74		1	6	100	3	70	20		3			800	110
John Kelland, S. S.—10.	Angola,	"	Angola, S. S.			25						50							
			Salem, S. S.			30					1	50							
			Bristol, S. S.	1		32			2	40	1	60	10						
			Lima, S. S.	19	2	79		3	3	80	3	50	24	24				20	
			Van Buren, S. S.			*24													
			York, V.—14.			*20													
				59	33	777		21	21	685	28	50	486	338	363	99		1470	859
3. *Presb. of Logansport.*																			
James A. Carnahan, S. S.	Dayton,	Ind.	Dayton, S. S.	26	7	120		14	4	75	6	00	25	15				620	16
			West-Point, S. S.			*17													

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			Maron, V.			24												
			Manchester, S. S.		3	12						9						
			Greenfield, V.			15												
			Spring Creek, V.—19.			12												
				56	66	1429		19	39	993	76 50	1547	1227	229	243			21,346
2. *Presb. of Schuyler.*																		
Milton Kimball, W. C.	Clayton,	Ill.																
William C. Rankin, W. C.	Quincy,	"									*13 85							
Reuben K. McCoy, S. S.	Clayton,	"	Clayton, S. S.	3		128			4	95	6 50	47	4	5	30		450	2000
			Horeb, S. S.	7		37		3	2		1 85	5						
Tapping S. Reeve, S. S.	Rushville,	"	Rushville, S. S.	36	7	158		11			7 15	80	81	34	38			
Alexander Duncan, P.	Mount Sterling,	"	Mount Sterling, P.	5	9	80		3	2		4 00	78	95	58	99	17		
George I. King, P.	Quincy,	"	Quincy, P.	1	5	208		1	6		10 25	100		86	103			400
John Rendall, F. M.	Madura, India.																	
George F. Davis, S. S.	Mounds,	Ill.	Mt. Pleasant, S. S.	4		72		1	6		3 65	20	20	4	45			
William E. Catlin, S. S.	Camp Point,	"	Camp Point, S. S.	4	3	25		2			1 25	13			46			
Edmund Hollister, W. C.	Griggsville,	"																
William Herritt, Ag.	Augusta,	"																
Matthew Waldenmeyer, S. S.	Nauvoo,	"	Nauvoo, S. S.			*60												
Alfred L. Harrington, W. C.	Peru,	"																
Edwin L. Hurd, P.	Galesburgh,	"	Augusta, P.			91												
John G. Rankin, S. S.	Warsaw,	"	Warsaw, S. S.	3	7	74		1	3		3 00	45	13		78			
Norman A. Prentice, Tea.	Warsaw,	"																
Isaac F. Holton, Ed.	Boston, Mass.		Appanoose, S. S.			16												
Isaac T. Whittemore, S. S.	Plymouth, Ill.		Plymouth, S. S.	5	5	35		2	2			18						
			Brooklyn, S. S.		2	20					1 00	18		9	10			
			Liberty, V.			20						22	4	8	25			

[illegible]			Unity, V.			8						3					
			Newtown, V.—21.			*39											
				68	42	1177	24	27	95	57 50	473	233	219	491	17	450	2400
3. *Presb. of Wabash.*																	
Robert Rutherford, W. C.	Mattoon,	Ill.															
Joseph Butler, S. S.	Pawline,	Minn.															
Enoch Kingsbury, S. S.	Danville,	Ill.	Danville, S. S.	19	7	98	8	2	225	5 00	170	65	20		25	4500	250
George D. Miller, S. S.	Tuscola,	"	Tuscola, S. S.	1	7	39			80	1 90	5					300	160
Joseph Wilson, S. S.	Neoga,	"	Neoga, S. S.	5	6	58		2	70	2 75		9					
Samuel Ward, S. S.	Hooker,	"	Unity, S. S.	2		22		2	60	1 05	14	12	1				22
Timothy Hill, S. S.	Shelbyville,	"	Shelbyville, S. S.	6	7	73	2	10	165	3 40	35	36				100	108
Joseph E. McMurray, S. S.	Cerro Gordo,	"	Cerro Gordo, S. S.		2	58		5	75	2 90		27				93	40
James B. Sheldon, W. C.	Shelbyville,	"															
Pliny H. Smith, W. C., *In trans.*																	
Friend A. Deming, W. C.	Mattoon,	"															
John L. Jones, P.	"	"	Mattoon, P.	2	13	54		1	100	2 50	60	12				3107	97
William M. Taylor, S. S.—13.	Newburgh,	"	Prairie Bird, S. S.			23				1 20	5	11					
			Tolono, V.														
			North-Fork, S. S.	3	4	19			30	1 00						200	50
			Pleasant Prairie, S. S.	13		47	6	5	80	1 80	20					200	30
			New-Providence, S. S.	1	1	42		1	25	2 35	27	5				385	50
			[—12.														
				52	47	533	16	28	910	25 85	336	177	21		25	8885	807
4. *Presb. of Alton.*																	
John Gibson, S. S.	Sparta,	Ill.	Plum Creek, S. S.	2		32		4	18	1 60	8		2			333	40
Hilary Patrick, S. S.	Tamaroa,	"	Mt. Vernon, S. S.			32				1 60	14						

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			Vergennes, S. S.			30					1 50	4			5			
Thomas Lippincott, W. C.	Duquoine,	Ill.																
Elijah Buck, S. S.	Edgewood,	"																
Eli W. Taylor, S. S.	Shipman,	"	Shipman, S. S.			30					1 50	12						
			Plainview, S. S.			23	7				1 25	13						
Robert Stewart, S. S.	Greenville,	"	Bethel, S. S.	2	9	62	15	5	5	75	3 05	32					100	
Augustus T. Norton, D. Sec.	Alton,	"																
Charles F. Halsey, S. S.	Collinsville,	"	Collinsville, S. S.	2	1	66	16	1	1	110	2 65	114	41	18	28	8	1115	372
Edward B. Olmsted, Ch.	Caledonia,	"	Caledonia, S. S.			*10												
			Mound City, S. S.			10					50							
J. Jerome Ward, S. S.	Niles, Mich.																	
Joseph Gordon, S. S.	Vandalia,	Ill.	Pana, S. S.	1	1	31				102	1 55	15					691	
			Nokomis, S. S.		5	20				40	1 00	8					130	
			Cumberland, S. S.	2	1	26		1		30	1 30	14					117	16
Josiah Wood, S. S.	Duquoine,	"	Tamaroa, S. S.	1	7	19					1 00	12					150	36
			Duquoine, S. S.		2	35	35				1 75		17		6		145	292
Caleb J. Pitkin, S. S.	Vandalia,	"	Vandalia, S. S.	1	3	31		1	5	115	2 00	61			112		600	149
Joseph S. Edwards, S. S.	East-Cleveland,	Ohio.																
William H. Bird, S. S.	Sandoval,	Ill.	Sandoval, S. S.	2	6	8				70		2						
David Dimond, S. S.	Brighton,	"	Brighton, S. S.		2	58	4			70		71	51	3			600	
James S. Walton, S. S.	Pana,	"																
Gideon C. Clarke, S. S.	Woodburn,	"																
Andrew Luce, S. S.	Carbondale,	"	Carbondale, S. S.			29				75	1 75	13					6	
			Marion, S. S.			*8												
			Murphysboro', S. S.			*4												
George L. Little, S. S.	Godfrey,	"																
William Ellers, S. S.	Troy,	"	Troy, S. S.		4	29			11	50	1 50	15	8		58	3	165	
			Marine, S. S.	2	4	18					1 00	3	3			2	287	10
Cornelius H. Taylor, D.D., P.	Alton,	"	Alton, P.	6	5	290		1	12	340	24 00	553	120	87	300		1800	174
Charles H. Foote, P.	Jerseyville,	"	Jerseyville, P.	7	6	273	27	5	6	130	13 65	164	21	18	5		2593	530

Thomas Sherrard.																			
Ezekiel Folsom, Ch.	Cairo,	"	Cairo, S. S.	2	16	39	7		1	150	4	00	100					1500	400
Thomas Reynolds, W. C.	Shipman,	"																	
William R. Adams, S. S.—30.	Alton,	"	Upper Alton, S. S.	2	4	29		1	1		1	45	20					1000	25
			Spring Cove, V.			22					1	10	24					50	10
			Gillespie, V.			*2													
			New-Duquoine, V.	3	6	51		1		75	2	50	19					300	50
			Belleville, V.			46	15		2	125	2	30	31	17				800	56
			Hickory Creek, S. S.			*6													
			[—33.																
				46	99	1528	156	20	65	1720	83	45	1358	300	138	522	13	14,684	2353
XVII. Synod of Peoria.																			
1. *Presb. of Ottawa.*																			
Nahum Gould, W. C.	Somonauk,	Ill.																	
Alvah Day, Ch.	Morris,	"																	
Seth H. Waldo, Tea.	Geneseo,	"																	
Spencer Baker, W. C.	Lodi,	"																	
Ira M. Weed, S. S.	Granville,	"	Granville, S. S.	2		42			2	50	2	00	15	86				500	
George Marsh, S. S.	Brookfield,	"	Brookfield, S. S.			*24													
Heman S. Colton, W. C.	Bristol,	"																	
James M. Clark, W. C.	Ottawa,	"																	
Charles H. Force, S. S.	"	"																	
Levi P. Crawford, S. S.	Somonauk,	"	Somonauk, S. S.	2	2	42	8	2		85	2	40						450	
Wellington W. Wells, S. S.	Waltham,	"	Waltham, S. S.	4	8	135	12	2	7	175	6	15	84	19				500	
Amasa C. Lord, W. C.	Somonauk,	"																	
Rodolph Floto.											*2	25							
Alanson T. Wood, S. S.—14.	Kendall,	"	Au Sable, S. S.		1	53			5	40	3	50			26	45		550	200
			Gardner, V.			16						85	10					200	75
			Vienna, V.			*22													

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		Sandwich, S. S.		2	56	16			98	3 60		9				400	220
		Ottawa, S. S.—9.			*52												
2. *Presb. of Knox.*			8	13	442	36	4	14	448	20 75	109	114	26	45		2600	495
Solomon S. Miles, S. S.	Gilson, Ill.																
William Y. Miller, W. C.	Knoxville, "																
Edwards Marsh, P. C.	Canton, "																
William S. Curtis, D.D., Pres.	Galesburgh, "																
Samuel Wyckoff, P. E.	Knoxville, "	Knoxville, P. E.	34	7	141	7	22	2	100	7 00	39	60	159	5		1687	200
Sanford Richardson, F. M.	Arabkir, East-Turkey.																
James Quick, F. M.	Panditeripo, Ceylon.																
Charles P. Fitch, S. S.—8.	Lacon, Ill.	Lacon, S. S.	25	14	127		11	4		6 00	30	80	225				280
		Rock Island, S. S.	4	4	40		1	4		2 00	48	43		87		18	132
		Galesburgh, V.	6	5	168				100	8 00	88	82		15		1236	
Licentiate.		Sparland, V.	6		25				75	1 00	4					150	100
Frank Gilbert, S. S.—1.	Peoria, Ill.	Peoria, S. S.—6.			83				200	4 00	31	40					105
			75	30	584	7	34	10	475	28 00	240	305	384	107		3091	817
3. *Presb. of Galena and Belvidere.*																	
Aratus Kent, P. M.	Galena, Ill.																
Phineas Camp, W. C.	Dixon, "																
Hutchins Taylor, W. C.	Belvidere, "																
Lemuel Hall, W. C.	Geneva, Wis.																
Edwards A. Beach, W. C.	Beloit, "																
Calvin Gray, W. C.	Polo, Ill.																

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4. *Presb. of Chicago.*																	
Baxter Dickinson, D.D., Tea.	Lake Forest, Ill.																
David H. Kingsley, W. C.	Dunton, "																
Jonathan G. Porter, S. S.	Wilmington, "																
Robert W. Patterson, D.D., P.	Chicago, "	Chicago, Second, P.	24	15	392		4	10	650	53 13	656	1527	368	913			6949
Abner W. Henderson, Ch.	U. S. Army.																
Luman C. Gilbert, *In trans.*	Princeton, Minn.																
Zephaniah M. Humphrey, D.D., P	Chicago, Ill.	Chicago, First, P.	22	35	453		10	21		22 00	308	443	176				9749
Asahel L. Brooks, P.	" "	" Edwards, P.	19	20	133		6	4	220	5 70	77	50	38				157
Arthur Swazey, P.	" "	" Third, P.			*289				1700								
Royal Reed, W. C.	Joliet, "																
Charles L. Bartlett, W. C.	Lake Forest, "																
C. Rufus Clark, W. C.	Brickton, "																
Hiram Wasson, S. S.	West-Creek, Ind.																
Stephen N. Manning, Ag.	Kankakee, Ill.																
Charles J Hutchins, W. C.																	
J. Ambrose Wight, W. C.	Bay City, Mich.																
William R. Downs, W. C.	Chicago, Ill.																
James H. Trowbridge, W. C.	" "																
Alfred Eddy, P.	" "	Chicago, Olivet, P.	7	26	87		3		130	4 35	70	75					317
John C. Dumser, Col.	Dundee, "	[ter, P.															
Edward A. Pierce, P.	Chicago, "	Chicago, Westmins-	13	16	90		6	2	170	4 50	200	150	67				351
John Kidd, S. S.	Joliet, "	Joliet, S. S.	3	10	208		1	12	100		9	64					329
William C. Dickinson, P.	Lake Forest, "	Lake Forest, P.		4	62			3	120	3 00		286					876

Licentiate.			Elgin, V.													
Charles E. Rider, Tea.			Lake Station, V.			*8										
Bradford Y. Averill, Tea.—2.			Momence, V.			*16										
			Dupage, V.			*32										
			Will, First, S. S.			10										
			Chicago, Calvary, V. [—21.	5	22	111	2	11	5 00	138	186	35	31			802
				141	172	2259	46	92	3523	112 00	1676	2898	694	944			20,100
5. *Presb. of Bloomington.*																
Wells Andrews, S. S.	Washington,	Ill.	Washington, S. S.	1	1	35	1	4	3 00							
Adam Johnston, S. S.	Pontiac,	"	Pontiac, S. S.	15	15	85	7	1	3 10	21						
Charles H. Palmer, S. S.	Middleport,	"	Middleport, S. S.	6	1	36		3	1 80	6			5			
James R. Dunn, W. C.	Normal,	"														
John W. Bailey, S. S.	Bloomington,	"	Bloomington, S. S.	9	27	*174	1	1	15 10				500			
John M. Brown, P. M.	Minonk,	"														
John H. Dillingham, S. S.	Wenona,	"	Wenona, S. S.	1	13	75	1	2	3 83	23	16	2	13			
Martin P. Ormsby, S. S.	Minonk,	"	Minonk, S. S.	15	2	61	8		3 05	40		12				
Joseph Lowry, S. S.	Rantoul,	"	Rantoul, S. S.	6	2	21	2		1 05	17						
T. Hempstead, S. S.—10.	Fairbury,	"	Fairbury, S. S.		1	19		1		3						
			Magnolia, V.			*15										
Candidate, 1.			Kappa, V.			*20										
			Jersey, S. S.			30			1 25							
			Green Valley & Sand Prairie, S. S.			30			1 00							
			Urbana, V.—13.			*20										
				53	62	621	20	12	33 18	110	16	14	518			

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XVIII. Synod of Wisconsin.																	
1. *Presb. of Milwaukee.*																	
George W. Elliott, C. M.	Milwaukee, Wis.																
Alfred W. Gray, M. D.	" "																
Joseph H. Towne, D.D., P.	" "	Milwaukee, First, P.	6	4	267		1	9	200	13 50	71	394				142	126
Israel C. Holmes, S. S.	Maple Grove, "	Maple Grove, S. S.	1	6	46					2 20	20		3				
Joseph S. Lord, S. S.	Hustisford, "																
Henry T. Lathrop, S. S.	Palmyra, "																
Mead Holmes, Ag., and S. S.	Rockford, Ill.																
Peter S. Van Nest, S. S.	Geneva, Wis.									*60							
Edmund F. Waldo, W. C.	Wayland, Mich.																
Peter Zonne, P.	Holland, Wis.	Holland, First, P.			*68												
Albert G. Beebe, P.	Manitowoc, "	Manitowoc, P.	8	5	55		1	8	80	2 25	37	17	5	5			
Elias F. Tanner, S. S.	Barton, "	Barton, S. S.	3	4	48		1	3	50	2 30	20		5	8		26	
James W. Stark, S. S.	Berlin, "																
Frank Schroeck, P.	Milwaukee, "	Milwaukee, Dutch, P.	5	17	105			17	223	3 45	25					56	300
Silas Hawley, W. C.—15.	St. Paul, Minn.																
		Holland, Second, S. S.			60					3 00	3						
		Scott, S. S.			10					50							
		Jefferson, V.—9.			*23												
			23	36	682		3	37	553	27 80	176	411	13	13		214	426
2. *Presb. of Fox River.*																	
Cutting Marsh, S. S.	Waupaca, Wis.	Poysippi, S. S.			*12												
	Rural, "	Rural, S. S.		2	22			3	45	1 75	14	2				120	34

		Waupaca, S. S.	8		21			8	40	1	75	12					368	30	
John B. Preston, S. S.	Omro, Wis.	Omro, S. S.	2	1	64		1	3	70	3	00	28					1400	50	
James Bassett, S. S.	Neenah, "	Neenah, S. S.	38	5	131	14	14	2	225	6	50	21	32				3700	89	
John Fairchild, S. S.	Minnecaunee, "	Minnecaunee, S. S.	2	1	23	2	2	3	40	1	55	30							
Edward F. Fish, S. S.	Stevens's Point, "	Stevens's Point, S. S.			12				50	1	00								
Frye B. Reed, W. C.	Omro, "																		
Alexander Lemon, W. C.	Ripon, "																		
James Conley, W. C.—9.	Orion, "																		
		Berlin, S. S.—8.	3	7	72			2	108	2	63	15	15					70	
			48	16	357	16	17	16	578	18	18	125	49				5588	273	
3. *Presb. of Columbus.*																			
Moses Ordway, W. C.	Beaver Dam, Wis.																		
John G. Kanouse, S. S.	Cottage Grove, "	Cottage Grove, S. S.	18	2	55		7	3	105	2	75	30	6		1		142		
Hiram H. Kellogg, D. Sec.	Chicago, Ill.																		
John N. Lewis, W. C.	Lodi, Wis.																		
Timothy Williston, S. S.	South-Boston, Mich.																		
Benjamin G. Riley, S. M.	Lodi, Wis.																		
Alvah G. Dunning, W. C.	Arlington, "																		
Daniel A. Bassett, S. S.	Lodi, "	Lodi, S. S.	6	7	87		2	6	125	4	35	18	45				1370	53	
William Drummond, S. S.	Stone Bank, "																		
Edmund B. Miner, S. S.	Mineral Point, "																		
Lorenzo M. Gates, S. S.	Roscoe, Ill.																		
James A. Laurie, S. S.—12.	Lowville, Wis.	Lowville, S. S.	4	2	28	4	3	1	60	1	40	2	3		5		500	100	
		Baraboo, S. S.	9	3	70	11	2		100	3	50	8			25		305		
		Columbus, S. S.	1	2	77			3	175	3	85		26				1955	161	
		Pardeeville, S. S.	5	1	37	4	4		50	1	85	14					655	73	
		Sun Prairie, S. S.		2	40	3			75	2	00	6					208	35	
Candidate, 1.		Arlington, S. S.	1	3	18			4	40		90	3	5		8		300	20	
		Portland, V.			20					1	00								
		Reedsburgh, V.			20					1	00	3							

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		Caledonia, V.			15			1		75							
		Loganville, V.—12.			*3												
			44	22	470	22	18	18	730	23 35	84	85		39		5435	442
XIX. Synod of Iowa.																	
1. *Presb. of Des Moines.*																	
John C. Ewing, P. M.	Winterset, Iowa.	[P.								*65							
Thompson Bird, P.	Des Moines, "	Des Moines, Central,	3	3	63		2	2		3 15				198			
Fisk Harmon, P.	Swede Point, "	Swede Point, First, P.			30					1 50							
Asa Johnson, S. S.	Redfield, "	Redfield, First, S. S.		8	8					40							
		Adel, First, S. S.	1	1	18					90	10	5		29			
Francis M. Dimmick, S. S.	Omaha City, Neb. T.	Omaha, Second, S. S.	9	9	47		3	2		2 35	19	19	110	26			
James M. Phillips, S. S.	Des Moines, Iowa.	Des Moines, Third, S.S.	3	6	31		1	6		1 55				30			
Alexander M. Heizer, S. S.—7.	Winterset, "	Winterset, First, S. S.	7		39					1 95							
		Newton, Westmins., V.	1	1	20					1 00		16		30			
		Panora, First, V.			3					15							
		Indianola, V.—10.			11					55							
			24	28	270		6	10		14 15	29	30	110	313			

Aaron Thompson, S. S.	Montrose,	"	Montrose, S. S.—6.	26		61				100							
Charles A. Williams, Ch.—7.	Keokuk,	"															
				44	5	308	33	7	21	715	13 85	147	46		19	1278	1113
3. *Presb. of Iowa City.*																	
George D. Young, S. S.	Camanche,	Iowa.	Camanche, S.S. [S.S.			21			3	90	2 00	15	4			460	65
Abner D. Chapman, S. S.	Malcolm,	"	Brooklyn & Malcolm,	1		38				110	4 00	11					8
James Knox, P. E.	Cedar Rapids,	"	Cedar Rapids, P. E.	2	21	69		2	1	70	5 00	20	10			1287	
Samuel Storrs Howe, W. C.	Iowa City,	"															
Charles W. Treadwell, S. S.	Wheatland,	"	Wheatland, S. S.			15			3	75	3 00	17	20		16	295	
			Clarence, S. S.	2	7	22				60	2 00	6	5		6	206	
William Porterfield, W. C.	Cedar Falls,	"															
Alexander Fairley, W. C.	Washington City,	D.C.															
John Glass, S. S.	Iowa City,	Iowa.	Scott, S. S.			11				40							12
Miles Doolittle, W. C.	Cedar Rapids,	"															
George R. Moore, Pres.	Lyons,	"															
Hannibal L. Stanley, P. E.	"	"	Lyons, P. E.	7	5	70	11	5	9	80	5 00	15	10	10		840	20
George E. W. Leonard, S. S.	Cedar Rapids,	"	Pleasant Prairie and Centre Point, S. S.	1	4	74	8		3	125	3 00	25	6		5	400	20
George D. A. Hebard, S. S.	Iowa City,	"	Iowa City, S. S.	8	13	90	5	2		225	5 00	88	44			1520	101
John Gibson, W. C.	Washington,	"															
Samuel J. Mills, S. S.	West-Liberty,	"	West-Liberty, S. S.			*12											
			Atalissa, S. S.			*11											
Lewis B. Rogers, W. C.	Albion, N. Y.																
Benjamin Talbot, Prof.	Iowa City,	Iowa.															
Wilberforce K. Boggs, S. S.—[18.	Marengo,	"	Marengo, S. S.	2	13	63	6		4	40	4 00	15				1216	98
			Clinton, S. S.		2	34	2			120	5 00	30				1254	300
			Mt. Vernon, V.—14.			20					2 00					175	20
				23	65	550	32	9	23	1035	40 00	242	99	10	27	7653	644

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4. *Presb. of Dubuque.*																	
Samuel Newbury, S. S.	Council Hill, Iowa.	Council Hill, S. S.	5	16	21		2	5	50		6					251	11
Henry B. Holmes, P.	Dubuque, "	Dubuque, Second, P.	2	3	102	10	2	8	200	5 50	143	56		9		2315	519
Charles R. French, S. S.	Clermont, "	Clermont, S. S.	3	1	17				220	85	30	28	2	6		775	
Louis Boisot, W. C.	Dubuque, "									*1 30							
George R. Carroll, S. S.—5.	Wyoming, "	Wyoming, S. S.	6	2	60		2		80	2 65						600	50
		Oxford, V.—5.			*27												
			16	22	227	10	6	13	550	10 30	179	84	2	15		3941	580
5. *Presb. of Chariton.**																	
Benjamin O. Springer, W. C.	Decatur City, Iowa.																
John Fisher, S. S.	Centreville, "	Centreville, S. S.			64												
Asa Martin, S. S.	Scott, "	Olivet, S. S.			35												
Milton H. Dysart, S. S.—4.	Troy, "	Troy, S. S.			85												
		Shunem, S. S.			66												
		Carmel, S. S.			19												
		West-Grove, V.			29												
		Unionville, V.—7.			17												
					315												
6. *Presb. of Cedar Valley.*																	
James Harrison, W. C.	Waterloo, Iowa.																
Lewis H. Loss, S. S.	Marshalltown, "	Marshalltown, S. S.	13	9	57		2		100	2 85	30					9000	91
Calvin Waterbury, Co-trustee,	Freeport, Ill.									*10 00							
John Summers, W. C.	Shellsburgh, Iowa.																

Nelson C. Robinson, P.	Vinton,	Iowa.	Vinton, P.	7	7	99					6	25	34	18	20		22		198
			Yankee Grove, P.	4		13													
David Blakely, W. C.	Waterloo,	"																	
Moses Robinson, S. S.	Mount Pleasant,	"	Steamboat Rock, S. S.			17					1	00							
Benjamin F. Stuart, Ag.																			
James Gordon, S. S.	Otisville,	"	Union, S. S.		1	26			1	70			20						
Stephen Phelps, S. S.	Waterloo,	"	Waterloo, S. S.	7	13	47	8	3	2	60	2	35						244	100
Isaiah Reid, S. S.—11.	Nevada,	"	Nevada, S. S.	1	5	17				60		85							
			Iowa Centre, S. S.			6						30							
			Cedar Falls, V.			*37													
			Iowa Falls, V.			*32													
			Maysville, V.			*13													
Candidate, 1.			Point Pleasant.			*37													
			Cedar Valley, V.			8						40					6		
			Benton, V.			*69													
			Janesville, V.—15.			60					3	00							
				32	35	538	8	5	3	290	27	00	84	18	20		28	9244	389
XX. Synod of Minnesota.																			
1. *Presb. of Dakota.*																			
Samuel G. Lowry, W. C.	Sumner,	Minn.																	
James Thomson, W. C.	Mankato,	"																	
Jenkin Jenkins, S. S.	Butternut Valley,	"	Butternut Valley, S.S.			16				35		80							145
Thomas S. Williamson, M.D., F. M.	Saint Peter,	"	[S. S. Davenport Prison,	45		190		39	24		9	95							29
Stephen R. Riggs, F. M.	Saint Anthony,	"	Scout's Camp, S. S.			42				30	2	10		50					10
Theophilus Lowry, W. C.	Sumner,	"	[First, S. S.																
John Peck, S. S.	Trav. des Sioux,	"	Traverse des Sioux,	2	6	40				75	1	80	19	14			20	8	125
Jacob E. Conrad, S. S.	Sterling,	"	Blue Earth City, S. S.	5		24			5	25	1	05	6	5		6			40
John F. Aiton, W. C.	Saint Peter,	"																	
Moses N. Adams, Ag.	Saint Paul,	"																	

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John P. Williamson, F. M.	Fort Thompson, D. T.	Fort Thompson, S. S.	51	33	234		26	28	150	8 80							41
Thomas Marshall, S. S.—12.	Mankato, Minn.	Mankato, First, S. S.	20	11	54		6		150	1 50	34	3					150
		Henderson, V.—8.			3	2				30							
Licentiate.			123	50	603	2	71	57	465	26 30	59	72		6	20	8	540
John B. Renville.—1.																	
2. *Presb. of Minnesota.*																	
Edward D. Neill, W. C.	Washington, D. C.																
Joseph C. Whitney, W. C.	Minneapolis, Minn.																
Gideon H. Pond, P.	Bloomington, "	Oak Grove, P.	1		37			5	78	2 00	13	34					240
John Mattocks, P.	St. Paul, "	St. Paul, First, P.	7	11	109		2		175	5 00	73	100				2500	400
Samuel W. Pond, S. S.	Shakopee, "	Shakopee, First, S. S.			*20					1 00							
Frederick A. Noble, P.	St. Paul, "	St. Paul, H. of Hope, P.	17	12	97			3	200	5 00	133	181	102	160		200	602
Jesse L. Howell, S. S.	Stillwater, "	Stillwater, First, S. S.	4		40		4	5	115	2 00	25	15	25	19			130
Albert G. Rulifson, S. M.	St. Paul, "	Minneapolis, First, V.															
Chauncy Hall, S. S.—9.	Lakeland, "	Little Falls, V.															
		Forest City, V.			*8												
		Belle Plain, V.—9.			*16												
			29	23	327		6	13	568	15 00	244	330	127	179		2700	1372
3. *Presb. of Winona.*																	
Gardiner K. Clark, S. S.	Saratoga, Minn.																
Edmund D. Holt, S. S.	Chatfield, "	Chatfield, S. S.		5	57			1	70	2 99	20	23	18	3		661	95
Charles S. Le Duc, S. S.	Hastings, "	Hastings, S. S.	2	3	41	7	1	1	100	2 18	16	20	8	7		960	127

Joseph W. Hancock, S. S.	[illegible]		Goodhue, S. S.															
Porter H. Snow, W. C.	Madison, Wis.																	
Sanford H. Smith, P.—6.	Red Wing, Minn.		Red Wing, P.—5.	19	6	94		15	5	130	3	95	29	39	16			913	108
Candidates, 2.				21	14	207	7	16	7	300	10	00	59	98	42	10		2524	324
* Died, June 11, 1865.																			
XXI. Synod of Missouri.																			
1. *Presb. of St. Louis.*																			
Edmund Wright, Ag.	St. Louis,	Mo.																	
Henry A. Nelson, D.D., P.	"	"	St. Louis, First, P.	12	30	337		4	28	380	16	00	469	382		489		38,000	
Benjamin Mills, P.	Webster Groves,	"	Rock Hill, P.			54			3		3	00							
Frederick Starr, Jr., P.	St. Louis,	"	St. Louis, North, P.—[3.			74					5	00							
Williston Jones, S. S.	Rolla,	"																	
J. Rogers Armstrong, S.S., Tea.	Carrolton,	Ill.																	
William P. Teitsworth, H. M.	St. Louis,	Mo.																	
John Maclean, W. C.—8.	"	"									*1	00							
				12	30	465		4	31	380	25	00	469	382		489		38,000	
2. *Presb. of Lexington.*																			
Timothy Morgan, H. M.	Gentryville,	Mo.																	
Franklin E. Sheldon, S. S.	Troy,	Kan.	Savannah, S. S.		1	46			2	50	2	25	30						100
Benjamin B. Parsons, D.D., P.	St. Joseph,	Mo.	Westminster, P.	1	10	35			9	35	1	50	49	50	25	11		25	3550
	Gentryville,	"	Mt. Sion, V.			*34					1	70							
	Gallatin,	"	Clear Creek, V.			*12						60							
William M. Kain, S. S.	Weston,	"	Weston, S. S.—5.	2	1	12			2	40		60						3	50
Elijah A. Carson, W. C.—5.	Savannah,	"																	
				3	12	139			13	125	6	65	79	50	25	11		28	3700

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3. *Presb. of Northern Missouri.*																	
Lattan W. Dunlap, S. S.	La Grange, Mo.	La Grange, S. S.		3	35				40	2 85	22						
James A. Darrah, P.	West-Ely, "	West-Ely, P.	2	11	47		1	4	30	1 85	17	16					
Jacob R. Winters, S. S.	Palmyra, "	Palmyra, S. S.			23				50	1 50	28						51
Thomas H. Tatlow, P.	Newark, "	Newark, P.	9		48		2	2	70	2 35	15	17					
James J. Wilson, S. S.—5.	Newark, "	New-Providence, S.S.			71			2	50	3 20	10	11				7	
		Canton, S. S.			9						28						
		Edina, S. S.—7.	2		7		1										
			13	14	240		4	8	240	11 75	120	44				7	51
4. *Presb. of Kansas.*																	
James Brownlee, S. S.	Baldwin City, Kan.	Prairie City, S. S.			13					65							
		Black Jack, S. S.			13					65							
Isaac C. Beach, W. C.	Olathe, "									*1 65							
James V. A. Woods, S. S.	Auburn, "	Auburn, S. S.	2	2	44					2 20	7						
William H. Smith, S. S.	De Soto, "	De Soto, S. S.			11			1		55	14						
		Westminster, S. S.			13					65	2						
Ira Blackford, W. C.	Black Jack, "																
Frank L. Nash, S. S.—6.	Seneca, "	Seneca, S. S.	3	6	16					80	3						
		Lawrence, V.			22					1 10							
		Marion, V.			13					1 25	1						
		Tecumseh, V.			*5												
		Council Grove, V.			*20												
Licentiates.		Troy, S. S.			*15												
		Irving, S. S.—12.			*8												
C. C. Moore, M.D.	Auburn, Kan.																
Henry Mattice.—2.			5	8	193			1		9 50	27						

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William B. Brown, S. S.	Cleveland, Tenn.	Cleveland S. S.			75												
Thomas R. Bradshaw, S. S.	Sweet Water, "	Loudon, V.			20												
Eli N. Sawtell, Jr., W. C.—4.	Athens, "																
		Kingston, V.			40												
		Madisonville, S. S.			50												
	Athens, "	Mt. Harmony, V.			30												
	" "	Mars Hill, V.			75												
		Benton, V.			25												
		Chattanooga, V.—10.			10												
					415												
3. *Presb. of Holston.*																	
Rufus P. Wells, S. S.	Knoxville, Tenn.	Jonesboro, V.			75												
Samuel Sawyer, H. M.	Knoxville, "	Rogersville, V.			80												
Nathan Bachman, W. C.	Kingsport, "	Kingsport, V.			50												
John N. Blackburn, W. C.—4.	Greenville,	Greenville, V.—4.			120												
					325												
XXIII. Synod of Alta California.																	
1. *Presb. of San Francisco.*																	
John Waldo Douglas, W. C.	Ithaca, N. Y.																
Samuel H. Willey, V. Pres.	San Francisco, Cal.																
Isaac H. Brayton, Prof.	Oakland, "																

[illegible]	[illegible]	"	[illegible]														
Townsend E. Taylor, D. Sec.	Petaluma,	"															
Henry M. Scudder, D.D., P. E. [—7.	San Francisco,	"	S. Fran., Howard st.,	25	31	185					100						
			Mendocino, First, S. S.			*24											
			Red Bluff, First, S. S. [—3.			*20											
				25	31	229					100						
2. *Presb. of Sierra Nevada.*																	
Silas S. Harmon, Prof.	Oakland,	Cal.															
William M. Martin, P. E.	Virginia City,	Nevada.															
Walter Frear, P. E.	Santa Cruz,	Cal.															
Charles C. Wallace, P.	Placerville,	"	Placerville, P.	6	4	64		2	10		320	100	100			9000	
John H. McMonagle, Ch.—5.	San Francisco,	"															
			Marysville, V.	4	1	40			6		49			75			
			Sonora, S. S.	2	2	30		1	5		34		40				
			Columbia, S. S.—4.	5	9	41		2	3		50	12				4000	
				17	16	175		5	24		453	112	140	75		13,000	
3. *Presb. of San José.*																	
John Sessions, D.D., W. C.	Oakland,	Cal.															
Edward B. Walsworth, Pres.	"	"															
William Wallace Brier, W. C.	Alvarado,	"															
Eli Corwin, P. C.	Honolulu,	Sandwich I.															
George Pierson, M.D., S. S.	Brooklyn,	Cal.	Brooklyn, S. S.	1	1	22			9		16	21				100	
Laurentine Hamilton, P.	Oakland,	"	Oakland, P.			*37											
Bela N. Seymour, S. S.	Centreville,	"	Centreville, S. S.	2	1	29		2	4							140	
			Alvarado, S. S.		1	16			2							50	
Philander G. Buchanan, S. S.	Watsonville,	"	Watsonville, S. S.														

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James McLaughlin, Tea.	Red Bluff, Cal.	[S. S.															
James A. Skinner, S. S.	Santa Clara, "	Santa Clara, Westm.,	13	12	25		5	2			10	51					
W. Wisner Martin, P.—11.	San José, "	San José, P.			*118												
		Gilroy, S. S.	2	2	13		2	4				27					88
		Visalia, V.—9.			12												
Licentiate.			18	17	272		9	21			26	99					378
James M. Alexander, H. M.—1.	San Leandro, Cal.																
*4. Presb. of Washoe.**																	
Albert F. White, P.	Carson City, Nevada.	Carson City, P.			26												
Lemuel P. Webber, S. S.	Santa Clara, Cal.																
William W. Macomber, S. S.	Marysville, Cal.																
D. H. Palmer, S. S.—4.	Virginia City, Nev.																
		Virginia City, P. E.			20												
		Gold Hill, S. S.—3.			7												
					53												

I. OF THE SYNODS AND THEIR PRESBYTERIES.

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I. SYNOD OF ALBANY,	1803	5	82	2	5	66	220	125	7816	339	92	102	3107	300 75	5152	4784	666	2967	61	19,883	9081	*A. B. Lambert, D.D.*
1. Champlain,	1814		22			18	19	38	1958	192	9	17	375	66 00	547	1255	37			3200	2418	Jonathan Copeland.
2. Troy,	1820		28	2	3	18	103	36	2279		49	19		75 50	1959	1285	168	854		4587	3276	A. B. Lambert, D.D.
3. Albany,	1791		12		1	11	45	36	1618		20	34	1858	62 10	1776	665	335	1596	10	627	42	Stephen Bush.
4. Columbia,	1802		8			6	34	7	814	123	11	17	550	39 95	111	502	37	10	51	6077	2051	William S. Leavitt.
5. Catskill,	1851		12		1	13	19	8	1147	24	8	15	829	57 20	759	1127	89	507		5442	2294	Alvin Cooper.
II. SYNOD OF UTICA,	1829	4	79	6	10	69	223	120	6646	76	58	68	2545	252 83	3330	4328	467	1378		29,471	9949	*William E. Knox.*
1. St. Lawrence,	1818		9			8	43	17	724	8	13	18	559	37 80	345	569	23	6		3057	1235	Baruch B. Beckwith.
2. Watertown,	1822		21			20	31	23	1721	54	10	15	1182	98 25	228	648	124	263		20,090	1985	Richard G. Keyes.
3. Oswego,	1823		7			11	34	18	927	14	14	6	813	27 65	517	488	13	308		6324	1552	J. Niles Hubbard.
4. Utica,	1842		42	6	10	30	115	62	3274		21	29		89 13	2242	2633	307	801			5177	
III. SYNOD OF ONONDAGA,	1855	4	90	26	23	71	283	258	8380	96	131	90	4176	400 15	4199	5417	1231	1664	57	69,312	9320	*Lewis H. Reid.*
1. Onondaga,	1810		22		3	21	81	66	2469		41	23	1636	122 00	728	1241	559	600	50	31,455	2153	Edwin R. Davis.
2. Cayuga,	1810		33	25	18	28	45	94	2682	14	24	36		127 70	1828	2314	312	299	7	18,000	4966	Charles Hawley, D.D.
3. Cortland,	1825		18			16	48	85	1705	79	22	17	1268	84 45	659	719	85	141		9136	1674	Henry N. Millerd.
4. Tioga,	1829		22	1	2	11	109	63	1524	3	44	14	1272	66 00	980	1143	275	624		10,721	527	T. Dwight Walker.
IV. SYNOD OF GENEVA,	1812	6	104	5	7	90	284	194	8835	280	119	161	6227	408 16	3223	3850	975	1896		64,641	11,284	*Benjamin M. Goldsmith.*
1. Geneva,	1805		37	2		18	47	66	2551	174	26	46	2586	127 20	735	1404	112	365		31,139	5814	Benjamin M. Goldsmith.
2. Steuben,	1817		14			18	55	26	1847		21	23	1120	42 11	331	342	148	33		5450	925	William A. Niles.
3. Chemung,	1836		19		1	18	25	49	1387	19	6	23		70 00	982	689	343	636			757	Charles C. Carr

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[illegible]ithaca,	1839		8		2	8	57	12	1285	10	22	12	690	49 00	481	455	241	350		12,778	784	Warren Mayo.
[illegible]Tellsborough,	1845		10	1		13	7	2	522	11	4	6	317	30 00	34	53	96	20		618	85	Samuel J. McCullough.
[illegible]yons,	1856		16	2	4	15	93	32	1793	66	40	51	1564	89 85	710	877	85	492		14,656	2969	Arunah H. Lilly.
[illegible]NOD OF SUSQUEHANNA,	1853	3	37	2	3	41	126	41	3529	15	48	40	1789	160 26	662	2193	251	319	140	8595	2490	*Willard M. Hoyt.*
1. Otsego,	1830		15	1		17	44	22	1377		16	16	715	68 50	214	1243	58	77	120	8298	1408	Charles Gillette.
2. Chenango,	1826		10			13	9	8	1328		4	10	100	81 80	287	721	60	219	20	211	101	Willard M. Hoyt.
3. Delaware,	1831		12	1	3	11	73	11	824	15	28	14	974	59 96	161	229	138	28		86	956	Theodore F. White.
[illegible] OF GENESEE,	1821	6	180	6	10	102	480	347	13,162	536	195	192	11,836	615 51	7668	9592	1067	2026	132	102,925	23,641	*Timothy Stillman, D.D.*
[illegible]ffalo,	1817		37	2	9	27	127	107	3573	148	34	45	2903	200 90	2995	3165	385	1269	6	32,546	11,300	Timothy Stillman, D.D.
[illegible]ntario,	1817		19			19	95	38	1645	143	34	17	1020	74 30	671	758	155	215			1648	John Barnard, D.D.
[illegible]ochester,	1819		27	3		17	104	86	3240	73	47	56	3682	106 61	2104	3285	274	288		34,602	5367	Charles E. Furman.
4. Genesee,	1819		14		1	16	87	39	1895	68	48	23	1402	70 70	840	791	158	116	116	12,867	2066	Charles F. Mussey.
5. Niagara,	1823		17	1		16	13	48	2209	62	5	25	2175	110 30	504	981	60	78		13,340	1752	William G. Hubbard.
6. Genesee Valley,	1828		16			14	54	29	1100	42	27	26	1304	52 70	551	606	35	60	10	9370	1508	Isaac G. Ogden.
VII. SYNOD OF N. Y. AND N. J.,	1788	9	285	36	60	162	1348	1340	29,872	1699	371	723	22,936	1657 70	28,146	35,990	7854	6315	1841	374,000	137,398	*Obadiah M. Johnson.*
1. Hudson,	1707		18		1	12	64	45	1708	134	30	59	573	84 65	428	567	150	174	2	6760	2220	Obadiah M. Johnson.
2. North-River,	1819		29	1	2	17	34	24	1855		20	24		112 50	414	897	154	406			101	Sumner Mandeville.
3. Long Island,	1791		9			6	2	3	683	7	1	11	320	34 60	87	809	5	46		6490	1273	Epher Whitaker.
4. New-York, Third,	1831		64	8	16	22	208	433	6037	329	46	130	8897	327 50	5258	10,584	1604	672	1882	110,400	28,884	Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D.
5. New-York, Fourth,	1845		49	17	20	15	158	295	3804	566	42	112	3506	373 00	7281	11,851	2201	1471		95,784	59,172	John Spaulding, D.D.
6. Brooklyn,	1838		22	4	1	9	90	161	2815		22	93		140 00	9477	3585	2182	2169		16,878	7227	William S. Karr.
7. Newark,	1824		50	4	16	27	624	280	6831	100	126	227	5073	313 00	3951	6398	1178	1196	457	93,688	27,524	James Hoyt.
8. Rockaway,	1839		20	1	2	20	78	23	2222	15	43	24	1420	111 45	500	909	298	80		18,128	2739	Burtis C. Megie.
9. Montrose,	1832		30	1	2	84	95	67	2517	248	41	43	2797	161 60	794	1836	147	101		31,522	8258	Adam Miller.
VIII. SYNOD OF PENNSYLVANIA,	1838	5	107	10	17	85	592	564	14,226	969	160	487	15,540	756 90	10,483	14,394	2991	17,188	1895	174,744	154,168	*William E. Moore.*
1. Wilmington,	1833		11	2	1	15	74	22	1628		26	34	1019	78 20	2345	620	702	1300	69	9909	115	William Aikman.
2. Philadelphia, Third,	1832		35	1	2	23	203	224	4000	418	55	151	5807	103 00	4519	5771	1490	13,709	495	81,998	132,546	J. Glentworth Butler, D.D.
3. Philadelphia, Fourth,	1845		36	4	10	29	214	226	6060	588	65	207	5624	207 00	1470	5042	698	1085	724	42,871	18,472	Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D.
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IX. Synod of West-Penn.,	1843	3	28	1		31	100	49	2950	162	19	64	2836	169	10	3000	2247	1557	2255	26	64,734	15,269	*George A. Lyon, D.D.*
1. Erie,	1801		15			13	32	22	1369	42	8	28	1339	67	50	578	570	105	114	26	26,917	1516	Joseph Vance.
2. Meadville,	1842		8	1		14	47	13	801	39	10	23	580	43	60	340	327	617	292		1847	594	Richard Craighead.
3. Pittsburgh,	1839		5			4	21	14	780	81	1	18	967	59	00	2696	1350	1135	1849		36,470	13,159	Samuel M. Sparks.
X. Synod of Michigan,	1834	9	119	4	11	110	553	419	8906	177	202	200	6432	447	27	3646	3802	1322	1547	166	64,400	8606	*William S. Taylor.*
1. Detroit,	1826		18		3	15	72	40	1864		21	26		66	05	1118	979	582	692	64	120	1440	Eurotas P. Hastings, Esq.
2. Monroe,	1833		15		2	17	90	61	1489		28	29	1076	69	85	466	590	175	90		11,669	1555	William S. Taylor.
3. Marshall,	1838		17		1	18	122	65	1414		47	19	410	68	00	459	288	68	47		5286		Chester S. Armstrong.
4. Washtenaw,	1838		15	2	3	8	70	40	1078	1	94	34	1050	53	60	801	804	142	123		18,964	429	Lucius D. Chapin.
5. Kalamazoo,	1838		18	1	1	15	62	78	1378	109	20	40	1695	83	00	685	840	183	402	102	12,325	3417	Job Pierson.
6. Coldwater,	1856		9	1	1	12	65	71	942	35	30	27	918	45	92	348	368	101	76		5565	922	Joseph A. Ranney.
7. Saginaw,	1856		14			13	18	41	791	27	6	20	605	40	80	174	286	70	84		5768	149	Henry H. Northrop.
8. Grand River Valley,	1857		10			7	54	23	429	5	26	5	678	20	05	106	47	56	33		3293	614	George Ransom.
9. Lake Superior,	1857		3			5			76							44	100				1460	80	Cicero B. Stevens.
XI. Synod of W. Reserve,	1825	6	96	4	13	77	351	249	5911	95	109	182	4992	332	67	3313	5842	1463	1498	194	56,702	16,147	*Xenophon Betts.*
1. Grand River,	1814		7			5	12	9	443		4	4		21	60	104	64	2		6	400	122	Dexter Witter.
2. Huron,	1822		16		2	16	82	37	1274	46	43	35	1598	67	00	370	501	218	33	61	20,800	1441	Alfred Newton, D.D.
3. Trumbull,	1827		14		1	16	42	59	1169		10	24	975	58	65	342	562	91				6102	Xenophon Betts.
4. Cleveland and Portage,	1830		42	4	8	18	55	83	1716	46	18	37	1860	112	42	2135	3309	710	1104	72	25,453	6393	James Shaw.
5. Elyria,	1842		13			12	34	10	612		20	9	305	30	00	147	69	41	38		2325	481	Ansel R. Clark.
6. Maumee,	1842		6		2	10	26	51	697	3	14	23	754	43	00	215	697	401	323	55	7724	1608	Perry C. Baldwin.
XII. Synod of Ohio,	1814	4	52	3	5	64	142	111	4126	95	52	134	3343	220	70	2208	3020	644	554	112	33,602	7045	*Addison Kingsbury, D D.*
1. Athens,	1822		13	2	5	17	15	15	768		7	25		39	15	334	269	80	150			660	Charles C. Hart.
2. Pataskala,	1809		17			23	54	40	1474	20	18	43	1870	74	50	736	1177	265	154		6969	1552	Timothy W. Howe.
3. Franklin,	1835		16	1		16	51	35	1212	54	23	26	1061	68	05	501	780	194	171	3	18,199	3654	Oren H. Newton.
4. Scioto,	1845		6			8	22	21	672	21	4	40	912	44	00	722	844	105	73	109	8441	1179	Eli P. Adams.
XIII. Synod of Cincinnati,	1829	4	58	5	7	50	356	150	3983	91	174	95	4059	227	80	6219	4004	1576	1519	10	19,927	5572	*William M. Cheever.*
1. Cincinnati,	1828		28	5	3	16	161	81	1563	42	101	35	2086	96	00	4617	2318	1364	982	10	12,052	1619	Joseph Chester.
2. Ripley,	1838		11		1	16	24	17	796		7	18	515	46	10	114	327	38			195	152	Jesse H. Lockhart.
3. Dayton,	1838		9			10	78	31	968	49	31	24	860	45	70	890	464	78	407		4530	2726	William M. Cheever.
4. Hamilton,	1846		10		3	8	98	21	681		35	18	648	40	00	598	906	96	180		3150	1075	John Hussey.
XIV. Synod of Indiana,	1836	4	45	4	3	62	357	166	8928	91	121	127	3821	198	10	2087	3759	1696	547	4	24,624	22,894	*John M. Bishop.*
1. Salem,	1823		12			14	126	37	1169	80	58	47	1700	51	00	638	1250	216	185		12,424	10,707	John M. Bishop.
2. Madison,	1825		10	3	3	14	70	48	906		18	22	786	44	35	704	814	227	129		5320	1420	Wm. Wallace Atterbury.

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8. Indianapolis,	1830		18	1		19	86	56	1121	8	25	38	820	68 00	406	1296	1092	168	4	6425	10,103	Philip S. Cleland.
4. Green Castle,	1850		10			15	75	25	782	8	20	25	515	84 75	239	899	161	50		455	664	Thomas S. Milligan.
XV. Synod of Wabash,	1851	4	35	1	5	55	204	127	2850	1	68	95	2650	134 50	1074	1087	10,597	518	15	15,031	6150	*Francis S. McCabe.*
1. Crawfordsville,	1825		11	1	2	12	31	9	574		9	11	435	29 00	162	229	48	92				William N. Steele.
2. St. Joseph,	1833		10			14	59	33	777		21	21	685	28 50	486	858	363	99		1470	859	John B. Fowler.
3. Logansport,	1835		8		2	20	73	54	1050		24	49	970	51 00	315	471	10,158	300	15	7795	5261	Francis S. McCabe.
4. Fort Wayne,	1845		6		1	9	41	31	458	1	14	14	560	26 00	111	49	33	27		5766	30	William R. Palmer.
XVI. Synod of Illinois,	1831	4	77		1	85	222	254	4667	156	79	159	3718	248 30	3718	1937	607	1259	55	24,019	26,906	*George C. Wood.*
1. Illinois,	1828		15			19	56	66	1429		19	39	993	76 50	1547	1227	229	243			21,346	George C. Wood.
2. Schuyler,	1833		19		1	21	68	42	1177		24	27	95	57 50	477	233	219	494	17	450	2400	George I. King.
3. Wabash,	1833		18			12	52	47	583		16	28	910	25 85	336	177	21		25	8885	807	Enoch Kingsbury.
4. Alton,	1836		30			33	46	99	1528	156	20	65	1720	83 45	1358	300	138	522	13	14,684	2358	Augustus T. Norton.
XVII. Synod of Peoria,	1843	5	68	3	3	71	424	367	5460	144	152	175	6195	261 78	3033	4040	1199	1659		28,437	24,989	*Zephan. M. Humphrey, D.D.*
1. Ottawa,	1834		14			9	8	13	442	36	4	14	448	20 75	109	114	26	45		2600	495	Nahum Gould.
2. Knox,	1836		8	1		6	75	30	584	7	34	10	475	23 00	240	305	884	107		3091	817	Samuel Wyckoff.
3. Galena and Belvidere,	1842		26		2	22	147	90	1554	101	48	47	1749	67 85	898	707	81	45		22,746	3577	Isaac E. Carey.
4. Chicago,	1847		30	2		21	141	172	2259		46	92	3523	112 00	1676	2898	694	944			20,100	Asahel L. Brooks.
5. Bloomington,	1847		10		1	13	53	62	621		20	12		33 18	110	16	14	518				James R. Dunn.
XVIII. Synod of Wisconsin,	1857	3	36		1	29	115	74	1509	38	38	71	1961	69 38	335	545	13	52		11,237	1141	*Benjamin G. Riley.*
1. Milwaukee,	1851		15			9	23	36	692		8	37	558	27 60	176	411	13	13		214	426	George W. Elliott.
2. Fox River,	1851		9			8	48	16	357	16	17	16	578	18 18	125	49				5588	278	John B. Preston.
3. Columbus,	1857		12		1	12	44	22	470	22	18	18	730	28 35	84	85		89		5435	442	Benjamin G. Riley.
XIX. Synod of Iowa,	1858	6	53		1	57	189	155	2203	88	33	70	2500	105 30	631	277	142	374	28	22,116	2726	*Samuel Storrs Howe.*
1. Des Moines,	1845		7			10	24	28	270			10		14 15	29	30	110	313				Thompson Bird.
2. Keokuk,	1852		6			6	44	5	308	33	7	21	715	13 85	147	48		19		1978	1118	Garmaliel C. Beaman.
3. Iowa City,	1858		13			14	23	65	550	22	9	23	1065	40 00	242	99	10	27		7633	644	Hannibal L. Stanley.
4. Dubuque,	1855		27			16	22	27	327	10	6	13	550	10 80	179	84	2	15		3941	580	Henry B. Holmes.
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1. Dakota,	*1846*		*12*	*1*		*8*	*128*	*50*	*603*	*2*	*71*	*57*	*465*	*26*	*30*	*59*	*72*		*6*	*20*	*8*	*540*	*Moses N. Adams.*
2. Minnesota,	*1850*		*9*			*9*	*29*	*23*	*327*		*6*	*13*	*568*	*15*	*00*	*244*	*330*	*127*	*179*		*2700*	*1872*	*John Mattocks.*
3. Winona,	1857		6		2	5	21	14	207	7	16	7	800	10	00	59	98	42	10		2524	324	
XXI. Synod of Missouri,	1832	4	24	2		27	33	64	1087		8	53	745	52	90	695	476	25	500		38,035	3751	*Henry A. Nelson, D.D.*
1. St. Louis,	1831		8			3	12	30	465		4	31	380	25	00	469	382		489		38,000		Edmund Wright.
2. Lexington,	1842		5			5	3	12	139			13	125	6	65	79	50	25	11		28	3700	Timothy Morgan.
3. Northern Missouri,	1845		5			7	13	14	240		4	8	240	11	75	120	44				7	51	James A. Darrah.
4. Kansas,	1859		6	2		12	5	8	193			1		9	50	27							William H. Smith.
XXII. Synod of Tennessee,	1817	3	13			34			2260														
1. Union,	1797		5			20			1520														William H. Lyle.
2. Kingston,	1838		4			10			415														William B. Brown.
3. Holston,	1865		4			4			325														
XXIII. Synod of A. California,	1857	4	27	1		19	60	64	729		14	45				579	211	140	75		13,000	378	*Edward B. Walsworth.*
1. San Francisco,	1849		7			3	25	31	229							100							Samuel H. Willey.
2. Sierra Nevada,	1857		5			4	17	16	175		5	24				453	112	140	75		13,000		Charles C. Wallace.
3. San José,	1857		11	1		9	18	17	272		9	21				26	99					378	George Pierson, M.D.
4. Washoe,*	1863		4			3			53														Albert F. White.

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SYNODS.	Date.	Presbyteries.	Ministers.	Licentiates.	Candidates.	Churches.	COMMUNICANTS. Added on Exam.	Added on Certif.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	BAPTISMS. Adults.	Infants.	S. S. Membership.	FUNDS. General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Educat'n.	Public'n.	Min. Rel'f.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
1. ALBANY,	1803	5	82	2	5	66	220	125	7816	339	92	102	3107	300 75	5152	4784	666	2967	61	19,883	9081
2. UTICA,	1829	4	79	6	10	69	223	120	6646	76	58	68	2545	252 83	3330	4323	467	1378		29,471	9949
3. ONONDAGA,	1855	4	90	26	23	71	283	258	8380	96	131	90	4176	400 15	4199	5417	1231	1664	57	69,312	9320
4. GENEVA,	1812	6	104	5	7	90	284	194	8835	280	119	161	6227	408 16	3223	3850	975	1896		64,641	11,284
5. SUSQUEHANNA,	1853	3	37	2	3	41	126	41	3529	15	48	40	1789	160 26	662	2193	251	319	140	8595	2490
6. GENESEE,	1821	6	130	6	10	102	480	347	13,162	536	195	192	11,836	615 51	7668	9592	1067	2026	132	102,925	23,641
7. N. YORK AND N. JER.	1788	9	285	36	60	162	1348	1340	29,372	1699	371	723	22,986	1657 79	28,146	35,996	7854	6315	1841	374,000	137,398
8. PENNSYLVANIA,	1838	5	107	10	17	85	592	564	14,226	969	160	487	15,540	756 90	10,483	14,394	2991	17,188	1395	174,744	154,168
9. WEST-PENNSYLVANIA,	1843	3	28	1		31	100	49	2959	162	19	64	2836	162 10	3609	2247	1857	2255	26	64,734	15,269
10. MICHIGAN,	1834	9	119	4	11	110	553	419	8906	177	202	200	6432	447 27	3646	3802	1322	1547	166	64,400	8606
11. WESTERN RESERVE,	1825	6	98	4	13	77	251	249	5911	95	109	132	4992	332 67	3313	5842	1463	1498	194	56,702	16,147
12. OHIO,	1814	4	52	3	5	64	142	111	4126	95	52	134	3343	220 70	2293	3020	644	554	112	33,602	7045
13. CINCINNATI,	1829	4	58	5	7	50	356	150	3983	91	174	95	4059	227 80	6219	4004	1576	1519	10	19,927	5572
14. INDIANA,	1826	4	45	4	3	62	357	166	3928	91	121	127	3821	198 10	2037	3759	1696	547	4	24,624	22,894
15. WABASH,	1851	4	35	1	5	55	204	127	2859	1	68	95	2650	134 50	1074	1087	10,597	518	15	15,031	6150
16. ILLINOIS,	1831	4	77		1	85	222	254	4667	156	79	159	3718	243 30	3718	1937	607	1259	55	24,019	26,906
17. PEORIA,	1843	5	88	3	3	71	424	367	5460	144	152	175	6195	261 78	3033	4040	1199	1659		28,437	24,989
18. WISCONSIN,	1857	3	36		1	29	115	74	1509	38	38	71	1861	69 33	385	545	13	52		11,237	1141
19. IOWA,	1853	6	53		1	57	139	155	2208	83	33	70	2590	105 30	681	277	142	374	28	22,116	2726
20. MINNESOTA,	1858	3	27	1	2	22	173	87	1137	9	93	77	1333	51 30	362	500	169	195	20	5232	2236
21. MISSOURI,	1832	4	24	2		27	33	64	1037		8	53	745	52 90	695	476	25	500		38,035	3751
22. TENNESSEE,	1817	3	13			34			2260												
23. ALTA CALIFORNIA,	1857	4	27	1		19	60	64	729		14	45			579	211	140	75		13,000	378

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SAINT LOUIS, Mo., May 17th, 1866.

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America met, agreeably to appointment, in the First Presbyterian Church of Saint Louis, Missouri, on Thursday, May 17th, 1866, at 11 o'clock A.M., and was opened with a sermon, by the Rev. James B. Shaw, D.D., the Moderator of the last Assembly, from Psalm 65 : 2 : "*O thou that hearest prayer.*"

After the sermon, the Assembly was constituted with prayer.

The Committee of Arrangements reported, recommending that the sessions of the Assembly be opened at 8½ o'clock A.M., and 3 o'clock P.M.; that they close at 12 M., and 5½ o'clock P.M.; that the evening services commence at 7¾ o'clock; and that the daily morning prayer-meeting commence at 9 o'clock, and continue until 10 o'clock A.M. The report was adopted.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

THURSDAY, May 17th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

On the report of the Committee on Commissions, the following persons were enrolled as duly appointed Commissioners of this General Assembly:

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2.	*General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.*	
3.	*General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America*,	Rev. Robert D. Harper, D.D.
4.	*General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America.*	
5.	*General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America*,	Rev. David Herron.
6.	*General Synod of the German Reformed Church in the United States.*	
7.	*General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States.*	
8.	*General Convention of the Congregational Churches of Maine.*	
9.	*General Association of New-Hampshire*,	Rev. John W. Chickering, Jr.
10.	*General Convention of Vermont*,	Rev. Benjamin F. Ray.
11.	*General Association of Massachusetts.*	

12. *General Association of Connecticut.*
13. *Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin.*
14. *Union of Evangelical Churches of France.*

The Rev. SAMUEL M. HOPKINS, D.D., of the Presbytery of Cayuga, was elected Moderator, and inducted into office.

The Rev. JOHN W. BAILEY, of the Presbytery of Bloomington, and the Rev. STEPHEN BUSH, of the Presbytery of Albany, were chosen Temporary Clerks.

The General Rules for Judicatories, contained in the Appendix to the Constitution, were adopted as the rules of this Assembly.

Ordered, That the usual number of copies of the Roll be printed, under the direction of the Stated Clerk.

It was made the first order of the day for to-morrow morning, after the announcement of the Standing Committees, to receive the Synodical Records and the papers from the respective Presbyteries, as well as all other papers of an official character intended for the Assembly.

The Annual Report of the Treasurer of the General Assembly was read, and referred to J. Marshall Paul, M.D., Hon. William I. Cornwell, and Mr. Wilmer Worthington, as an Auditing Committee.

The docket of business was read by the Stated Clerk.

Ordered, As a Standing Rule of the Assembly, that a Standing Committee be appointed by the Moderator, to whom shall be referred the Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Sabbath-Schools, provided for by the Assembly of 1864, and all papers appertaining to the subject.

It was further *Ordered*, That the nomination of Fifteen members of such Permanent Committee be referred to the Standing Committee.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

FRIDAY, May 18th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The roll was called, and the minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The appointed hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The Moderator announced the following Standing Committees:

1. JUDICIAL COMMITTEE: *Ministers*—Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., J. Jermain Porter, Henry Calhoun, Thomas S. Milligan, Jonathan H. Noble,

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Ministers—James B. Shaw, D.D., Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D., Benjamin B. Parsons, D.D., Philip S. Cleland, Thomas T. Bradford, John W. Cunningham. *Elders*—Andrew Flesher, Ira I. Fenn, Samuel C. West, Homer H. Winchell, Beaumont S. Holmes.

POLITY OF THE CHURCH:

Ministers—Henry B. Smith, D.D., William Hogarth, D.D., Ebenezer Bushnell, Jeremiah P. E. Kumler, Peter S. Van Nest, Horatio Pattengill, George P. Tindall. *Elders*—Edward Wells, Joseph H. Plumb, Albert N. Brown, J. Marshall Paul, M.D., Theodore W. Collins.

HOME MISSIONS:

Ministers—William E. Knox, D.D., Martin M. Post, D.D., James W. Stark, Alexander M. Heizer, J. Addison Whitaker, Frederick H. Adams. *Elders*—Hon. John Hill, Luther H. Trask, Russell Scarrit, Horatio Newhall, M.D., Edward E. Wilson.

FOREIGN MISSIONS:

Ministers—Walter Clarke, D.D., George W. Wood, D.D., Alfred E. Campbell, D.D., Milton Bradley, John Monteith, Jr. *Elders*—Octavius Knight, Joseph W. Edwards, David C. Anderson, Manley Rogers, Ephraim G. Stitt.

EDUCATION:

Ministers—William S. Curtis, D.D., Beriah B. Hotchkin, Calvin Waterbury, John F. Kendall, George D. A. Hebard, Alexander Duncan. *Elders*—William A. Booth, Joseph R. Dixon, Asa D. Lord, M.D., Brackley Shaw, James H. Sayre.

PUBLICATION:

Ministers—Samuel D. Burchard, D.D., George C. Noyes, Samuel W. Pratt, Levi B. Wilson, James R. Gibson, Samuel Ward. *Elders*—Edward A. Durant, Timothy R. Porter, Robert Russell, Lewis G. Huling, Luther Edgerton.

CHURCH ERECTION:

Ministers—Zephaniah M. Humphrey, D.D., William A. Niles, William E. Moore, Joseph Chester, Thomas H. Tat-

low, Joseph A. Ranney. *Elders*—Hon. Henry W. Williams, Truman P. Handy, Hon. Joseph Allison, LL.D., William S. Webb, William M. Gregory.

9. SABBATH-SCHOOLS: Robinson

Ministers—Henry Fowler, Charles E. Knox, William Hart, Ebenezer Buckingham, Thomas H. Robinson. *Elders*—Hon. Edward A. Lambert, William H. Christie, Albert W [illegible] Allen, Oramel Rugg.

10. MINISTERIAL RELIEF: Spraque

Ministers—Charles P. Bush, Nelson Millard, Aratus Kent, Whitney C. Birchard, Samuel F. Bacon. *Elders*—William Newton, Jonathan A. Marsh, M.D., Columbus Crou[illegible], Samuel N. Thatcher.

11. NARRATIVE OF RELIGION: Carey

Ministers—Cornelius H. Taylor, D.D., John N. Coomb[illegible], Peter S. Davies, William C. Turner, Albert True. *Elders*—Thomas Hamilton, John H. Carson, Philo Merrill.

12. MILEAGE OF COMMISSIONERS: Hotchkiss

Elders—Truman P. Handy, Silas K. Stowe, Stephen M. C[illegible]ement.

13. DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES:

Ministers—George F. Wiswell, Charles N. Mattoon, D.D., J. Livingston Willard, John L. French. *Elders*—John C. Hines, Thomas Stillwell, M.D., Samuel Bond.

14. LEAVE OF ABSENCE: Hitchcock B.B. Rockwell

Ministers—Robert R. Kellogg, Lucius I. Root, William Page, James A. Griffes. *Elders*—William A. Eldridge, Elijah Churchill, David Compton.

COMMITTEES ON SYNODICAL RECORDS.

1. SYNOD OF ALBANY. *Ministers*—Isaac G. Ogden, James Boggs, Henry V. Warren. *Elders*—Elijah Churchill, Simon Harwood.

2. SYNOD OF UTICA. *Ministers*—Oliver Crane, George O. [illegible]ittle, Edmund B. Miner. *Elders*—Edwin S. Wells, Samuel Wade.

3. SYNOD OF ONONDAGA. *Ministers*—Charles T. Berry, Ebenezer Bushnell, Ezra Jones. *Elders*—William Newton, Nelson Noble.

SYNOD OF GENEVA. *Ministers*—John L. Jones, Asa E. Everest, Allen Traver. *Elders*—Stuart T. Terry, Samuel Barr.

SYNOD OF SUSQUEHANNA. *Ministers*—John C. Moses, Thomas Harries, Thomas A. Steele. *Elders*—Gilbert M. Gifford, Alfred Lockhart.

SYNOD OF GENESEE. *Ministers*—Ebenezer Buckingham, Joseph L. Morton, William L. Tarbet. *Elders*—James R. Curry, Benjamin A. Hunt.

SYNOD OF NEW-YORK AND NEW-JERSEY. *Ministers*—George Spaulding, William L. Page, Giles M. Smith. *Elders*—Luther Edgerton, Isaac S. Metcalf.

SYNOD OF PENNSYLVANIA. *Ministers*—O. H. Perry Deyo, Richard M. Sandford, Leonard E. Richards. *Elders*—James M. Reeder, Robert Russell.

SYNOD OF WEST-PENNSYLVANIA. *Ministers*—Levi G. Marsh, Lewis Thompson, George Ransom. *Elders*—Martin Allen, Solon Massey.

SYNOD OF MICHIGAN. *Ministers*—James R. Gibson, George O. Phelps, James E. Vance. *Elders*—Silas Moore, William Storer.

SYNOD OF WESTERN RESERVE. *Ministers*—Donald B. Campbell, John Gibson, Thomas Brown. *Elders*—Proctor C. Samson, Solomon Beckley.

SYNOD OF OHIO. *Ministers*—Edward C. Johnston, Joseph B. Little, Horatio Pattengill. *Elders*—Alexander H. Holden, Joshua Moore.

SYNOD OF CINCINNATI. *Ministers*—Beriah B. Hotchkin, Alexander Duncan, Henry Calhoun. *Elders*—Levi Walker, Jonathan Hoyt.

SYNOD OF INDIANA. *Ministers*—Thomas T. Bradford, Nelson Willard, George P. Tindall. *Elders*—David Ewing, Samuel C. West.

SYNOD OF WABASH. *Ministers*—J. Livingston Willard, Peter S. Davies, John L. French. *Elders*—Ira I. Fenn, Samuel N. Thatcher.

SYNOD OF ILLINOIS. *Ministers*—William E. Moore, Charles C. Hart, John W. Cunningham. *Elders*—Thomas Hamilton, John Ott.

SYNOD OF PEORIA. *Ministers*—Charles N. Mattoon, D.D., Jeremiah P. E. Kumler, George C. Noyes. *Elders*—Hon. John Hill, Joseph R. Dixon.

SYNOD OF WISCONSIN. *Ministers*—Lucius I. Root, John N Coombs, William C. Turner. *Elders*—Lorenzo Russell, Jonathan A. Marsh, M.D.

19. SYNOD OF IOWA. *Ministers*—Jonathan H. Noble, Samuel W. Pratt, Charles E. Knox. *Elders*—Philo Merrill, Theodore W. Collins.

20. SYNOD OF MINNESOTA. *Ministers*—James B. Fisher, Whiting C. Birchard, Alexander M. Heizer. *Elders*—Beaumont S. Holmes, Joshua Moore.

21. SYNOD OF MISSOURI. *Ministers*—William A. Niles, Samuel F. Bacon, James A. Griffes. *Elders*—Luther H. Trask, Octavius Knight.

22. SYNOD OF TENNESSEE. *Ministers*—William Hogarth, D.D., Levi B. Wilson, Gamaliel C. Beaman. *Elders*—William A. Booth, Hon. Wilmer Worthington.

23. SYNOD OF ALTA CALIFORNIA.

The Records of the Synods, the Narratives, Statistical Reports, Overtures, and other papers of the Presbyteries, were received and appropriately referred.

The Annual Reports of the Board of Trustees of the Church Erection Fund, and of the Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions, were received and referred to the appropriate Standing Committees.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

FRIDAY, May 18th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Annual Reports of the Permanent Committee on Education, the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions, the Presbyterian Publication Committee, and of the Trustees and the Treasurer of the Presbyterian House, were read, accepted, and referred to the appropriate Standing Committees.

Adjourned until to-morrow, at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

SATURDAY, May 19th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The roll was called, and the minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The appointed hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The Annual Report of the Executive Committee charged with the care and disbursement of the Ministerial Relief Fund was read, accepted, and referred to the Standing Committee on Ministerial Relief.

The Rev. William E. Knox, D.D., the Rev. William S. Curtis, D.D., and the Hon. John A. Foot, were appointed to confer with a Committee appointed by the General Assembly now in session at the Second Presbyterian Church of this city, with reference to joint religious services to be held by the two General Assemblies.

The report of the Special Committee to whom was referred Overture No. 14 of the last Assembly, on Final Process in cases of Contumacy, was read, accepted, and placed on the docket.

The Special Committee appointed with reference to the formation of a National Protestant League presented a verbal report, and asked to be discharged.
The report was accepted, and the Committee discharged.

The Rev. Nathan S. S. Beman, D.D., the Rev. Henry B. Smith, D.D., the Rev. William Hogarth, D.D., the Rev. Henry Fowler, Hon. Joseph Allison, LL.D., Mr. Franklin V. Chamberlain, and Hon. John A. Foot were appointed a Committee on the State of the Country.

Adjourned until Monday at 8½ oclock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 21st, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.
The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Rev. Robert D. Harper, D.D., the Delegate of the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America, addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

The Standing Committee on Foreign Missions presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Committee, to whom was referred the Report of the Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions, respectfully represent to the General Assembly, that that Report invites attention especially to the following points, to wit:
To our altogether satisfactory relations with the A. B. C. F. M.; the alarming decrease in the number of our Missionaries in

the service of the Board; the continued neglect on the part of many of our churches and church members to make annual contributions to the cause of Missions; the importance of even a larger coöperation on the part of our Western churches; the need of a more efficient use of our ecclesiastical apparatus, and the fitness of this present period of our national history for a broader, mightier, and more successful assault upon that empire of darkness for whose conquest and illumination the Church aspires and exists.

That the utmost harmony should exist between our Permanent Committee and the American Board is only what the Assembly has had every just reason to expect; inasmuch as it is well understood that we can ask nothing of that body which they are not glad to concede, nor they desire any thing of us which we are not willing beforehand to grant. One in aim and akin in temper, their success is ours, and ours theirs; for we and they are equally the Lord's. Nor are the kingdom, power, and glory ours or theirs, but his.

That the number of our missionaries should have been reduced one sixth in three years, so that, whereas in 1863 we had fifty-six in the field, we have now only forty-seven, is a fact which the world will contemplate with surprise, the Assembly with sorrow, and to which we can make no other honorable answer than in the voice of our sons and daughters, saying in scores, "Here are we, send us."

It is matter of much congratulation that, under the many burdens and exactions of the times, our congregations gave to the cause of missions last year not less, but more, than in any previous year. Nevertheless the Assembly ought not to pass lightly over the humiliating revelations of the Committee's Report, touching the continued neglect of a portion of our churches and church members to contribute their just quota to the Cause of Christian Missions. Is our Church worthy its ancestry or its name? Can it lawfully call the Holy Spirit its tenant, the Redeemer its head, the age its sphere, the land its heritage, the future its hope, while of its fifteen hundred congregations seven hundred do nothing at all to send the Gospel to the heathen? No doubt there is need of greater fidelity on the part of those who superintend the annual benefactions of the Church, on the part, that is, of pastors, and elders, and committees, whether of Synods, Sessions, or Presbyteries; but, when indifference becomes a habit, and in its inveteracy will yield neither to admonition nor entreaty, nor the calls of Providence, nor the spirit of the age, nor the Spirit of God, it devolves upon the General Assembly, in its care of the Church, to importune the Father of lights, in his infinite condescension, to breathe into the whole body that spirit of grace, which is the spirit of Jesus, as it is also the spirit of missions. Your Committee recommend that some morning be set apart by the Assembly to prayer, especially for this object, that our ascended Redeemer may hear our united cry, and inspire, in

all our congregations, with the Sessions, Supplies, and Pastors, that sentiment of expansive zeal which we need to make us to the full extent of our ability a Missionary Church.

The churches in our Western Synods have a vast home field, which they cannot dutifully or safely neglect. And all our churches, whether in the newer or the older States, have in charge the magnificent enterprise of establishing upon this great continent the seat of power, the home of liberty, the goal of the ages past, the starting-point of the ages to come—that glorious empire of Christ, for which the continent was created, for which the Republic stands. We must not try to abate, but rather to increase, the instinctive ardor which fires the hearts of our people in the East and the West in behalf of Home Missions. This magnificent middle belt, the highway of the King, which divides our continent, stretching from the Eastern to the Western sea, is our Land of Promise. And at whatever cost of money, toil, and time, we must take it, and transmit it with its institutions, sanctified and made permanent, to the coming generations, as the legacy of the Presbyterian Church of America, to the latter days of time. But, to do this home-work well, we must do our work in other lands well also; for we are of least use to ourselves when we are most selfish, and shall do most and most successfully for Christ's cause at home, when we do most and most willingly for his kingdom abroad. May God, by whose favor alone we can be made strong in this or other lands, keep our churches from the fatal mistake of doing little for missions among the heathen, under the impression that thereby they can do more for Christianity at their own doors.

The Committee learn with great satisfaction that two of our Presbyters are employed in missionary labor, and two others are under appointment, in the service of the American and Foreign Christian Union. The Rev. Ramon B. S. Montsalvatge, of the Presbytery of Brooklyn, and the Rev. Andrew J. McKim, of the Presbytery of Athens, are successfully at work, in not the least inviting of the many fields now opening to that efficient and worthy society, that is to say, in Brazil, South-America. The Assembly will follow, with its most earnest supplications, every messenger of our Church who shall go forth, at the call of the Union, to bear the Gospel, whether to Mexico, to the Southern continent, or to the lands that invite from across the sea.

The Committee recommend to the Assembly the adoption of the following order, to wit:

That it be earnestly enjoined upon all the Synods, Presbyteries, Sessions and Congregations connected with this Assembly, that by the appointment of synodical and presbyterial committees; the faithful presentation of the Cause to the people for their annual contributions; the diffusion of intelligence through the *Presbyterian Monthly*, *Missionary Herald*, *Christian World*, and the religious newspapers; regular observance of the monthly concert; reports to the Permanent Committee, and every other

appropriate method of instruction and appeal, they endeavor from this time to make our entire Church what it ought to be, and can be—the joy of the Redeemer, the glory of the age, the light of the world.

The Committee recommend, that Hon. William E. Dodge, Hon. Edward A. Lambert, and Messrs. Thomas Bond and Walter S. Griffith, be reëlected, and, in place of Mr. Joseph N. Tuttle, Mr. Nathan Lane be elected, members of the Permanent Committee, for the next three years.

The Joint Committee of Conference of the two Assemblies recommended that a joint religious service be held this evening in the Second Presbyterian Church of this city, and a joint sacramental service be held in the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday evening.

The recommendation was adopted.

On the report of the Committee on the Polity of the Church, the Presbytery of Lake Superior was transferred from the Synod of Michigan to the Synod of Wisconsin.

On the report of the same Committee, the Synod of Geneva was authorized to meet on the *third*, instead of the last, Tuesday of September next.

On the report of the same Committee, upon evidence of the orderly organization of the Presbytery of Osage, it was *ordered*, That the Presbytery of Osage be hereby recognized and attached to the Synod of Missouri.

Resolved, That the Assembly recommend its churches to observe the first week in January (beginning with the first Sabbath) as a week of prayer for the conversion of the world.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 21st, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The records of the Synods of Michigan, Albany, Utica, Onondaga, Susquehanna, Genesee, New-York and New-Jersey, Pennsylvania, West-Pennsylvania, Western Reserve, Ohio, Indiana, Wabash, Illinois, Peoria, Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, and Tennessee, were, on the recommendation of the respective examining committees, approved as far as written.

The Committee appointed to audit the Treasurer's account reported that they had examined the account with the vouchers, and found it to be correct; and they recommended that it be approved, and printed in the Appendix to the Minutes. The report was adopted.

The Standing Committee on Ministerial Relief presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee to whom was referred the Second Annual Report of the Executive Committee of the Ministerial Relief Fund, respectfully report:

That they have had the same under careful consideration, and find in it much cause for gratitude to Almighty God for the success which has already crowned our efforts in this matter, and much also for serious thought in view of that which remains to be done.

The Report of the Executive Committee shows, that the General Assembly did not move one moment too soon to provide for the wants of her disabled ministers and their families. We now wonder that it was a subject neglected so long. It shows also how ready the churches are to respond to this just appeal when once it is brought before them. It is no small thing that, with so little effort, the contributions to this Cause should have doubled in the past year.

And yet it is manifest that we have but just made a reasonable beginning in the work thus committed to our hands. There must be many clergymen and families of deceased ministers in want whose cases are not yet reached. Many cannot yet know that such relief is provided for their need, or how to obtain it; and many of the churches manifestly do not seem to know that such a fund has been projected and needs their generous contributions, for only one hundred and thirty, out of the one thousand four hundred and seventy-nine churches connected with this Assembly, have remembered this Cause in the past year.

Your Committee are confident, that if all our churches could have heard the reading of the Report of the Executive Committee as it was presented to this body, or could look in upon some of the families of dear and honored ministers of the Gospel whose wants were presented, there would hardly be a church in all our connection which would fail to remember this Cause by a generous contribution. Your Committee are sure, that this subject is not yet before our churches as it should be, and has not that consideration which its great importance demands.

To express the sense of the Assembly on this subject, your Committee propose the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That the ministers of our churches be requested at an early day to call the attention of their people to the peculiar wants for which this Fund aims to provide.

Resolved, 2. That it be considered the duty of every church to take an annual collection for this Cause.

Resolved, 3. That the attention of the Presbyteries be again called to this subject, and that they be earnestly requested each year to appoint one of their own number specially to look after this matter, and to see, if possible, that collections be taken in all the churches within their bounds.

Resolved, 4. That the Executive Committee be instructed to publish their Annual Report, or an abstract thereof, in the religious papers, for the information of the churches.

The Standing Committee on Church Erection presented their report, which was accepted, and put on the docket.

The Brick Presbyterian Church of the city of ROCHESTER, New-York, was chosen as the place for the meeting of the next General Assembly.

Ordered, That the further morning sessions of the Assembly commence at 9 o'clock with the devotional exercises.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 9 o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

TUESDAY, May 22d, 9 o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Reports were received from the Rev. Henry A. Nelson, D.D., Delegate to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church that met in 1865 at Pittsburgh, Pa.; from the Rev. Charles S. Robinson, Delegate to the General Convention of the Congregational Churches of Maine; from the Rev. Ezra E. Adams, D.D., Delegate to the General Association of New-Hampshire; from the Rev. Daniel March, D.D., delegate to the General Association of Massachusetts; from the Rev. Howard Crosby, D.D., Delegate to the General Association of Connecticut; from the Rev. Baruch B. Beckwith, Delegate to the Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin; and from the Rev. John G. Atterbury, D.D., Delegate to the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

The reports were accepted, and ordered to be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes.

The Rev. Benjamin F. Ray, the Delegate from the General Convention of Vermont, addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

Communications were received from the Rev. Rowland B. Howard, Delegate from the General Convention of the Congregational Churches of Maine, and from the Rev. Theodore Monod, on behalf of the Union of Evangelical Churches of France.

A communication from the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland was read, accepted, and ordered to be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes. To this communication, the Rev. Henry B. Smith, D.D., the Rev. Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., and the Hon. Joseph Allison, LL. D., were appointed a committee to prepare and report a suitable response.

In accordance with previous invitation, the Rev. James McCosh, LL.D., addressed the Assembly in reference to the condition of the Non-Conformist Presbyterian churches of Great Britain.

The report of the Standing Committee on Church Erection was taken from the docket. Pending its consideration, the Assembly adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

TUESDAY, May 22d, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Rev. James B. Shaw, D.D., Rev. Samuel M. Campbell, D.D., Rev. Charles P. Bush, and Messrs. Louis Chapin, William Alling, George W. Parsons, and Edwin T. Huntington, were appointed a Committee of Arrangements for the meeting of the next General Assembly.

The consideration of the report of the Standing Committee on Church Erection was resumed.

Pending its consideration, the

Assembly adjourned until to-morrow, at 9 o'clock.

Concluded with prayer.

WEDNESDAY, May 23d, 9 o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The consideration of the report of the Standing Committee on Church Erection was resumed.

After discussion, the principal portion of the report, exclusive of the amended plan, was adopted by the following vote: ayes, 180; noes, 9; absent, or not voting, 26.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

WEDNESDAY, May 23d, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Special Committee on Manses and Ministers' Libraries presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Special Committee on Manses and Ministers' Libraries respectfully report:

That in the autumn of last year a Circular of Inquiry was prepared and sent to seven hundred pastors and stated supplies, and also published in our religious journals. To these circulars, one hundred replies have been received. From these replies it appears that one fifth of the churches have manses, and one tenth have libraries for the use of their ministers.

These replies convey a strong impression of the great importance of the subject-matter of the circular, and express the hope that the General Assembly will use every means in its power, to bring the subject before and urge it upon the attention and practical regard of the churches. They also suggest the idea of creating a general fund for the erection of manses.

Without expressing any opinion upon the expediency of the latter suggestion, your Committee deem it both advisable and practicable, to bring the matter definitely before the Churches through the action of the Presbyteries.

They, therefore, recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That this General Assembly direct its Presbyteries to send to the churches under their care a pastoral letter of inquiry and suggestion, with reference to the provision of a manse and a library for the use of the minister in charge of each congregation.

Resolved, 2. That the Presbyteries be requested to embody, in a report to the next General Assembly, any information that may be obtained in the answers to the proposed inquiry, with their judgment concerning the creation of a manse fund, and also any practical suggestions appertaining to the subject-matter of Manses and Ministers' Libraries.

The Committee were continued.

The Standing Committee on Sabbath-Schools presented their report, which was accepted and placed on the docket.

The Assembly then proceeded to the further consideration of the remaining portion of the report of the Standing Committee on Church Erection.

The amendments and additions to the existing Plan of Church Erection were, with the articles amended or substituted, severally adopted, and then the entire Plan, including the Preamble, Articles 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and the Supplementary Article, as reported by the Committee and amended by the Assembly, were adopted, as a complete substitute for the existing Plan of Church Erection, by the following vote: ayes, 172; noes, 20; absent, or not voting, 25.

The Report and Plan thus adopted are as follows:

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE ON CHURCH ERECTION.

By the Twelfth Annual Report of the Trustees of the Assembly's Church Erection Fund, it is painfully apparent that this Fund is but imperfectly accomplishing its original design. The amount of the Fund in 1856 was $100,000. Now, after ten years' use, it has increased to over $127,000, $80,000 of which, at least, remain in the hands of the Board, subject to the call of the churches. Year by year the applications for aid become fewer. But $2775 were taken from the Treasury last year, in the form of loans, and but $400 in the form of donations. Meanwhile the receipts from the churches on account of loans, donations, and interest, have been over $7000, which, added to the interest accruing on the Fund itself—nearly $5000—constitute an actual increase of the unemployed Fund, after deducting expenses, etc., of about $7000.

The reason of this is not that the aid which might be afforded by this Fund is undesired. The more wealthy churches in all our large centres have been besieged with applications for assistance in church building, as pertinaciously as if there were no Fund for that purpose in existence. Large amounts have been given in answer to such appeals, by the very churches which originally contributed to the now neglected Treasury, from which it was expected all feeble churches would draw. So pressing, in fact, have been the applications, that it is manifest that the whole Fund, if accessible on terms favorable to the churches, would soon be completely absorbed.

The reason of such neglect must be looked for in the practical working of the Plan on which the Fund has been administered. That Plan was most carefully devised. It embodied the wisdom of some of the most eminent men in our Church. For the period when it was adopted it was most excellent. But since its adoption a great change has taken place in our position and circumstances. The last ten years have been revolutionary. The nation has trembled under the shock of war. We have passed through financial embarrassments, and borne the brunt of a struggle which has cost our churches some of their choicest blood. Debts incurred for the erection of houses of worship have become burdensome. The churches have, in many instances, been depressed by the very means through which they sought to gain strength. Obligations to the General Assembly have often been borne, under the disadvantage of contrasts, drawn between the policy upon which our Plan of Church Erection and that of some of our sister denominations is based. The result has been that the Fund has fallen into disfavor. Churches needing assistance have been advised, in some cases by Synodical or Presbyterial action, not to encumber themselves with loans such as others had found it so unpleasant to bear, and so difficult to pay. At the same time the cost of building has so enormously increased, that $200 form but

a comparatively insignificant item in the expense of constructing an ordinary house of worship; worth applying for, indeed—but not *desired* under the conditions upon which it was to be obtained.

There is, therefore, an imperative call for a modification of the Plan of administering our Church Erection Fund. And this call becomes the more imperative, when we consider that the rapid extension of the lines of traffic has made cities of villages, and villages of hamlets. Where, ten years since, it was supposed a few hundred dollars would suffice for the wants of the people, as many thousand dollars are now found to be insufficient. An almost unanticipated necessity has arisen to establish churches at key-points, and to provide them with commodious and attractive sanctuaries. The spirit of the times has changed. A new impulse, felt by all denominations, has been given to Domestic Missions. Looking toward the glowing future of our country, we are incited to new exertions for its evangelization. Among the ruling ideas of the day this is prominent: that to provide a church edifice is almost as important as to provide a missionary, and that the work of church erection must be carried forward upon the same enlarged and liberal scale which is adopted for the support of ministers of the Gospel. Were the idea a *false* one, to resist it would be like stemming the currents of the Mississippi in a flood; but your Committee believe it to involve a true principle, though it, like all other ruling ideas, is liable to unnatural freshet.

This Assembly has assumed the work of Domestic Missions, as it had not when its Church Erection Fund was established. Then that work was committed to the American Home Missionary Society.

Now that we have entered this field side by side with our sister denominations, we must carry on our work with an energy and a liberality like theirs.

In view of these considerations, your Committee believe that, could the whole Fund be immediately scattered among our feeble churches in the form of donations, without interest or return of any kind while the churches aided should remain in our connection, the effect would be most happy. This we believe to be desired by many on the floor of this Assembly. Were such a course possible, we should favor it. But a careful examination of the whole case has brought your Committee to the stubborn conclusion, so often reached by others who have surveyed the same ground, that such a disposition of the Fund was rendered impossible by the very terms on which it was collected. It was to be a *Permanent* Fund. To destroy its permanency would be a breach of trust, which might and which ought to be legally resisted. The legal opinions submitted to the Assembly by the Board of Trustees, place this position beyond reasonable dispute.

The question, therefore, is, how the mode of administering the

Fund shall be so changed as to make it most useful to the churches. After mature deliberation, your Committee recommend the abandonment of the system of loans, and the adoption of that of donations, upon the following Plan, namely:

1. That the whole of the Fund now in the hands of the Board, together with such receipts as may return in fulfilment of pledges from the churches already aided by loans and donations, and together with whatever may be hereafter contributed to the Fund, be securely and permanently invested.

2. That the accruing interest be annually distributed by the Board, on proper conditions and in proper proportions, to churches applying therefor, in the form of donations without interest and without pledge of return, except in case the church or congregation thus assisted shall cease to be connected with the General Assembly, or their corporate existence shall cease, or their house of worship be alienated, except for the building or purchase of a better house of worship.

As supplementary to this, your Committee recommend that a collection be taken annually by all our churches, to be forwarded to the Treasurer of the Board, to be used by them in the same manner as the accruing interest of the Fund.

The necessary amendments of the Assembly's Plan, together with all essential details, are submitted herewith. It is believed that in these changes no legal principle is sacrificed, and that the utmost practical efficiency in the use of the Fund is secured.

Your Committee cannot but regard it as a providential indication of the wisdom of these proposed changes, that they have been suggested to several different minds without concert, and that they have been regarded with favor before this by those high in position in our Church, as will be seen by reference to the Report of the Special Committee, to whom this whole subject was referred by the Assembly of 1863.

Your Committee would also recommend to the Assembly to consider the expediency of appointing a General Secretary of the Board, whose duty it shall be to discharge the functions in this Board which are discharged in the Committee of Home Missions by its Secretary.

It becomes our duty to nominate three Trustees to fill the places of Rev. J. Few Smith, D.D., Rev. Samuel D. Burchard, D.D., and Mr. William A. Booth, whose term of office is soon to expire. We cordially recommend that the same gentlemen be reëlected.

A few overtures have been referred to the Committee, upon the consideration of which we ask further time.

PLAN FOR THE CUSTODY, CARE, AND MANAGEMENT OF THE CHURCH ERECTION FUND.

PREAMBLE.

THE General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, now holding its sessions in the city of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, having, through the liberality of the congregations connected with this body, established a Fund for the purpose of aiding feeble congregations in erecting houses of worship, do hereby adopt the following Plan, under which this Fund shall be held, administered, and used:

ARTICLE I.

This Fund having been committed to the General Assembly as a special trust, no part of it as now established, nor any additions which may hereafter be made to it, shall ever be used for any other purpose than that of aiding feeble congregations in connection with the General Assembly in erecting houses of worship; except so much as may be absolutely necessary to defray the expenses incident to the administration of this Plan.

ARTICLE II.

The custody, care, and management of this Fund, and of all securities of every kind belonging to it, or growing out of it, together with all claims, dues, and property that may at any time pertain to it, and all additions that may hereafter be made to it by donations, bequests, or otherwise, shall be committed to a Board of Trustees, to be called "The Trustees of the Church Erection Fund of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America." The Board shall consist of nine members, four of them being ministers and five of them elders, in connection with some Presbytery or Church under the care of the General Assembly, who shall reside in the city of New-York, or its immediate vicinity, and whom the General Assembly shall elect by ballot, on a nomination to be made at least one day before such election. The Trustees shall continue in office until the election and induction of their successors. The certificate of the Stated Clerk of the General Assembly shall be necessary to entitle a Trustee to take his seat as a member of the Board, which certificate it shall be his duty to furnish as soon as practicable after the election.

The Trustees first elected shall arrange themselves into three equal classes. The term of office of the first class shall expire in one year from their election; that of the second class in two years; and that of the third class in three years. After the first election, the General Assembly shall annually elect three Trustees, to supply the place of the class whose term is about to expire, to hold their office for three years, the same persons

always being reëligible; and each General Assembly shall also by election supply any vacancy in the Board, caused by death, resignation, or otherwise. If any Trustee shall, during the term for which he is elected, cease to be connected with a Presbytery or Church under the care of the General Assembly, he shall thereby cease to be a member of the Board; and the vacancy shall be reported to the next General Assembly.

ARTICLE III.

The first meeting of the Board shall be held on the second Tuesday of June next, in the city of New-York, at such place and hour as the Stated Clerk of the General Assembly may appoint, who shall preside until the Board is organized by the choice of its President.

ARTICLE IV.

The Board shall make their own By-Laws. They shall annually, at their first meeting after the adjournment of the General Assembly, elect one of their number President of the Board; and shall appoint a Secretary, and a Treasurer who shall give security to the Board for the faithful performance of his duties. They shall keep complete books of record and account, in which shall be recorded all their proceedings, and the true state at all times of all matters relating to this Fund; which records and accounts, or any part of them, shall at all times be open to the inspection of any committee appointed by the General Assembly for this purpose. They shall also keep full and correct copies and files of all the correspondence which may be conducted or received by them, or in their name; and shall annually present to the General Assembly, not later than the third day of its sessions, a full written report of their proceedings and of the state of the Fund, together with any suggestions or recommendations which they may deem necessary or suitable. The General Assembly shall annually appoint a Committee of three, to audit the accounts and to examine the securities of the Board, and to report at the next General Assembly.

ARTICLE V.

The Board are hereby directed, either by procuring a special act of the Legislature of the State of New-York, or in accordance with the existing statutes of said State, to incorporate themselves, and their successors in office, always to be elected as aforesaid, into a body corporate and politic, invested with all such legal powers as may be necessary to enable them to hold and administer this Fund, in conformity with the provisions of this Plan.

ARTICLE VI.

The Board is directed to invest and to keep at interest on suf-

ficient security the Fund as now established, and as the same shall hereafter be increased by gift, bequest, or otherwise.

ARTICLE VII.

The accruing interest of the Fund thus established shall be apportioned by the Board among the Synods, as their exigencies may require, and be distributed, by said Board, at their discretion, to such congregations as make applications therefor, on the conditions, and subject to the limitations, hereinafter prescribed.

ARTICLE VIII.

The Board shall prepare blank forms of all such legal and other papers as may be required for the proper distribution and management of the Fund and accruing interest; and they shall furnish a sufficient quantity of such forms to the Committee on Church Extension of each Synod; the forms so prepared and furnished, and none others, shall be used in all matters and transactions relating to the Fund, to which they may be applicable. They shall designate such legal advisers within the bounds of each Synod, as by a correspondence with the Church Extension Committees of the Synods may be found desirable, to examine all certificates of title, and all conveyances and other documents connected with the donation of any part of the accruing interest, including a careful investigation in regard to the legal incorporation of the Board of Trustees of the congregations concerned; and they shall further have power to appoint an agent in each Synod, and to require that all payments of money that may become due to this Fund shall be made to such agent.

ARTICLE IX.

In order to be entitled to the use of any portion of the accruing interest, each Synod connected with the General Assembly shall annually elect a Committee on Church Extension, consisting of at least five members. The Stated Clerk of the Synod shall, immediately after the election of the said Committee, transmit to the President or Secretary of the Board his certificate of such election, giving the name and residence of each member.

ARTICLE X.

All applications for aid from the accruing interest shall be made, in the first instance, to the Committee on Church Extension of the Synod to which the applicants belong, or within whose bounds they are situated. Every such application shall be in writing, and shall particularly state: The location of the house or site for its erection; the number of families or persons attached to the congregation, or that propose to unite in building a house of worship; the description of the house which they

propose to build, with its estimated and probable cost, or the description and cost of the house and lot owned by the congregation; the amount of reliable subscriptions which have been obtained, and how much has been paid thereon; the amount of available means possessed by the congregation, if any; whether the congregation is in debt, and if so, to what amount, and when the same becomes due; and also any other facts which may aid the Committee of the Synod in judging of the application. This application shall be accompanied by the certificate of one of the legal advisers of the Board, that the title to the lot on which the house is built or to be built, is vested in said congregation, and is free from all legal incumbrance and liability.

ARTICLE XI.

If the Committee of the Synod, to whom application for aid has been made as above provided, shall, after a careful examination into the condition and prospects of the congregation so applying, be satisfied that such congregation have done all that should reasonably be expected of them, and that, with the aid which can be afforded from the accruing interest and the voluntary contributions hereinafter mentioned, they can build or possess a house of worship adapted to their wants, and be free from indebtedness; then the Committee shall sign a certificate addressed to the Board, stating the application, and that they have examined and approve of it; and also stating the amount which it is proper to donate to the congregation. This certificate, together with the application made to the Committee of the Synod, shall be transmitted to the Board. On the receipt thereof in due form, the Board shall, as soon as practicable, if the application is granted, forward the necessary papers, to be executed by the Trustees of the congregation, and to be approved by their legal adviser, or some other attorney proposed by the congregation and accepted by the Board. When the papers, so executed, approved, and properly recorded, are returned to the Board, they shall authorize the Treasurer of the Trustees of the congregation, or any other person duly appointed by them for this purpose, to draw on the Treasurer of the Board for the amount thus applied for and donated.

ARTICLE XII.

The Board shall not in any case donate any portion of the accruing interest to any congregation, unless such congregation own, in fee simple and free from all legal incumbrance, the lot on which their house of worship is situated, or on which they propose to build; nor shall any donation be made for the payment of any debt, except that which may have been contracted within one year previous in erecting a house of worship.

The sum donated to any congregation shall never be more than one half of the amount contributed and secured by them for the house and lot.

The condition of all donations from this source shall be, that, in case the church or congregation shall cease to be connected with the General Assembly, or their corporate existence shall cease, or their house of worship be alienated except for the building or purchase of a better house of worship, they shall refund to the Board the amount which they have so received, with interest from the time of receiving it.

The fulfilment of the above condition shall, in all cases, be secured by the bond of the Trustees of the congregation, and a mortgage on their house and lot, made in favor of the Board; which bond and mortgage, duly executed and recorded, shall always be placed in the possession of the Board, before any money is paid over to the congregation.

ARTICLE XIII.

In accepting this trust and adopting this Plan, the General Assembly hereby declares, that the first article shall admit of no alteration or amendment, and that no change shall be made in any other part of the Plan by any future General Assembly, except by an affirmative vote of two thirds of all the members whose names have been entered upon the roll.

SUPPLEMENTARY ARTICLE.

As supplementary to this Plan, and in order to enable the Board fully to meet all the reasonable demands of feeble congregations for aid in erecting houses of public worship, the General Assembly earnestly recommends all the congregations within its bounds to take up annual collections, and transmit them to the Treasurer of the Board to be appropriated by said Board, and distributed by gift for the objects contemplated in the Plan, and on the conditions and limitations prescribed therein.

And the better to secure this end, it shall be the duty of the Board to present, with their Annual Report, an estimate of the amount probably needed for the ensuing year, together with the facts and reasons upon which such estimate is based, in order that the Assembly may determine the amount it will recommend the churches to raise by voluntary contribution.

It was further *Resolved*, 1. That the Plan of Church Erection now adopted be put into operation upon, and take effect from, the first day of August, 1866.

Resolved, 2. That, in accordance with the suggestion contained in the foregoing report of the Standing Committee, the Board of Trustees of Church Erection be directed to appoint a Secretary, whose relations to the Board and whose functions of office shall correspond with those of the Corresponding Secretary of the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions.

The Standing Committee on Church Erection further reported

the recommendation that the overtures and applications for aid made to this Assembly be referred to the Board of Trustees of Church Erection, with instructions that they afford all possible help to such of these churches applying as have special claims for consideration. The report was adopted.

Adjourned until this evening, at 7½ o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

WEDNESDAY, May 23d, 7½ o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and united with the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church now in session at the Second Presbyterian Church of this city, and a large number of fellow-Christians, in the celebration of the Lord's Supper.

After the service, adjourned until Friday at 9 o'clock P.M.

FRIDAY, May 25th, 9 o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first hour was occupied with devotional services.

The minutes of the sessions of Wednesday afternoon and evening were read and approved.

The Standing Committee on Education for the Ministry presented their report, which was accepted. Pending its consideration,

The Assembly adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

FRIDAY, May 25th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The consideration of the report of the Standing Committee on Education for the Ministry was resumed.

The report, with an additional resolution, was adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Education for the Gospel Ministry report that they have given their attention to the Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Education, which was placed in their hands.

They find gratifying evidence of enlargement in both directions —that of means, and that of candidates for the ministry. The

amount of funds is about the same as last year. The increase in young men is thirty-five per cent. Though the amount paid to each young man is considerably in advance of former years, as ordered by the last General Assembly, the Permanent Committee have been enabled to fulfil their engagements. No suitable applicant for aid has been turned away empty. It is believed, that the importance of the educational Cause in successfully carrying forward the kingdom of Christ is being more generally realized, and a deeper and more permanent state of feeling is being awakened on the subject.

Nevertheless, notwithstanding all that is calculated to cheer our hearts, and encourage the Permanent Committee to go forward in their chosen work, the pressing demands of the Church in this direction have not been met. All our efforts are disproportionate to the calls of Providence. At the present rate of bringing forward young men into the ministry, the vacancies made by the superannuated and the dead only are filled. When it is considered, how many are taken from the active duties of the ministry to become presidents and professors in our colleges, instructors in our theological seminaries, and secretaries and agents in our benevolent operations, (and there seems to be no better way,) and the number who turn aside through failure of health, it is not surprising that the demand should outrun the supply. Not to mention the wants of the older States, when we consider the fields that are constantly opening before us in the newer portions of the country, the case is truly alarming. Our excellent Secretary of Home Missions tells us in his Report that we have no missionary in Idaho, Utah, Arizona, Washington, and the State of Oregon — not because there are not calls for men, but because the men cannot be found. The Report also on Foreign Missions speaks of an equal want of men for the missionary work abroad. The cry for men, almost frantic, from East-Tennessee, uttered on this floor, still rings in our ears. The claims of the freedmen, also, for a preached Gospel cannot be ignored.

Standing as we do at the confluence of the Mississippi and Missouri, pouring their flood-tide of waters at our feet to the ocean; turning the eye from this central position to the North, the West, and the South; viewing the present population and the long lines of emigration, both home and foreign; passing up these mighty rivers and their numerous tributaries; marking the moral forces already at work on this field, "the man of sin," as in this city, strongly intrenched with churches, schools, and institutions for charitable purposes, and commanding millions of money, the old fanaticism of the early Church revived on the banks of the Rhine in the form of Rationalism and Pantheism now transplanted and made to flourish on American soil, and the motley crew of materialism and infidelity of indigenous origin—contemplating all this, the Educational Cause in preparing men for the ministry becomes of vital importance. Viewed in its related as-

pects, and in the interests dependent upon an educated ministry, the Educational Cause should receive far more of the prayers and contributions of the Church. Pious parents should dedicate their sons to the ministry. The elders should seek out promising young men, and confer with them on the subject. Pastors should confer with young men recently converted to God, and roll the burden of preaching the Gospel upon their hearts. Presbyterian committees on this subject should be more faithful. Scholarships to the amount of twenty-five hundred dollars each should be secured, the interest of which will yield the annual appropriation to one young man.

The day of fasting and prayer for colleges, seminaries, and other institutions of learning, should be more generally observed. Collections, not in a few but in all the churches, should be statedly taken up. The Plan of the General Assembly is a good one, and has worked well. It is only needful that presbyters, and pastors, and churches be more faithful in putting it into operation.

The Committee would recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That the demand for educated ministers in our country was never greater than at the present time.

Resolved, 2. That the Educational Cause should occupy a higher place in the estimation of pastors and the Church.

Resolved, 3. That the day of fasting and prayer for colleges, and other institutions of learning, be faithfully observed; that pious parents consecrate their sons to the work of the ministry; that this subject be annually presented from the pulpit; and that continual prayer be offered to the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth many more laborers into his harvest.

Resolved, 4. That the appropriation to young men for the past year be the same, namely, thirty-three per cent above what the rule requires; one hundred and sixty dollars to a theological, one hundred and thirty dollars to a collegiate, and one hundred dollars to a preparatory student.

The names of the following persons are presented to fill the vacancy occurring by the expiration of the term of office in the class elected in 1863: John J. Owen, D.D., LL.D., Jonathan F. Stearns, D.D., Jesse W. Benedict, Esq., William W. Wicks, and Charles Taylor.

As supplementary to their report, the Committee report that they have examined the "Memorial of the Presbytery of Union to the General Assembly in Relation to Maryville College," and also have listened to remarks from brethren in relation to other institutions of learning in East-Tennessee.

The Committee are gratified to see so much interest manifested in the subject of Education, and express the hope that all these institutions may be retained in the service of the Church.

Resolved, That the general subject of Education, in connection

with our Church in East-Tennessee, be favorably received by our churches; and that what funds may be raised shall be expended under the direction of the Presbyteries of East-Tennessee, until the Synod of Tennessee shall have taken the whole subject under its care.

Resolved, That this Assembly recommend the Rev. Lucius I. Root as an Agent to raise funds for this object, according to the above resolution.

On the recommendation of the Standing Committee on Church Erection, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, A sum not less than $35,000, in addition to the interest accruing from the Permanent Fund, will probably be required for the aid of feeble churches this year, in providing houses of worship for their use; therefore,

Resolved, 1. That the third Sabbath of December next be fixed as the day for a general collection for the purpose of raising this sum, and that our Presbyteries and pastors be requested to use their utmost endeavors to secure the full amount designated.

Resolved, 2. That the Chairman of the Standing Committee on Church Erection be requested to prepare an Address to the churches in connection with this Assembly, explanatory of the changes introduced into the Plan, and urging the necessity for a liberal contribution to the Fund, to be distributed in aid of the feeble congregations contemplated by the "Supplementary Article" of the Plan, and that the Address be published in all the papers of the Denomination.

The Special Committee on the State of the Country presented a report, which was unanimously adopted, and is as follows:

The Committee on the State of the Country propose to the Assembly the following Declaration:

This Assembly records its devout gratitude to Almighty God, that He has delivered us from the calamities and horrors of civil war, and restored peace throughout our borders:

That He has so far quelled the spirit of secession that the supreme and rightful authority of our beneficent National Government is now restored in all our States and Territories, and we remain, as we were intended to be, one Nation, with one Constitution, and one destiny:

That He has so overruled the progress and results of this unparalleled conflict as to make it manifest that our republican institutions are as well fitted to bear the stress and shock of war as to give prosperity and increase in times of peace:

That, by His wise and constraining Providence, guiding us in ways we knew not, He has caused the passions and wrath of man to enure to the welfare of humanity, so that a whole race has been emancipated from an unjust and cruel system of bondage,

and advanced to the rights and dignity of freemen; so that now involuntary servitude, except for crime, is illegal and unconstitutional wherever our national authority extends:

That He gave to our people such a spontaneous, impassioned, and unbought loyalty — a loyalty that can neither be forced nor feigned — such resolute and abiding faith, and such a supreme consciousness of our national unity, that we were able, in the darkest hours, to bear with cheerful patriotism our heavy burdens and our costly sacrifices, so that our very sacrifices have knit us more closely together, and made us love our country more:

That He has purged and enlightened our national conscience in respect to our national sins, especially the sin of Slavery; and has also made us recognize more fully than before the reality of Divine Providence, the sureness and justice of retribution for national guilt, and the grand fact that a nation can be exalted and safe only as it yields obedience to His righteous laws:

That He bestowed such grace upon our churches and ministry, that with singular unanimity and zeal they upheld our rightful Government, by their unwavering testimony and effectual supplications, identifying the success of the Nation with the welfare of the Church:

That, above all these things, He has, according to His gracious promise, watched over His Church and kept it safe during these troublous times; so that not only has our American Christianity been vindicated, our faith and order maintained intact, and our Christian benevolence enhanced, but our purpose and plans for the future have been also enlarged in some proportion to the needs and growth of our country; while, to crown all these favors with His special benediction, He has also, in these latter days, rained down spiritual blessings in abundant measure upon so many churches all over the land.

This Assembly, while humbly recognizing these judgments and mercies in the past and the present, also bears testimony in respect to our urgent needs and duties as a nation, in view of the new era upon which we are now entering, as follows, namely:

1. Our most solemn national trust concerns that patient race, so long held in unrighteous bondage. Only as we are just to them can we live in peace and safety. Freed by the national arms, they must be protected in all their civil rights by the national power. And, as promoting this end, which far transcends any mere political or party object, we rejoice that the active functions of the Freedmen's Bureau are still continued; and especially that the Civil Rights Bill has become the law of the land. In respect to the concession of the right of suffrage to the colored race, this Assembly adheres to the resolution passed by our Assembly of 1865, (Minutes, p. 42:) "That the colored man should in this country enjoy the right of suffrage, in common with all other men, is but a simple dictate of justice. The Assembly can-

not perceive any good reason why he should be deprived of this right on the ground of his color or his race." Even if suffrage may not be universal, let it at at least be impartial.

2. In case such impartial suffrage is not conceded, that we may still reap the legitimate fruits of our national victory over Secession and Slavery, and, that treason and rebellion may not enure to the direct political advantage of the guilty, we judge it to be a simple act of justice, that the constitutional basis of representation in Congress should be so far altered as to meet the exigencies growing out of the abolition of Slavery; and we likewise hold it to be the solemn duty of our National Executive and Congress, to adopt only such methods of reconstruction as shall effectually protect all loyal persons in the States lately in revolt.

3. As loyalty is the highest civic virtue, and treason the highest civil crime, so it is necessary for the due vindication and satisfaction of national justice, that the chief fomenters and representatives of the rebellion should, by due course and process of law, be visited with condign punishment.

4. The Christian religion being the underlying source of all our power, prosperity, freedom, and national unity, we earnestly exhort all our ministers and churches to constant and earnest prayer for the President of the United States and his constitutional counsellors; for the Senate and House of Representatives in Congress assembled; for the Judges in our national Courts; for those that bear rule in our army and navy; and for all persons intrusted with authority; that they may be endued with heavenly wisdom, and rule in the fear of the Lord, and so administer their high trusts, without self-seeking or partiality, that this great Republic, being delivered from its enemies, may renew its youth, and put forth all its strength in the ways of truth and righteousness, for the good of our own land and the welfare of mankind.

5. And we further exhort and admonish the members of our churches to diligent and personal efforts for the safety and prosperity of the nation, to set aside all partisan and sectional aims and low ambitions, and to do their full duty as Christian freemen; to the end that our Christian and Protestant civilization may maintain its legitimate ascendency, and that we become not the prey of any form of infidelity, or subject to any foreign priestly domination; that the sacred interests of civil and religious freedom, of human rights and justice to all, of national loyalty and national unity, may be enlarged and perpetuated, making our Christian Commonwealth a praise among the nations of the earth, exemplifying and speeding the progress of the Kingdom of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

Resolved, That a copy of the foregoing report be sent to the President of the United States, through the Secretary of State, to the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Standing Committee on Home Missions presented their

report, which was accepted. Pending its consideration the Assembly

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

SATURDAY, May 26th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The first half hour was occupied with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Rev. Alfred E. Campbell, D.D., Secretary of the American and Foreign Christian Union, addressed the Assembly with reference to the operations of that Society.

The consideration of the report of the Standing Committee on Home Missions was resumed. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Home Missions, in making their report, would suggest that there are three things in which the Assembly are agreed, viz.: That the work before us is great beyond conception and competition, that the Church is the proper agency for doing it, and *now* the favoring time, admitting no postponement.

Love of adventure, lust of gain, the march of enterprise, the great tidal movement westward of the nations, and finally, but not less providentially, sedition and war, have been busy clearing and widening the home field for the Church's occupancy. Within the months just past, the Holy Spirit has arisen, and most earnestly invited to the cultivation of the ground, and in many instances to the gathering of already rich harvests. The Church could not be heedless of these signs, without ignoring her manifest mission and destiny in this land. She has heeded them, and hence the marvels that have occupied her way, as in the ancient journeying from Goshen to Canaan: "God has been in the midst of her; he has helped her, and that right early." Is her mission therefore fulfilled? Do we not know, on the contrary, that the land to be possessed is more than the territory already subdued?

From Maine to Mexico, from the Atlantic to the Pacific wave, from the great Lakes to the Southern Gulf, how wide the field stretches out; its needs, even in the older States, East, Middle, and South, how numerous; in the States and Territories West and North-West how immense and stupendous!

The question of opportunity being settled by Divine Providence, that of the way and means of fulfilling both, presses heavily on our hearts. We can hope, on this point, to do little more than emphasize the suggestions of the Report already submitted.

We need, of course, to this end a great increase of the Christ-

ian ministry. We say increase, because its actually effective portion is already employed, up to the full measure of its capability. If the West has not an adequate supply of ministers, it is because the East cannot spare them. Those whom she can spare as well as not are such as the West do not want; and those she knows not how to spare have already been drawn upon beyond her means. The weakening of the Eastern Church by withdrawing an efficient pastor is simply at the cost also of the West, by cutting off supplies of men and money necessary to its sustenance, and is allowable only under the plea of some peculiar and dominant necessity.

We can, therefore, meet the demand for ministers only by an increase of Candidates for the ministry. And to accomplish this, the piety of the Church must be deepened, and its channels opened and widened in this direction. The attention of our youth must be summoned to this claim on their talents, as a reason why they should anew, or for the first time, consecrate them to Christ. Parents must be made to feel the duty of training and yielding their children to a work so inviting and remunerating. Ministers and elders must take this matter into their special charge; seeking to gain our young men, not by worldly considerations, whether of a literary or pecuniary sort, but by pointing them to the grand opportunities here afforded of usefulness to God and their country through the same earnest consecration and cheerful self-denial, so conspicuously illustrated in the examples of Christ and his apostles.

Next to the provision of preachers is that of preaching places. By this is not meant congregations, which already exist in greater numbers than we can supply, but houses of worship for these congregations. We have cause to understand that there can be no progressive and permanent church edification without a church edifice. It is as much needed for minister and people as houses to live are needed for them. The attention of the Assembly has been so thoroughly called to this subject, the present session, that we need not enlarge upon it.

What we have most required is a settled policy that should not be constantly discussed and revised, but that should be put into instant and persistent operation. It is to be hoped, from the action just taken by this Assembly, that we have now reached that point. We know better than heretofore what we have nee to do, and what we are able to do—that which remains is *to it.* The chief discouraging hindrance of a debated plan be removed, let us arise and build. Let the gift fund be swelled the loan fund never was. The wants of the Great West have come measurably appreciated by this convocation on the ri bank of the Mississippi; and let us return to our congregation report what our eyes have seen and our ears heard, and thus p pare our people for new and more liberal benefactions to this ject, at some not remote day to be agreed upon for a uni effort. In this way we shall best silence the voice of compla

issuing from so many promising missionary centres, and telling how the Word of God is stayed for lack of houses of worship. The next report at our General Assembly will be that of gratitude for the unhindered upbuilding of Zion's waste places.

The money question, however, does not pertain to the Church Erection Fund only, but to all departments of the missionary work. That it demands new discussion is evident from the Treasurer's statistics. One of these discloses the average annual contribution on the part of our membership of barely 63 cents, which is $5\frac{3}{5}$ cents per month, or a cent and a quarter per week. If we have made advances in later over former years, it is clear there is still wide room for improvement. It needs but a glance at the greatness of our work to reveal the inadequacy of our efforts. It needs but another glance at the vastness of our resources to expose an exceeding parsimony in their disposal.

One important suggestion the Committee would offer in this connection. It relates to Christian giving as a duty to be enforced on every church not only, but on every individual. It is not enough that contributions should be taken in the Sabbath congregation; but in addition to this, or instead of it, by collectors passing through the congregation, and calling upon each family and person. A general observance of this plan would, it is believed, immediately increase our total receipts 75 or 100 per cent.

The Committee recommend, that an effort be made to realize an average contribution of at least $1 per member the present year. This would insure a total collection of $120,000, and would require a marked advance in our wealthy as well as feeble churches.

Meanwhile the home missionary work enlarges upon our hands, and calls for an immediate increase of faith, labor, and prayer. There is no real source of discouragement but in the narrowness of our own hearts. There is no department of effort into which we have entered with any vigor, upon which God has not shed his approving and inspiring favor. Witness to this the blessing attending our special effort in behalf of East-Tennessee, in a discouraged and distracted church reinspirited, dispersed congregations regathered, in pastors settled over long vacant parishes, and the revival of religion experienced in unprecedented power. Witness the story told by delegates from all parts of the land, of the descending and quickening Spirit.

Even the labors employed on behalf of our foreign population, usually regarded as far from hopeful access, have not been without significant results. The Presbytery of Newark, after a sixteen years' experiment among the Germans, have now, as its fruit, six churches organized on a Presbyterian basis, all but one furnished with houses of worship, with settled pastors, good congregations, a vigorous prospective growth, and a healthful, positive influence going out upon the surrounding population in behalf of Sabbath observance, temperance, social order, and every

The Standing Committee, to whom were referred the Fourteenth Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Publication and the Twelfth Annual Report of the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, having carefully examined the documents placed in their hands, would respectfully submit the following: That, from the time the General Assembly resolved to issue a distinctive literature, bearing its own imprimatur, setting forth and defending its own doctrines, there has been a gradual and growing interest in the work; doubt and distrust have given way to confidence; funds and facilities of usefulness have steadily increased; so that now there is an open field, hearty coöperation, and the universal conviction that the Publication Cause is one of the mightiest instrumentalities committed to the Church for her vindication, her spiritual vitality, and her promised and permanent victory. Books issued by her own press are both the source and the indication of ecclesiastical and spiritual life—a power and a blessing which it is our privilege to wield and to enjoy. Your Committee rejoice, therefore, that the Cause has passed the period of doubtful experiments and is now to be pushed and prosecuted with a vigor equal to its importance and to the increasing wants of the field that we occupy.

The past year is a prophecy of what is to be. The receipts have been greatly in advance of any previous year, and there has been a consequent increase in the number and value of the tracts and books issued and circulated. Still the field is widening; the calls are becoming more imperative and universal; the entire South and West are open; the cry comes up from the missionary, in his *open* yet half-occupied field, for books and tracts, authorized by the Church, wherewith to supplement his labors, and this is met by a whole chorus of voices from all the Sabbath-schools of the land, pleading for a life-giving and heaven-inspiring literature.

God's voice to the Church in this department of service evidently is, "Go forward." We cannot afford to pause; we must go up and possess the land.

It is the judgment of your Committee that some system of colportage should be inaugurated, under the supervision of the Synods or Presbyteries, securing a more extended circulation to the publications of the Committee. The plan suggested is this: Let each Synod or Presbytery employ a colporteur—a theological student—whose work shall be twofold—*the disposal* or sale of books (receiving his salary largely from commissions allowed) and *coöperation* with pastors in attending social meetings and aiming to extend a deep religious interest throughout the bounds of the Presbytery or Synod. This would help many a deserving young man in his preparatory course, give a wide circulation to our literature, and encourage and facilitate the pastors in their work. As this arrangement is designed to be only occasional and temporary, your Committee suggest that a place of sale be designated in every principal town throughout the land, where

the publications of the Committee can be obtained after the retiring colporteur shall have sown the seed, awakened an interest, and done his work.

Your Committee beg leave to call special attention to the Hymn and Tune Book, as in their judgment well adapted to the devotional exercises of the lecture-room, prayer-meeting, and even to congregational singing on the Sabbath. The book everywhere will be found a grand aid to worship.

The *Presbyterian Monthly* is hailed as a benediction wherever it is taken, and the only regret is that it should not be taken by every Presbyterian within our bounds. The information it contains is needed by every pastor and Session, while every family would be greatly enriched by its monthly advent.

A large circulation, which, by a little effort on the part of pastors and elders, might be realized, would make it self-supporting at the low price of fifty cents a year. Your Committee would recommend that a copy be sent to every pastor, "*sine sumptu*," in the hope that his church will take a collection during the year for each of the objects represented in the *Monthly*.

While your Committee have suggested measures by which the remunerative circulation or sale of the Committee's publications may be vastly increased, they are not unmindful of the purely benevolent character of the work.

Thousands of pages must be gratuitously circulated, in the hope, not of *pecuniary* but of *moral* returns, *in the actual good done*, and a *full* reward on the great pay-day of the world, when every man shall receive according to his works. With this view, collections are recommended in all our churches.

There is one more item to which your Committee would call the attention of the Assembly—*the wants of the rapidly-increasing German immigration.*

The numbers landed monthly upon our shores are immense! These are the most inquiring, the most given to reading, of all the people that come to us from abroad. Though many of them are sceptical in their religious tendencies, yet the Protestant portion, in their ecclesiastical affinities, are with us. True, on their arrival, they are ignorant of us, and scepticism would misrepresent us and mislead them; but properly instructed by means of our Presbyterial publications, they affiliate most naturally with us in doctrine and polity, and become an element of strength. They may be easily turned to infidelity, or to a Protestant and vital Christianity, according to the nature of the influences first brought to bear upon them. It is the opinion of your Committee that no more hopeful field is now open for the circulation of our religious literature.

In conclusion and in a review, the Committee would respectfully propose the following resolutions:

1. That we gratefully acknowledge the favor of God to this Cause during the past and previous years.

2. That the Synods or Presbyteries be recommended to ap-

point students, unemployed ministers, or earnest Christian laymen as colporteurs, to circulate the books of the Publication Committee, and to coöperate with pastors in every good word and work.

3. That a place of sale be designated in every important town, where it shall be known that the Committee's publications may be obtained at the lowest retail price.

4. That the "Social Hymn and Tune Book," recently published by the Committee, be commended as preëminently adapted to social and congregational worship.

5. That more vigorous efforts be put forth to introduce the *Presbyterian Monthly* into all our congregations.

6. That it be recommended that annual collections be taken to aid in the gratuitous circulation of the Committee's publications.

7. That a Special Committee of five be appointed, who shall prepare fresh tracts and books, or, if thought desirable, *translations*, to be published in the German language, in coöperation with the Assembly's Publishing Committee, and who shall take into consideration the expediency of publishing a German religious newspaper, adapted to the wants of the German population of the country.

The following persons are nominated for that Committee: Daniel W. Poor, D.D., George L. Prentiss, D.D.., Rev. Johann U. Guenther, Rev. J. J. F. Brunow, and Rev. Nelson Millard.

The Committee recommend that Daniel March, D.D., J. Glentworth Butler, D.D., Mr. William F. Judson, Samuel C. Perkins, Esq., and the Hon. William Strong, whose terms of service now expire, be reëlected for the ensuing three years.

The Committee would also recommend that Mr. John A. Brown, Mr. M. W. Baldwin, Samuel H. Perkins, Esq., Thomas Brainerd, D.D., and Ezra E. Adams, D.D., whose terms of service now expire, be reëlected Trustees of the Presbyterian House for the ensuing two years.

The Rev. Phineas D. Gurley, D.D., and the Hon. Lincoln Clark, the Delegates from the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church now in session at the Second Presbyterian Church of this city, addressed the Assembly, and were responded to by the Moderator.

The Delegation presented the following communication on behalf of that Assembly:

Resolved, That this Assembly expresses its fraternal affection for the Other Branch of the Presbyterian Church, and its earnest desire for Reünion at the earliest time consistent with agreement in doctrine, order, and policy, on the basis of our common standards, and the prevalence of mutual confidence and love, which are so necessary to a happy union, and to the permanent peace and prosperity of the United Church.

Resolved, That it be recommended to all our churches, and

Church Courts, and to all our ministers, ruling elders, and communicants, to cherish fraternal feeling, to cultivate Christian intercourse in the worship of God, in the promotion of the cause of Christ, and to avoid all needless controversies and competitions adapted to perpetuate division and strife.

Resolved, That a Committee of nine Ministers and six Ruling Elders be appointed, provided that a similar Committee shall be appointed by the other Assembly now in session in this city, for the purpose of conferring in regard to the desirableness and practicability of reünion; and if, after conference and inquiry, such reünion shall seem to be desirable and practicable, to suggest suitable measures for its accomplishment, and report to the next General Assembly.

The Committee on the Polity of the Church reported on several overtures relating to Reünion with the Other Branch of the Presbyterian Church. The report was unanimously adopted, and is as follows:

The Committee on the Polity of the Church report Overtures, numbered 5 to 16, on the subject of the Reünion of the two branches of the Presbyterian Church, from the Presbyteries of New-York, 3d, and New-York, 4th, Newark, Dubuque, Greencastle, Alton, Steuben, Athens, Monroe, Keokuk, Long Island, Trumbull, and San José. All these Presbyteries, with different degrees of urgency, recommend to this Assembly to initiate, or to respond to, proposals looking to an entire Reünion of the churches represented by the two General Assemblies now in session in the city of St. Louis.

The General Assembly now in session at the Second Presbyterian Church of this city has also adopted resolutions, appointing a Committee to confer with a similar Committee of our own Church in regard to the desirableness and practicability of such Reünion.

Your Committee recommend to this Assembly the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That this Assembly tender to the Assembly, representing the Other Branch of the Presbyterian Church, its cordial Christian salutations and fellowship, and the expression of its earnest wish for Reünion, on the basis of our common standards, received in a common spirit.

Resolved, That a committee of fifteen, nine of whom shall be ministers of the Gospel, and six Ruling Elders, be appointed to confer on this subject, in the recess of the Assemblies, with the Committee to be appointed by the other General Assembly, and report the results to the next General Assembly.

Resolved, That we enjoin upon this Committee, and upon all our ministers and church members, to abstain from whatever may hinder a true Christian fellowship, and to cherish and cultivate

those feelings and purposes, which look to the peace and prosperity of Zion, the edifying of the body of Christ, and the complete union of all believers, especially of those who live in the same land, and have the same history and the same standards of doctrine and polity.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions, with the names of our Committee, be sent to the other General Assembly now in session in this city.

The Rev. William E. Knox, D.D., the Rev. Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., the Rev. Beriah B. Hotchkin, the Hon. John A. Foot, and the Hon. Henry W. Williams, were appointed to nominate the Committee of Conference, under the foregoing resolutions.

Adjourned until Monday, at 8½ o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 28th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.
The first half hour was occupied with devotional exercises.
The minutes of the last session were read and approved.
The Rev. David Herron, the Delegate from the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America, addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.
The following Declaration in relation to Intemperance was adopted:

In view of the general prevalence and great increase of Intemperance in this country, this General Assembly bears the following testimony:

1. That we rejoice in the renewed diligence shown by the Church in arresting the progress of this great evil.

2. That Total Abstinence from all intoxicating drinks, as a beverage, is demanded from every Christian by the condition of society, the purity of the Church, and the Word of God.

3. We recommend that on the last Sabbath in June next ministers in our connection preach on the subject of Intemperance.

4. The General Assembly having heard the statements made touching the National Temperance Society, lately organized in the city of New-York, and believing its spirit and policy to be in harmony with our utterances for upward of fifty years past, therefore,

Resolved, That we regard the new National Temperance Society with favor, as well adapted in the form, vigor, and scope of its organization, to grapple with the great national sin of Intemperance, and as such commend it to the faithful prayers, liberal support, and earnest coöperation of our churches.

The Committee on Mileage presented their report, which was accepted, with thanks to the Committee, and adopted, as follows:

The Committee on Mileage respectfully report:

That they have received, for the Commissioners' Fund, $6203 34
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The amount received has been disposed of as follows:

Paid Contingent Expenses, ...$1600 00
Paid Commissioners 73 per cent of expenses,.. 5033 68

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The bills of necessary traveling expenses of Commissioners make an aggregate of.....$6879 33
Leaving a deficit of,..... 1845 65
Equal to 27 per cent.

Fourteen Presbyteries have failed to pay to the Commissioners' Fund, four of whom are from California.

Twelve have paid a part only of their assessment.

The deficit would be less except for the increased expenses of the Assembly in meeting at so remote a point. The liberal concession of railroads in abating fare, and the increased assessment to six cents per member has enabled the Assembly to pay twelve per cent more of traveling expenses than was paid last year.

It is earnestly recommended that *all* the Presbyteries pay in their *full assessment* to this fund rather than withhold it for distribution among their own members.

A just and liberal distribution could then be made to all.

They recommend that the assessment of *six cents* per member be continued for the next year.

The report of the Standing Committee on Sabbath-Schools was taken up, adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Sabbath-Schools respectfully submit the following report:

This Committee is now constituted for the first time in the history of our Church, in consequence of overtures from Presbyteries, in accordance with the desire of many members of the Churches and with the action of the General Assembly of 1864.

The Committee do not hesitate to assume, that the Assembly appreciates the value and discerns the scope of the Sabbath-School as the auxiliary of the pulpit in the salvation of souls, as oftentimes its forerunner in the founding of churches, and at all times as best substitute when the strength of Christ's collected followers may not be sufficient to sustain the stated preaching of the Word.

We believe that the Sabbath-School is a nursery of the Christian Church, one bulwark of Christian doctrine, a promoter of Christian union, and the organizer of Christian labor. In other words, it saves the young, it secures the faith, it settles differences, and it develops power.

The first proposition is made manifest by the fact that of 5086 members belonging to 311 churches, (which have the last year reported to the Committee of Inquiry appointed by the Eldership,) 2387 were added from the Sabbath-School.

The second proposition is evidenced by comparison of the lapsed convictions of churches without Sabbath-schools with the sound faith of those which sustain them. Sabbath-school work is the healthy outgrowth of a grounded faith. The branches, leaves, and fruit return vitality to the root.

The third proposition is seen in the happy union existing between the members of different and of the same denominations who join in Sabbath-school enterprises. Diversities are ignored; agreements multiply. They sing the same Zion-songs; they meet at the same mercy-seat; they speak from the same platform; they fraternize at the Union Convention; there is one book, the Bible; one Lord, who said, "Suffer the children;" one Saviour, who is the way, the truth, and the life.

The fourth proposition is demonstrated from individual experience as well as church experience. The young Christian who lays hold of mission-school work grows in knowledge and grace with no stinted increase, sometimes the sad sequel of a vigorous germination. The older Christian, becoming a Sabbath-school teacher, exchanges spiritual sluggishness for an inspiriting vitality. The Church, with a good Sabbath-school, even though in the present small, is master of the situation.

In view of these considerations, the Assembly has ordered the appointment of a Permanent Committee on Sabbath-Schools. It is recommended that their duties (subject to future modification or enlargement) shall be:

1. To supervise the Sabbath-school literature of the Church in coöperation with the Permanent Committee on Publication. Their recommendation will promote the circulation of the many good books; their disapproval will eliminate the few not good books; their suggestions will open new classes of subjects upon which books may be written; and even their silence will discourage the use of weak and wordy trash.

2. To issue circulars which may help the Cause, and use other appropriate methods of the press.

3. To collect data, and from facts to work out practical theses, which may assist pastors, superintendents, and teachers in the Sabbath-school work.

4. To promote the establishment of Sabbath-schools in localities needing them within the bounds of the Assembly, among the freedmen of the South, and the Germans of the West, in cooperation with the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions.

. To promote the Sabbath-school cause in heathen lands in peration with the American Board of Commissioners for eign Missions.

. To promote the establishment of Sabbath-schools in Mexico, ıtral America, France, Italy, and Germany, in coöperation h the American and Foreign Christian Union.

. To promote the increase of the ministry through influence ıught to bear upon the Sabbath-schools, and thus prove an ciliary of the Education Committee.

Your Committee pass over to the Permanent Committee the ısideration of two propositions suggested by members of the Asıbly. 1st. The devising of a plan to be presented to the next neral Assembly, by which the students of our theological ninaries may receive special instruction in the relations of the stor to the Sabbath-School, in the best modes of conducting bbath-schools, and in the approved methods of Sabbath-school rk. 2d. The devising of a plan, to be presented to the next neral Assembly, for the establishment of Normal-schools for instruction of Sabbath-school teachers.

Your Committee further recommend, that the Presbyteries be ıtructed by the General Assembly, to appoint a Presbyterial mmittee on Sabbath-schools, whose duty it shall be to attend to e interests of the Sabbath-School Cause within the bounds of e Presbytery, and that such Committee report itself for instrucns to the Permanent Committee.

It is also recommended that the Publication Committee be thorized to send the publications of our Church to the Sabth-School Committee in response to their directions.

Your Committee, in the selection of names for the Permanent mmittee, have been controlled by two considerations. 1st. at a majority of the Committee should be within easy call m a favorable centre. 2d. That the members of the Committee ıll not be preöccupied on other Permanent Committees.

The following nomination is submitted: James B. Shaw, D.D., Osvenor W. Heacock, D.D., Charles Hawley, D.D., William Knox, D.D., Samuel M. Campbell, D.D., Rev. Charles P. sh, Rev. William A. Niles, Rev. Marvin R. Vincent, Rev. arles E. Knox, Ralph Wells, Edwin T. Huntington, George Parsons, Josiah P. Bailey, Truman P. Handy, and Samuel ld.

n conclusion, it is recommended that the Permanent Committhold its first meeting at Rochester, New-York, at the call of Stated Clerk of the Assembly; that it be guided in its action the practice and rules of the other Permanent Committees; l that its expenses for the first year be met by individual subıptions from residents of Western and Central New-York.

Resolved, That not less a sum than one hundred and twenty usand dollars is necessary to carry on the work of Home Misns for the ensuing year, and that this General Assembly here-

by pledge our churches to all diligence and faithfulness in raising at least this amount.

Whereas, This Assembly, in its deliverance on the State of the Country, has affirmed the truth, that "our most solemn national trust concerns that patient race so long held in unrighteous bondage;" and,

Whereas, The education of the Freedmen is essential to their endowment with all the rights and privileges of American citizens, and is promotive of a safe and permanent reconstruction; therefore

Resolved, That the churches be recommended to take up collections in behalf of the Freedmen supplementary to the regular collections for Home Missions; said collections to be forwarded to such association in behalf of the Freedmen as, by the wisdom and integrity of its management, shall best commend itself to the confidence of our congregations.

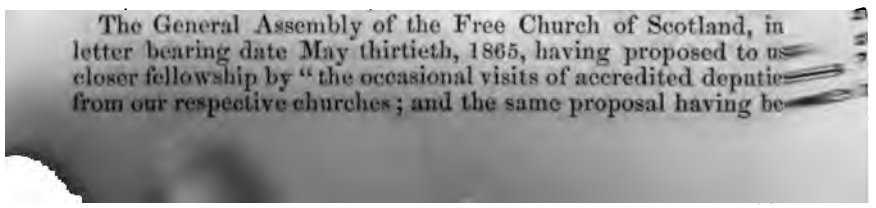
The Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D., Chairman, the Rev. William Adams, D.D., the Rev. Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., the Rev. Jonathan F. Stearns, D.D., the Rev. Philemon H. Fowler, D.D., the Rev. James B. Shaw, D.D., the Rev. Henry L. Hitchcock, D.D., the Rev. Robert W. Patterson, D.D., and the Rev. Henry A. Nelson, D.D., with the Hon. Joseph Allison, LL.D., the Hon. Henry W. Williams, and Messrs. Truman P. Handy, Robert W. Steele, and William H. Brown, were appointed the Committee of Conference on Reunion, with a similar Committee of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church now in session at the Second Presbyterian Church of this city.

Resolved, That this Assembly recommend that the Westminster Assembly's Catechism be introduced as a Text-Book into all the Sabbath-schools under our supervision and control, where it is not now used.

Mr. John A. Brown, Mr. Matthew W. Baldwin, Samuel H. Perkins, Esq., the Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D., and the Rev. Ezra E. Adams, D.D., were duly elected, by ballot, Trustees of the Presbyterian House, to serve for three years.

The Rev. J. Few Smith, D.D., the Rev. Samuel D. Burchard, D.D., and Mr. William A. Booth, were duly elected, by ballot, Trustees of the Church Erection Fund, to serve for three years.

The Committee to prepare a suitable response to the communication from the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland presented several Resolutions, and a Reply, which were adopted, and are as follows:


The General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland, in letter bearing date May thirtieth, 1865, having proposed to us closer fellowship by "the occasional visits of accredited deputies from our respective churches; and the same proposal having be-

confirmed in the address of the Rev. James McCosh, LL.D., therefore,

Resolved, That this Assembly cordially accede to this proposalf or an interchange of Deputies, on such specific terms as may hereafter be designated; and that two Deputies be appointed to represent our Church at the next General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland, in Edinburgh, May, 1867.

Resolved, That the Committee having in charge the correspondence with the Free Church of Scotland be authorized to make these appointments in the name of this General Assembly.

Resolved, That we tender to the Rev. James McCosh, LL.D., our sincere thanks for the able and eloquent manner in which he has discharged his office as the virtual, if not technical, representative of the Free Church of Scotland; that we offer him the assurance of our personal honor and regard; and that we pray for his continued and increasing success and influence in the great and useful labors to which his life is devoted.

Resolved, That copies of this minute be sent to the Moderator of the Free Church of Scotland, and to the Rev. Dr. McCosh.

The Committee appointed to answer the letter addressed to our Church by the Free Church of Scotland propose to the Assembly the following draft of a Reply.

The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, (N. S.,) in session at the First Presbyterian Church in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, May twenty-eighth, 1865, to the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland, greeting.

DEAR BRETHREN: The most welcome letter of your venerable assembly, bearing date, Edinburgh, May thirtieth, 1865, and subscribed by your Moderator, the Rev. James Begg, D.D., has been received by our Assembly with heartfelt gratitude and approval. We warmly reciprocate your affectionate Christian salutations, and respond with lively emotions to your expressions of sympathy and confidence, and to your proposals for a closer fellowship. Though separated by the broad ocean, we are bound together by no ordinary ties. No Church of another land has a stronger hold than yours upon our love and honor. The one Reformed faith is our common heritage. We express that faith in the same symbols; we have in essence the same Presbyterian polity; and we are equally engaged in kindred evangelical labors at home and abroad. There are also between us many ties of a common ancestry. And we venerate the names of your early Reformers; our ministry are still instructed by the writings of your great divines, our faith is strengthened by the bright example of your heroic martyrs, who fought a good fight for religious and civil liberty; and in your especial conflicts and sacrifices for a Free Church you have had, these twenty years, our constant and warmest sympathy. We honor the high wisdom and extraordinary

liberality which have made you prosperous and strong, and the new testimony you have given to the self-sustaining power of the Christian Church, when contending for its righteous liberties. It is a good thing that the sacred fire kindled by the old covenanters is still burning in the heart of Scotland, and that their flaming torches have been handed down from sire to son. In all these things, dear brethren, we do rejoice, yea, and will rejoice.

It is, then, with no ordinary satisfaction that we have received your proposal for an interchange of "accredited Deputies" between our Churches, as occasion may serve. As you will see by an accompanying minute, this Assembly has unanimously resolved to appoint two such Deputies to represent us before your venerable body, in May, 1867. They will in due time be named and commissioned, and we bespeak for them a fraternal welcome. We also invite you to send Deputies to the General Assembly of our own Church at its next sessions in the city of Rochester, in the State of New-York, May, 1867, assuring them a most cordial reception.

We have this year been favored with an Address, made in your behalf, by the Rev. James McCosh, LL.D., of Belfast, Ireland, who came to us with ample testimonials from several of the honored ministers of your Church. Already known to us by his elaborate and thoughtful works, so important in relation to the great conflict between Christianity and some forms of modern infidelity, he hardly needed any external recommendation to insure him an attentive hearing. His eloquent and sympathetic words have drawn us to you by the cords of a common faith and love.

The sympathy you express in the calamities and sufferings brought upon us by our recent war, in the assassination of our beloved and venerated President Lincoln—a martyr to the cause of human freedom—and your fervent congratulations upon the abolition of Slavery throughout our States, as well as your wise suggestions, derived in part from your British experience, in regard to the future condition of the negro race, call for our grateful recognition. These things have weighed, and still weigh, upon the mind and conscience of this nation. God has guided us by his wonder-working Providence, bringing good out of evil. He has sorely chastised us for our national sins, and we bow in penitence, yet in trust, beneath his mighty hand. He has indeed caused the wrath of man to promote His own high purposes of grace and wisdom. And in the difficulties and perplexities that still beset our path, in the vast social and political, as well as religious, problems that we are called upon to solve, we humbly invoke and rely upon His wisdom and grace. Here too we feel assured that your prayers will mingle with ours.

You say that "the divergence of sentiment and action [illegible] existing between us," on the question of Slavery, "has now ceased;" and "as there is really nothing now to prevent a complete and cordial understanding between the British and American Churches, we [illegible] the earliest possible opportunity

giving utterance to this conviction and desire of our hearts." We thank you for these words; we unite with you in the petition for the removal of all estrangements, and the establishment not only of our old, but even of a better and nearer, fellowship. And because of this our common wish and purpose, we are emboldened to say to you, with the utmost Christian frankness as well as affection, that during the progress of our recent and terrible struggle for the very life of our nation, involving as it did by a vital necessity the emancipation of the slaves, we have at times been deeply pained and grieved, by the apparent indifference of the British Churches to the great principles and the manifest moral issues that were here at stake. From the beginning of the great rebellion, our American Churches, as with one voice, proclaimed the real nature of the contest. Our own Assembly never faltered or wavered in the declarations, that it was essentially a conflict between freedom and slavery, and that national unity was necessary to national freedom. And we shall evermore regret that, in our darkest days, when we were in travail in the throes of a new birth, and when sympathy would most have cheered our hearts, we had, with few exceptions, such slight encouragement from those so nearly allied to us in faith, and in the fundamental principles of civil and religious liberty. But these dark hours are past, nevermore we trust to return; and we are glad that the clouds are dispersing, and the mists vanishing away, and that we are coming to see eye to eye, and to know better each other's heart and mind.

You allude to the interest with which you "shall watch the future history of the negro race within our borders." The views of this Assembly on some of the points herein involved are set forth in a Declaration just adopted on the State of the Country, a copy of which will be sent to you. The freedom of that unhappy and long-suffering race has been bought at a great price of blood and treasure. Slavery is now prohibited by an amendment to the Constitution. The civil rights of the freedmen have been secured by law. Other guarantees will doubtless follow in due time. This nation is under the most solemn responsibility as to the future destiny of this class of its citizens. Meanwhile, our chief reliance must be on those social, moral, and religious influences which alone can make men fit for freedom and truly free; and which alone can fully restore the union of these States, and bind us together in a common brotherhood.

In these troubled times, even when the horrors of war were upon us, the Great Head of the Church has given us fresh occasion to magnify His faithfulness. Our American Churches, no less than our Republic, have emerged from this conflict still strong in their faith and order. The principles of our American Christianity have received a new vindication. Our benevolent contributions have been constantly increasing. And we are now girding ourselves for the great task that is laid upon us, especially in our Southern and Western States, among our freedmen and

our emigrant population, and against the progress of Romanism, of materialism, and of a false rationalism, in humble reliance, as we trust, upon the grace and wisdom of Him, who will not leave us if we lean upon His mighty arm, and follow the guidance of His all-wise Providence. An increased desire for Christian union too has been kindled throughout our land. Many of our churches also have been visited with fresh outpourings of the Spirit of grace, showing that the Lord is at work amongst us as of old.

We, too, desire with you, in a special manner, a closer fellowship between the Presbyterian Churches in our own and other lands. We are glad to see the movements in this direction in England and Scotland, and in your colonial dependencies. The same spirit is at work among ourselves. The two great branches of the Presbyterian Church in this country are drawing nearer together; this year they have touched each other; and each of our Assemblies has appointed a Committee of Conference on reunion. Our Deputies will inform you of the progress of this desirable object. And we fervently hope that here, as never before, all Christian Churches may forget their lesser differences, and unite together, as far as possible, in the great work of the Lord.

Dear brethren, beloved in the Lord, we send to you these our Christian salutations, beseeching you to pray for us. We commend you unto God, and to the word of His grace. May the one great Head of the Church bless you with all spiritual blessings! May our Churches and our lands live in amity and unity! May we all live for the glory of God in the kingdom of His Son our Lord, to whom be praise evermore. Amen.

The report of the Special Committee on Overture No. 14 of the last Assembly was taken from the docket. Pending its consideration, the Assembly

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 28th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The consideration of the report of the Special Committee on Overture No. 14 of the last Assembly was resumed. The report was adopted, and is as follows:

The undersigned, a Special Committee, to whom was referred Overture No. 14, to the General Assembly of 1865, together with the report of a former Committee thereon, and who were instructed to report to the present Assembly, respectfully submit the following:

The Overture is in these words: "When the judicatory have proceeded, in accordance with chapter iv., section 13, of the Book of Discipline, to take the testimony in the case of an accused person, may they proceed to pass judgment thereon, as if he were present, or shall he be left simply under censure for contumacy?"

The question thus presented is exclusively one of power. It is not whether, in all cases, it is advisable that a Church judicatory should proceed to a final determination of the case; nor is it what has been the usage in some of the tribunals of the Church; but it is strictly, What does the Book of Discipline authorize? It is freely admitted, that a long course of usage under a statute is no inconsiderable evidence of the meaning of that statute; but it must be a usage growing out of the enactment itself, and claimed to have been authorized by it. Mere neglect to exercise powers conferred is no proof that they were not granted. Had the fathers of the Church generally decided that, by the fourth chapter of the Book of Discipline, no power is recognized in a judicatory to proceed to the trial of an accused person when he has refused to obey its citations, that his contumacious refusal must arrest all steps to purify the Church of the offence charged, beyond taking evidence to prove that offence, and had such a construction of the Book been generally accepted, it ought to have weight in answer to this Overture. But there is no evidence that any such judicial construction has been generally given to the language of the book. Undoubtedly there have been differences of opinion, and, possibly, it may have been decided in some judicatory, that jurisdiction over an offence charged is necessarily suspended, whenever an accused person disobeys the citations; but this is of little value in determining what the framers of the Book of Discipline meant by its directions respecting process, trial, and judgment. It is much more important that, in certain cases, where the proof is clear, as where the accused has confessed his guilt, or where he has been convicted of violating the civil law and has absconded, Church Sessions have been accustomed to proceed to trial and judgment, notwithstanding a refusal of the accused to appear in answer to citations. Such cases are judicial assertions of power, never denied, so far as we are informed.

But there is not enough in judicial decision nor in authoritative usage to settle the question. After all, it must be answered from the Book; and the true inquiry is, what is the fair interpretation of the rules laid down in the fourth chapter. A universally recognized rule of construction is, that, when the purpose of a statute is clear, the means given for effectuating it are to be in-

terpreted with reference to the purpose, and, if possible, so as *to* secure its accomplishment. Now the ends of discipline are clearly defined. They are declared, by the second section of the first chapter, to be "the removal of offences, the vindication of the honor of Christ, the promotion of the purity and general edification of the Church, and also the benefit of the offender himself." The fourth chapter contains the directions given to Church judicatories, by which these ends are to be secured. Manifestly, they were intended to be a complete and efficient system adequate to the purposes in view. If they fail of that, the avowed object of their framers is defeated. Then there is no power to remove an offence in any case where the alleged offender refuses to submit himself to trial. Plainly, it is the offence charged which is sought to be removed, either by bringing the offender to repentance, or by the judgment of the Church upon it, and ultimately, if necessary, removing the offender. It is from that offence the Church is to be purified, and the honor of Christ vindicated, for by that offence the evil has been done. Any thing that comes short of discipline for that, fails of accomplishing the avowed purposes, for which the directions of the fourth chapter were prescribed. Contumacious disobedience of citations is another distinct offence, punishment for which is entirely collateral to discipline for the cause that induced the commencement of the process. It is contempt of the lawful authority of the Church, and suspension for it is summary punishment for the collateral offence alone. Neither directly nor indirectly is it an expression of opinion, respecting the delinquent's guilt or innocence of the charge preferred originally against him. Suspension for contumacy would be proper, without regard to any thing beyond it. It is quite conceivable that an accused person may wilfully disobey citations, and yet be innocent of the charges made against him. It certainly would be an anomaly in any judicial proceeding to hold, that a penalty inflicted for a collateral offence vindicates the law against another and possibly much greater crime.

If, therefore, the defined ends of discipline are to be secured, a Church Session must have power to proceed to trial and judgment, though the accused person refuse to obey the citations duly served upon him; and it is not to be concluded without the evidence, that means given to secure those ends are inadequate. When the meaning of the language used in the fourth chapter is sought, the best guide to it will be found in the paramount intention the language was designed to subserve. The directions given must be construed consistently with that intention, to further rather than to defeat it. Looking then to the sections of the fourth chapter, and regarding them as part of a system designed for the purposes above mentioned, to be interpreted so as to harmonize with those purposes as well as with each other, the conclusion seems inevitable that, whenever an accusation has been made against a church member, and a church judicatory has proceeded judicially upon its consideration, and obtained jurisdic-

by service of citations upon him, it may go on to final judgment, though he refuses to obey the citations. It is observable that the entire fourth chapter is but an outline of process. It does not undertake to prescribe minutely each step that may be taken. It does not even expressly authorize a judicatory to proceed to trial in any case. It rather assumes that, having taken judicial cognizance of the proceeding, the tribunal will go to trial and judgment. Like a writ of summons in a civil court, the citation is notice that the judicatory has assumed jurisdiction of the case, and that it will proceed to its final determination. When that notice has been given, as prescribed, it is contemplated rather than expressly required, that witnesses will be examined; that a trial will be proceeded with, and that a judgment will be given. All these things are implied from what is directed respecting them. They are not affirmatively enjoined, or even permitted. Thus it is said, "witnesses shall be examined in the presence of the accused, or at least after he shall have received a citation to attend," and that he shall be permitted to ask any questions tending to his exculpation. This is a regulation of the mode of examination, not a direct gift of power to take testimony, yet the implication of power is irresistible. The fourteenth section prescribes certain things before proceeding to trial; and the fifteenth declares that the trial shall be fair and impartial; but nowhere is it said there shall be a trial. The sixteenth section requires the judgment to be regularly entered on the record; but no section in words authorizes a judgment. Everywhere it is assumed that these successive steps in a judicial proceeding may be taken. It would be a rash conclusion from the absence of a specific grant of these powers to deny any right to take testimony, to try, and to give judgment. The powers are not only to be implied, but they are comprehensively given by the general provision of the first section, that "the judicatory shall *judicially* take the offence into consideration, when all other means of removing it have failed;" and they are included also in the directions to issue citations. Nor is there any substantial distinction made, between cases in which the accused yields obedience to the citations and those in which he is contumaciously disobedient. The thirteenth section is the only one that is supposed to make a difference. By that a second citation is required, to be accompanied with a notice, that, if the person cited do not appear at the time appointed, the judicatory, "besides censuring him for his contumacy, will, after assigning some person to manage his defence, proceed to take the testimony in his case, as if he were present." It has sometimes been asked, if it was intended that the judicatory might proceed in such a case to final judgment, Why was not notice required that they would thus proceed? Why limit the notice to taking testimony? These questions are easily answered. A notice that the judicatory will proceed to trial and decision would be unnecessary and superfluous. It has already been given in the assumption of jurisdiction over the

case and in the citations; but notice of taking testimony is a dif[illegible]f-
ferent matter. Separate notice of that is generally given in all [illegible]l
judicial proceedings. Its design is to give a party an opportunity [illegible]y
to cross-examine the witnesses produced against him. And, as [illegible]s
the judgment in all ecclesiastical Courts must be founded upon [illegible]n
evidence, as a judgment for default of appearance is not author[illegible]r-
ized, it is proper that the accused should have special notice o[illegible]f
taking the testimony, though he may refuse to appear in answer [illegible]r
to the citation. In fact, however, notice that the testimony wil[illegible]l
be taken is notice that the judicatory will go on with the trial ;
for taking testimony is a part of trial, its first stage. Undue in[illegible]-
ferences are therefore drawn from the form of the notice, if it i[illegible]s
supposed to indicate that the proceedings are to stay, when th[illegible]e
testimony shall have been taken. At most, it raises but a ver[illegible]y
feeble implication that, because notice of one thing is require[illegible],
(a thing very peculiar in itself, and always demanding a speci[illegible]l
notice,) therefore nothing else can be done. A similar mode [illegible]f
reasoning would render a trial in any case impossible.

Moreover, the thirteenth section affords strong affirmative ev[illegible]i-
dence, that a trial and judgment were contemplated by its framer[illegible]s,
notwithstanding the refusal of the accused to obey the citation[illegible]s.
The evidence is found in the notice that the judicatory will a[illegible]s-
sign some person, not to appear for the accused at the examin[illegible]a-
tion of witnesses, but to "*manage his defence.*" The idea of de[illegible]e-
fence in a judicial proceeding is inseparable from answer or tria[illegible]l.
If, therefore, the non-appearing accused has a defence to be man[illegible]n-
aged, he has an answer to be put in, a trial to undergo. Takin[illegible]g
testimony in support of the accusation is no part of the defence[illegible]e.
Cross-examination of the witnesses may be a part, but the ap[illegible]-
pointee of the judicatory is to manage the whole.

It may also be argued that the provision for taking testimon[illegible]y
at all, when an accused person fails to respond to the citation[illegible],
implies that the case may proceed to a final determination. Fo[illegible]
what purpose take testimony, if no action is to be based upon it[illegible]?
If it be said, to preserve it for use when the accused, repenting[illegible]
of his contumacy, may choose to appear for trial, it may be an-
swered, that no such purpose appears in the Book. None of the
provisions usual, when the object sought to be accomplished is
the perpetuation of testimony, are even hinted at. By the six-
teenth section, the judgment is required to be entered upon the
records of the judicatory, but nothing is said of the preservation
of unused evidence. It is not even required to be reduced to
writing, unless demanded by one of the parties.

It may also be argued from the language of the fourteenth sec-
tion, that a trial for the offence charged is intended, though the
citations have been disobeyed. In that section, it is said, that
judicatories, "before proceeding to trial," "ought to ascertain that
their citations have been duly served on the persons for whom
they were intended." If a person cited is in attendance, nothing
is to be ascertained respecting the service of the citation. It is

ain, therefore, that this injunction refers mainly, at least, to
oceeding to trial of an absent accused, and it assumes that the
licatory will, after having assured itself of the service of the
ations, go on to adjudicate the case. The section is susceptiı of no other meaning.

A similar implication is found in the next section, the fifteenth, ich declares that "the trial shall be fair and impartial," and at "the witnesses shall be examined in the presence of the acsed, *or, at least, after he shall have received due citation to atend.*" This is a regulation of the mode of trial, and it is exessly made applicable both to cases where the accused yields edience to the citation, and to cases where he does not. With ese harmonize the sixteenth section, which assumes that there ill be a judgment; and the seventeenth, nineteenth, and twenth sections, prescribing the discipline to be administered in the ent of conviction. The last of these directs excommunication certain cases. Its fair interpretation evidently is, that the ound of such extreme action is, not contumacy in disobeying ocess, but the gross offence charged, to answer for which the cused had been cited.

Taking all these sections into consideration, and regarding em as parts of one system, as having reference to the same subct-matter, and designed to secure the ends avowed, the Committee are constrained to regard them as applicable to the course proceeding through all the stages of trial, alike in cases where e accused does not appear in obedience to the citations, as when does. In both, the judicatory is empowered to proceed to ial and to final judgment.

To this conclusion an objection has sometimes been urged, that, first mention, seems to have some plausibility. It is, that trial a person in his absence, and the rendition of judgment against m, are in conflict with common right and justice; that even iminal courts in State governments do not try offenders in their sence, and that ecclesiastical courts ought to avoid *ex parte* roceedings. The objection aims less at the power of a judicary, as recognized by the Book of Discipline, than it does at the olicy of exercising it. But it misapprehends what are acknowdged common right and justice, what are the proceedings of ourts of law and equity in analogous cases, and what are *ex arte* proceedings. Nowhere is it held, that a man may not deny imself his plainest rights. While he may not be tried for an lleged offence without having an opportunity to be heard, he as no just cause to complain of a trial to which he has been ummoned by a tribunal having jurisdiction, and which he has ersistently refused to attend. In such a case, it is he who throws way his own rights. They are not taken from him. This is a rinciple universally recognized in courts of civil law and of quity, and such courts go further. They construe a refusal to bey process requiring an appearance, as a substantial confession f the complaint, and they render judgment accordingly. It is

true, State courts, having criminal jurisdiction, do not try persons for crimes and misdemeanors in their absence. This is for two reasons. They have power to compel attendance, which ecclesiastical courts have not; and the punishments they inflict affect the life, the liberty, or the property of the convicted criminal. In fact, they concern the life or the liberty of the accused; for even if the penalty be only a fine, its payment is usually enforced by detention in custody until satisfaction be made. But ecclesiastical tribunals can pronounce no judgment that touches either the life, the liberty, or the property of the accused. Their sentences are peculiar. Indeed, it is asserting a false analogy to assimilate a trial before a Church Session to an indictment and trial in a criminal court. It bears a much stronger resemblance to proceedings very common in courts of law, in which members of associations or corporations are called upon to respond for some alleged breach of corporate duty, for which they are liable to be punished by the imposition of penalties or by a motion from membership. In such cases, when the person summoned refuses to obey the mandate of the writ, courts proceed at once to dispose of his case and render final judgment. No one ever supposed that by so doing injustice was done; or that any right of the accused was invaded. Much less can he complain, who has been cited to answer an accusation taken into judicial cognizance by a church judicatory, and who has contumaciously refused to obey the citation, if the tribunal proceed to try the case, presuming nothing against him but contumacy from his refusal, but founding its judgment solely upon the testimony of witnesses. This objection, therefore, when examined, appears to be without substance.

In conclusion, it remains only to recommend, as the opinion of the Committee, that the Overture be answered by a declaration of the Assembly, that in the case proposed, the judicatory may proceed to trial and final judgment, as if the accused were present.

The Committee of Conference on Reunion with the General Assembly, now in session at the Second Presbyterian Church in this city, were authorized to fill any vacancies that may occur in their number.

The following preamble and resolution were adopted:

Whereas, Mr. Joseph M. Wilson, of Philadelphia, has for some time been engaged in collecting information regarding the history of Presbyterian churches, to be published in his Presbyterian Historical Almanac; therefore,

Resolved, That the Ministers and Elders of the churches under the care of this General Assembly be earnestly requested to cooperate with Mr. Wilson in his valuable labors in behalf of the Church.

A communication was read from the Rev. Elbert S. Port-

D.D., the Delegate from the General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America.

A report was received from the Rev. Grosvenor W. Heacock, D.D., one of the Delegates to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church that met, in 1865, at Pittsburgh, Pa., which was accepted, and ordered to be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes.

The Standing Committee to nominate Delegates to Corresponding Bodies presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

1. The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, that met this year at the Second Presbyterian Church of St. Louis, Mo.: Rev. Edward D. Morris, D.D., of the Presbytery of Franklin, and Edward D. Mansfield, LL.D., of the Presbytery of Cincinnati, Principals; and Rev. E. Perkins Pratt, D.D., of the Presbytery of Scioto, and Franklin V. Chamberlain, of the Presbytery of Cincinnati, Alternates.

2. The General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church: Rev. Henry Little, of the Presbytery of Madison, Principal; and Rev. Joseph Chester, of the Presbytery of Cincinnati, Alternate.

3. The General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America: Rev. Henry L. Hitchcock, D.D., of the Presbytery of Cleveland and Portage, Principal; and Rev. Richard Craighead, of the Presbytery of Meadville, Alternate.

4. The General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America: Rev. Joel Parker, D.D., of the Presbytery of Newark, Principal; and Rev. Alfred E. Campbell, D.D., of the Presbytery of New-York, Third, Alternate.

5. The General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America: Rev. Elias J. Richards, of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Fourth, Principal; and Rev. Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D., of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Fourth, Alternate.

6. The General Convention of the Congregational Churches of Maine: Rev. Stephen Bush, of the Presbytery of Albany, Principal; and Rev. A. Bordman Lambert, D.D., of the Presbytery of Troy, Alternate.

7. The General Convention of Vermont: Rev. Jonathan H. Noble, of the Presbytery of Troy, Principal; and Rev. Edwin A. Bulkley, of the Presbytery of Champlain, Alternate.

8. The General Association of New-Hampshire: Rev. D. Howe Allen, D.D., of the Presbytery of Cincinnati, Principal; and Rev. Abbott E. Kittredge, of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, Alternate.

9. The General Association of Massachusetts: Rev. Francis S. McCabe, of the Presbytery of Logansport, Principal; and Rev. Henry M. Field, D.D., of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, Alternate.

10. The General Association of Connecticut: Rev. Conway P.

Wing, D.D., of the Presbytery of Harrisburgh, Principal; and Rev. T. Ralston Smith, of the Presbytery of New-York, Third, Alternate.

11. The Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin: Rev. George I. King, D.D., of the Presbytery of Schuyler, Principal; and Rev. Edward A. Pierce, of the Presbytery of Chicago, Alternate.

12. The Union of Evangelical Churches of France: Rev. Azariah Eldridge, D.D., of the Presbytery of Detroit.

The Committee on the Narrative presented their report, which was adopted, and ordered to be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes of this Assembly.

Adjourned until 8 o'clock this evening.
Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 28th, 8 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.
It was

Resolved, That this General Assembly take peculiar pleasure in here publicly recording their warmest gratitude for the large and generous provision made for their comfort and enjoyment by the people of St. Louis, in circumstances of great difficulty, owing to the unexpected presence of so many delegates from other religious bodies as their guests. That we specially tender sincere thanks to the Committee of Arrangements, the honored Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church and his excellent people for their thoughtful regard and provident arrangements for all our sessions, and their kind and persistent efforts to make their homes our own during our stay: Also to the President of the Iron Mountain Railroad Company, for the pleasant excursion to Pilot Knob, and his personal attentions on that occasion; to the Mercantile Library Association, to the President of the Public School Library Society, to the President of the City University, and to the Directors of the Girls' Industrial School, for invitations to visit these respective institutions; to the Superintendent of Public Schools, for copies of the last report; to the St. Louis Transfer Company, for the generous offer of their omnibuses; to the four Boat Companies who have furnished dinners, from day to day, to many of our members from a distance; to the several Railroad Companies who have granted the Commissioners a reduced fare over their roads; to the press of St. Louis, and especially the *Missouri Daily Democrat*, for faithful reports, and a full report of our proceedings in pamphlet; and also, to our beloved and excellent Moderator, for the promptness with which he has

cheerfully, ably, and impartially presided over our deliberaons; and, as we say farewell to the people with whom it has en our delightful privilege to mingle in heavenly places in hrist Jesus,

Resolved, That it is in all our hearts to pray constantly that race, mercy, and peace from our common Lord may ever remain ith them.

Resolved, That it is inexpedient, during the sessions of this ssembly, to elect Trustees of the General Assembly, and Directrs of the Theological Seminaries.

Resolved, That the Minutes of the Assembly, with the usual ppendix, and the Reports of the Treasurers of the Permanent ommittees, be printed under the direction of the Stated Clerk.

The Janitor's bill, the bills for stationery and printing, the raveling expenses of the Delegates to Foreign Bodies, and the alaries and traveling expenses of the Stated and Permanent lerks, were ordered to be paid.

The roll was called, and the following persons were found to e absent without leave: Rev. Messrs. Joseph A. Ranney, Ebenzer Buckingham, George C. Noyes, George O. Little, and John . Cunningham; and Messrs. Luther Edgerton, Lewis Martin, oshua Moore, Manley Rogers, Edwin S. Wells, and Horatio ewhall, M.D.

The minutes of the last session and of this session were read id approved.

The business of the Assembly having been completed, and the ote taken for the dissolution of the Assembly, the Moderator, ith prayer, and the apostolic benediction, declared the Assemly dissolved, and required another Assembly, chosen in the same anner, to meet at the BRICK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH of the city f ROCHESTER, N. Y., on the third Thursday of May, A.D. 1867.

J. GLENTWORTH BUTLER,

Permanent Clerk.

APPENDIX.

I Annual Narrative

OF THE

STATE OF RELIGION

WITHIN THE BOUNDS OF THE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

IN THE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

MAY, 1866.

EIGHTY-NINE of the one hundred and nine Presbyteries on our roll have forwarded their annual reports of the state of religion for examination. It would hardly be possible to find stronger proofs or happier illustrations of God's faithfulness to his covenant people, than are found in these reports.

The condition of our Church at the beginning of the year was eminently prosperous. It had gathered strength from the trials of the "perilous times" just passed; confidence from the final victory of those great principles of equity, in the advocacy of which it had taken a high and distinctive position among sister churches; and encouragement from signal tokens of divine favor in every sphere of its activity. All the agencies of its organic life and growth were in complete order and active employment. Better than all, the spiritual life, by which its union with Christ is maintained, and from which it derives all its divine power, was pervading its members and prompting them to greater zeal and diligence in their Master's work. Revivals of religion had been remarkably prevalent. One hundred and thirteen churches were reported to have enjoyed them during the previous year. These proofs of God's favor for the churches had awakened an expectation of greater favor, and had stirred them with desire for larger measures of his gracious influence in aid of their efforts for the conversion of souls. The "Narratives" of that time show this very clearly. In one, these words occur: "*Our churches are anxiously looking for those Pentecostal seasons which shall result in the conversion of the world.*" And again, in another: "*Some are expecting a more copious outpouring of God's Spirit than has been enjoyed for the last thirty years.*"

These feelings were more fully reflected by the last General Assembly. It was called "the *praying Assembly.*" Its example has been followed, through all the year, by the churches whose faith found utterance in its prayers.

THE PRAYERFULNESS OF THE CHURCHES

is the first noticeable peculiarity of all their reports. The patriotism, which once prayed for victories of arms, has plead for those greater victories of divine mercy in turning the nation to righteousness, without which it must yet be lost. Love for Zion has plead for its enlargement, as no less to the glory of its King than to the national welfare. Parental love has prayed for the conversion of youth surrounded by the terrible perils of abounding wickedness. In short, all the public sympathies, personal interests, and religious affections of Christians have seemed alike to centre in supplication for a greater reviving than the churches of this country have ever experienced.

This so universal and earnest prayer has been answered in

A GREAT OUTPOURING OF GOD'S SPIRIT.

The number of Narratives which do not speak of this gracious visitation is very small. Two hundred and fourteen revivals are specially mentioned. The blessing is so generally shared by the churches in some Presbyteries, that all are massed together in the Narratives as "greatly revived," and no mention is made of any one in particular—a fault of the Narratives readily pardoned when there is such a cause for it. The few Presbyteries not visited by the Spirit are earnestly inquiring, "Why are *we* passed by?" a marked indication of the general prosperity with which their own condition is contrasted, and yet a promising omen of a better future.

The *power* and *depth* of the revivals have varied much, as in the history of revivals generally. The Presbytery of Cayuga says: "The work in Auburn has been more powerful than any previous work since 1833." Several other Presbyteries speak of the work as "more powerful than has been witnessed for many years." On the other hand, a larger number speak of having received "gentle dews" and "showers," instead of "copious rains." The extensiveness of the Spirit's influence, rather than the intensity of its manifestations, is noticeable in all the reports.

The *subjects* of the work have been mainly youth between twelve and twenty. The Presbytery of Bloomington says of the work in Bloomington: "Most of the young people have been converted." Many of the Presbyteries speak of their revivals as having "commenced in the Sabbath-school." Rarely, however, have they been confined to Sabbath-schools. The Presbytery of Chemung says of the revival in Elmira: "Hundreds of children, and youth, and *full aged men and women* were converted." The same statements, in substance, are made respecting the revivals in Brooklyn, Auburn, Cleveland, Springfield, Ill., Peoria, and numerous other places. In some places none but adults have been converted. Special mention is made in the Narratives of some of our Western colleges. Many young men have been converted in Knox and Western Reserve colleges, who will devote themselves to the ministry.

The *chief agencies* of the work have been "the ordinary means of grace." The Narratives are quite definite on this point, of which this one may serve for an example: "*These* revivals have originated in the ordinary means of grace—earnest prayer and the preaching of the Gospel of Christ—and have been attended with no special excitement." One Evangelist is mentioned in the Narratives—Rev. E. P. Hammond, of the Presbytery of New-York, Third—whose labors are spoken of with gratitude as very abundant and fruitful. The special *process of conversion* peculiar to these revivals is well stated by the Presbytery of Chemung: "Salvation through Jesus Christ was proclaimed; men heard; the Holy Spirit moved them;

they received the truth; they repented of their sins; and turned in simple faith to Christ."

A *marked feature* of all the revivals is, that they have been most fruitful in churches under the care of settled pastors.

The *ingathering* is yet going forward; therefore, it is impossible to state the number of conversions. The language of the Narratives as to this is uniform: "The results of this precious work cannot be measured by us." Indeed, but few Presbyteries state the number of additions to the churches. The "statistical reports" of six Presbyteries give an aggregate of ten hundred and forty-eight additions by profession. A number of churches have doubled their membership; several have received over two hundred, on profession of faith, since their revivals began.

WILL THE WORK CONTINUE?

The eye of faith can see many promising omens of its continuance. "The cloud of mercy" yet hangs above all our churches, and those which continue to *ask* its refreshing influences continue to *receive* them. In some places earnest Christians—veterans in Christ's service, in common with young converts—are attempting to reach the masses outside all the circles of sanctuary influence and Christian society; and this attempt to spread the Gospel leaven is attended with no little success. Such a combination of work with prayer is sure to secure the continuance of the revival.

HOME MISSIONS.

The organic life of our Church, though healthy and vigorous before this era of revivals, has manifestly received an unusual quickening from them. Not only is there great activity in the administrative and executive departments of our Home Missionary enterprise, but also a positive development of Gospel life and power, through that activity, which is appearing in the best fruits of practical evangelism. Three thousand five hundred conversions are reported by our Home Missionaries. Fifty churches have been organized, and many old churches which were nearly dead have been resuscitated. In Missouri there seems to be nothing wanting to multiply such fruits a thousandfold, but ministers to preach the Gospel, and sanctuaries within which to gather not only the converts made, but large numbers of Christian kindred, who are already waiting for our Church to provide them Sabbath-homes.

But with all the increasing growth of our Church through its own distinct agencies, there is still the kindliest feeling toward other denominations of like "precious faith." There is noticeable in the Narratives, moreover, a strong desire for a

RE-UNION WITH THE OTHER BRANCH,

as soon as Providence may prepare the way for it. This desire is thus distinctly declared by one of the Eastern Presbyteries: "We now greatly and unanimously desire union with the Other Branch of the Presbyterian Church." The argument used by this Presbytery for reünion is, that *it occupies the same field and bears the same name with an O. S. Presbytery*, and that the two could work together much more effectively for Christ's kingdom than they are now doing in separate organizations.

THE POWER OF THE CHURCH IN MORAL REFORMS.

One of the best evidences of the genuineness of the revivals now in prog-

e fact, that nearly every Presbytery which speaks of enjoying
tions also a decrease of the common vices of society—of "Intem-
especially.
eworthy that the few Presbyteries, which mourn the absence of
it and their own spiritual declension, speak the most discourag-
ıe prevalence of these vices. One of the Eastern Presbyteries
has not been a year of revivals. * * * Intemperance is doing
work the length and breadth of our extended field. The pulpit,
does not appear to have spoken out upon the subject, and the
m willing to have it so."
ually deserving of mention, on the other hand, that in some
ere the Spirit of God has been poured out the most abundantly,
)f revival began in an open and bold attack of all the most prom-
; of society. Not only was repentance preached, but the sins
ıt of which men must repent. The La Fayette Avenue Church
'n furnishes a notable instance of this kind. Its revival began
earnest temperance movement." Large and influential public
were held, and many took the pledge of total abstinence from in-
drinks.
this as an example of the work of our revivals generally, it must
ıch has been done by them for purifying society, and that more
:omplished by them as that work advances.

SABBATH-SCHOOLS

)ned in all the Narratives as in a very flourishing condition.
)n Schools maintained in our cities and large towns are attract-
attention, as opening the most direct avenues for reaching the
ed masses; and, also, as laying foundations for future churches
ınt localities.

EFFORTS FOR THE FREEDMEN.

:sbyteries in East-Tennessee are the only ones which are in *direct*
th any considerable number of this large and important class.
sbyteries report the organization of churches and of Sabbath-
r their especial benefit, which are said to be in a good condition.
hes have generally contributed for their relief and religious cul-
ıgh the various "commissions" which are caring for them, and
ıue to do so until some systematic beneficence of their own can
ted.

THE BENEVOLENCE OF THE CHURCH

by the Narratives, to be somewhat on the increase. The aggre-
ntributions to its own treasuries is larger than during any pre-
r. Yet the standard of giving is below the real ability of the
s a whole, and is still further below the demands of its great and
increasing work.
iceable in the Statistical Reports, that some of the Presbyteries
the least wealthy, rank the highest in liberality. One of this
ch has but two strong churches on its roll, has given for Home
luring the year an average of eighty-seven cents a member. If
urches had given on the same scale, the Assembly's Home Mis-
mittee would have received $124,971.15, instead of the "less
000" actually paid in, and would have been out of debt.
ıounts given for "Foreign Missions," and for Education for the

Ministry, are equally below what ought to have been contributed. The true principle of contributing to the Church is that upon which we act in providing for our families, namely, to furnish supplies *above* actual wants, rather than *below* them.

OUTWARD PROSPERITY.

Frequent mention is made, in the Narratives, of "large and increasing congregations," of "the building of new sanctuaries," of "high social position," of "the payment of church debts," of "increasing the salaries of pastors," and of many other like things, which indicate a high degree of outward prosperity, and promise a rapid growth of the churches generally.

The only exceptions to be found show themselves where, of necessity, they must exist—in the new missionary fields, where the foundations of Zion are just being laid, and in the missionary fields of the extreme East, from which emigration is constantly bearing away much of the consecrated wealth and talent of the churches. The wants of the first are mentioned in every Narrative from frontier States. Presbyteries in Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Wisconsin, and Minnesota, speak alike of the lack of means to build churches as the great drawback to their prosperity. Their testimony is, that unless this lack be supplied, the missionary labor of our Church must finally fail of the best fruits desired and expected from it. But they anticipate that it will be supplied, and there are now many signs that this anticipation will be realized. The demands that they make are not to supply the losses of *defeat*, but to improve the advantages of *victory*. Those advantages will be seen by the liberal-hearted who love our Zion; and they will supply means by which such an improvement of them may be made, as will insure greater victories still.

SUMMARY.

Looking at the condition of our Church from either a worldly or a religious stand-point, its prosperity appears greater than at any previous period. Its standing and influence as a Christian Power in the land are acknowledged. All its agencies of growth and usefulness are now, or soon will be, in complete order and successful operation. All the omens of increasing eminence attend its labors. The smiles of Divine Providence rest upon it. Best of all, the Spirit of God dwells in its midst, revealing His purpose to be more gracious in the future than even in the near past. The thoughtful in all the churches so interpret His dealings with them, and are praying that His glory may be displayed to all in the land, as the Redeemer of souls. He will not disappoint them.

DELINQUENT PRESBYTERIES.

The following Presbyteries have failed to send their Narratives to the Assembly: Cortland, Ithaca, Cincinnati, Ripley, Wabash, Ottawa, Fox River, Iowa City, Kansas, Kingston, Holston, San Francisco, San José Sierra Nevada, and Washoe.

DECEASE OF MINISTERS.

owing thirty-five Ministers have died during the year:

ıE.	AGE.	DATE.	PLACE.	PRESBYTERY.
A.,	52	Dec. 6, 1865,	Apalachin, N. Y.,	Tioga.
lmes, D.D.,	61	Oct. 12, 1865,	Peekskill, N. Y.,	New-York, Fourth.
man,	84	July 27, 1865,	Cicero, N. Y.,	Onondaga.
,	77	Feb. 4, 1866,	Clinton, N. Y.,	Utica.
l M.,	41	Aug. 19, 1865,	Marsovan, W. Asia,	Newark.
ıuel,	53	May 7, 1866,	Ontario, Ind.,	St. Joseph.
ırds,	40	April 3, 1866,	Geneseo, Ill.,	New-York, Fourth.
am,	..	Oct. 26, 1865,	Throop, N. Y.,	Cayuga.
r	..	Sept. 1865,	South-Easton, N. Y.,	Troy.
t.,	..	May 25, 1865,	Rochester, N. Y.,	Cayuga.
s,	52	Feb. 19, 1866,	Walnut Hills, O.,	Cincinnati.
ster,	61	Sept. 21, 1865,	Newark, N. Y.,	Lyons.
os D.,	64	Oct. 20, 1865,	Washington, D. C.,	District of Columbia.
l D.,	62	June 11, 1865,	Chatfield, Minn.,	Winona.
D.D.,	65	Feb. 11, 1866,	Kalamazoo, Mich.,	Kalamazoo.
ren,	62	May 11, 1866,	Columbus, O.,	Franklin.
on,	51	Nov. 27, 1865,	Rolla, Mo.,	St. Louis.
on,	66	Oct. 10, 1865,	Augusta, Ill.,	Schuyler.
	60	Jan. 28, 1866,	Mantua, O.,	Cleveland & Portage.
.,	64	July 10, 1865,	Marshalltown, Io.,	Cedar Rapids.
m,	74	Oct. 23, 1865,	River Head, L. I., N. Y.,	Long Island.
	..	Nov. 9, 1865,	Mahasha Co., Io.,	Chariton.
Wisner,	27	Oct. 16, 1865,	Brooklyn, N. Y.,	San José.
er B.,	38	Aug. 26, 1865,	Smyrna, W. Asia,	Watertown.
el,	87	Mar. 21, 1866,	Ithaca, N. Y.,	Ithaca.
A.,	38	Sept. 3, 1865,	Oroomiah, Persia,	Holston.
. Clark,	43	Sept. 30, 1865,	Ossian, N. Y.,	Genesee Valley.
L.,	55	Aug. 20, 1865,	Elmira, N. Y.,	Wellsboro'.
ses,	50	Sept. 2, 1865,	Mt. Pleasant, Io.,	Cedar Rapids.
C.,	68	Dec. 10, 1865,	Byfield, Mass.,	Troy.
W.,	60	Sept. 12, 1865,	Brooklyn, E. D., N. Y.,	Utica.
ll,	..	Oct. 20, 1865,	Welshfield, O.	Cortland.
	79	Jan. 6, 1866,	Jersey, O.,	Pataskala.
l L.,	50	April 16, 1866,	Madison, N. J.,	Newark.
			Holland, Wis.,	Milwaukee.

r of the General Assembly,

SAMUEL M. HOPKINS, *Moderator.*

F. HATFIELD, *Stated Clerk.*

II. Correspondence.

I. LETTER FROM THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE FREE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND,

To the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, N. S.

Dear Christian Brethren: We take advantage of the meeting of our General Assembly, at present convened, to greet you cordially in the name of the Lord. We feel constrained to do so in consequence of the singularly momentous character of recent events in your country, and of their mighty influence on your respective churches. It may be premature to say much, as the echoes of war have scarce yet died away, and the future may be, in other ways, as eventful as these four years of conflict; but, without anticipating Providence, we have a plain Christian duty to discharge, in consequence of what falls already within the province of history.

God has assuredly been speaking to your country by terrible things in righteousness. The ploughshare of war has gone deep into the soul of your people. You have been long familiar with scenes of bloodshed, such as the world never saw before, and we pray God, if consistent with His holy will, it may never witness again. But, even in this respect, good has come out of evil; for the agony and ruin of war have opened up to you many new fields of Christian philanthropy. We refer in particular to the work of your "Christian Commission," with its rich provision for the temporal and spiritual wants of your soldiers and sailors; and we hope that all churches shall profit by this noble exhibition of Christian love in a singularly arduous and self-sacrificing sphere of labor.

We have special pleasure in referring to the sympathy lately awakened on behalf of America among all classes in Britain, by the assassination of your great and good President, and we adore the Most High, who has thus turned one of the blackest crimes of our age into a means of softening down asperities of feeling, of correcting grave misunderstandings, of fusing the hearts of nations in love, above all, of calling forth in full measure the prayers of Christ's people on this side of the Atlantic on behalf of your sorely stricken land. We rejoice that your country is to have rest from war, and that the restoration of peace is to be followed by the abolition of Slavery. No words could better express our views than those of your lamented President, written in April, 1864: "I claim not to have controlled events, but confess plainly that events have controlled me. Now, at the end of three years' struggle, the nation's condition is not what either party or any man devised or expected. God alone can claim it. Whither it is tending seems plain. If God now wills the removal of a great wrong, and wills also that we of the North, as well as you of the South, shall pay fairly for our complicity in that wrong, impartial history will find there in

causes to attest and revere the justice and goodness of God." The
gence of sentiment and action formerly existing between you and us
o this question thus ceases, and we give the glory to Him, who is
eous in all His ways and holy in all His works. As there is really
ing now to prevent a complete and cordial understanding between the
ish and the American Churches, we take the earliest possible opportu-
of giving utterance to this conviction and desire of our hearts. Our
ers shall rise with yours to the throne of grace, in asking, for your
rs and your people, all heavenly wisdom in dealing with one of the
htiest social problems ever presented to any country for solution. We
l watch with the liveliest interest the future history of the negro race
in your borders; and you have our best wishes for the success of every
me bearing on their temporal or spiritual welfare. We are by no
is forgetful of our former share of National guilt as to negro Slavery,
it would ill become us to judge you harshly or unadvisedly. But, it
ght and proper that we should encourage you by our British expe-
e—for the abolition of Slavery in our West-India Islands removed a
stumbling-block out of our path—it led to a marked quickening of
ublic conscience—it gave our country a far higher Christian place
ig the nations, and it enabled all the churches to proclaim with full-
and sincerity the gospel of salvation through Him who came to undo
eavy burdens and to break every yoke. We have no doubt that your
ches will be ready to follow where Providence now points the way.

the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland, we have every
to reciprocate sentiments of brotherly kindness and charity toward
bers of the same Presbyterian family with ourselves. We must all
he necessity for closer fellowship between churches that have a com-
language, a common ancestry, a common faith. Presbyterianism
l thereby become vastly more influential for good. It would bulk
largely in the eye of Christendom, and every section of our ecclesi-
l commonwealth would get enlargement of heart, by partaking of the
ge of truth and grace common to all. We beg to add that the great-
dvantage would follow from the occasional visits of accredited depu-
rom your churches to us, and from us to you. We have much to
from your varied schemes of Christian usefulness in dealing with a
of society so different from ours; and we know from the testimony
. Duff and many others, that in the field of heathenism there are no
onaries of more truly Apostolic spirit than those sent forth by the
hes of America. You on your part might also find it not unprofit-
o study the working of Presbyterianism in Scotland, fragrant as our
ed country is with the memories of the martyrs, and earnestly con-
ng, as it still does, for the faith once delivered to the saints. We
not forget, however, that there are other churches beyond the circle
esbyterianism, with which we desire to cultivate a spirit of concord, and
the field of whose experience we seek to gather like precious fruit. Let
ovoke one another to love and to good works. Let us strive, as in the
o prevent at any subsequent time the possibility of estrangement be-
n our respective nations. Let us pray that the same blessed Spirit,
d down so largely on your land during the period of your revival,
become the living bond of unity and peace between us. And let us
realize the solemn fact that, humanly speaking, the Christian interests
e world hang mainly on the efforts put forth by Christ's people in
t Britain and America.

nd now, dear brethren, we beseech the God of all grace to overrule
shakings of the nations for the upbuilding of that kingdom which
ot be moved; and we affectionately commend you to Him who will

give strength to His people, and who will bless His people with peace For of Him, and through Him, and to Him, are all things—to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

Signed in name and by authority of the Free Church of Scotland, at Edinburgh, the 30th day of May, in the year 1865, by

JAMES BEGG, D.D.,
Moderator of the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland.

II. THE REPORTS OF DELEGATES.

I. To the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, that met at Pittsburgh, Pa., May, 1865.

Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., S. C., Gen. Assembly, Pres. Church:

Rev. and Dear Brother: Agreeably to my appointment by the General Assembly, and in company with my esteemed friend and fellow townsman, Horace Stillman, Esq., of Buffalo, the lay Delegate, I attended the meeting of the General Assembly which convened at Pittsburgh in 1865.

We were interested to observe that, notwithstanding the defection of the rebellious South, this vigorous branch of our great Presbyterian family gave scarcely any observable signs of weakness or depletion.

Upon the very face of the Assembly, inspired by that high predestinarian faith which they hold in common with us, there seemed to rest the calm of that sturdy energy which has endured, sometimes so bravely, sometimes so stolidly, which has done, sometimes so righteously, and sometimes so recklessly. Their numbers were but slightly diminished, while the revival among them of that true prophetic temper, the old spirit of witness-bearing against wrong or crime, either in church or state, was as if God had given them, for all they had lost by the guilty defection of their brethren, "beauty for ashes, the garment of praise for the spirit of heaviness."

This fresh awakening among them of the noble spirit of the confessors was a grateful token to us of the renewal of that supreme baptism of "the Holy Ghost and of fire," with which God has so often visited the Church of our fathers, and which has made it so mighty and honored in the earth.

On all these great questions, in respect to which the glory of Christ and the honor of his truth demand, at this day and in this land, clear and faithful testimony, these our brethren, though perhaps less prompt than some in reaching their position, occupy ground not a whit less decided, just, and honorable, than that of any other communion among us.

In declarations of unfaltering, patriotic, and Christian devotion to the Government and institutions of the country, they are now perhaps surpassed by none. In firm adherence to a righteous and consistent policy of ecclesiastical reconstruction their utterances are none the less clear, and are worthy of all priase.

May God defend them against that treasonable and reactionary spirit, some indications of which began to appear even in the sessions upon which we attended, which would recall these noble and righteous deliverances, turn to shame the glory which God has given to the standards which they blessed with their prayers, dishonor the patriot graves of more than a hundred battle-fields to which they sent their sons with earnest benedictions and in the name of God, and which seeks to sanctify a vanquished and atrocious treason by dragging its offensive corpse to the altars of re-

ligion, thereby enacting a crime which to the heart of patriotism is doubly execrable, and to that of piety little less than sacrilege.

The long silence of their highest judicatory as to the crime of American slavery has at last been broken.

"The voice of the Lord is powerful: the voice of the Lord is full of majesty." And in the terrors and thunders of this tremendous war that voice has wakened every ear.

We could not but give thanks to God for that religious earnestness, which seemed determined in its present devotion to the welfare of the freedman, to redress in some measure, the wrong of past indifference and neglect toward the slave.

As to our present and prospective relations as separate ecclesiastical organizations, though bearing the common name of a great and wide-spread communion, your Delegates believed, that the distinctive and now at least somewhat permanent and fixed characteristics of these two bodies could not be denied, and ought not to be ignored. And, while these need not, and ought not, to prevent the most cordial, courteous, and fraternal correspondence, that yet, that correspondence would be all the more sincere, helpful, and Christian, the more clearly and promptly our independent existence was recognized, and the permanency of those theological idiosyncracies which had separated us. A basis being thus laid for an honorable and Christian correspondence, we believe that such a measure will lead to mutual charity and consideration, helpfulness and coöperation in the work of sustaining the institutions of the Gospel in the thinly settled portions of our land, both bodies refusing to plant or uphold weak and rival local churches in the same community, but urging in the charity of the Gospel, and for the wider and more rapid extension of Christ's Kingdom in the land, that such feeble churches shall unite in one congregation. Such a policy as this does not, however, require nor presume as desirable the organic union of these two great ecclesiastical bodies. Believing that the *agitation* even of this question of organic union between these two bodies is only mistaken and mischievous, and that continually; and instructed by the significant silence of the body from which we were sent, we did not feel called upon to vex the peace of either communion by its introduction. In this spirit we bore to them your most sincere and Christian salutations, and accepted on your behalf their fraternal welcome.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

G. W. HEACOCK.

Auburn, May 19th, 1866.

II. To the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, Meeting at the Second Presbyterian Church of St. Louis, Mo., May, 1866.

I have the honor and pleasure to report, that I have presented to the General Assembly sitting at the Second Church, the commission with which I was honored by our General Assembly of last year, to convey to that body the fraternal salutations of our own.

I was received by the Moderator of that body, Rev. Dr. Stanton, with a degree of fraternal kindness quite remarkable. Both personally and officially, I was abundantly satisfied by the reception accorded to me; and I am sure, that the published report of Dr. Stanton's address will abundantly satisfy all my constituents.

I need not speak of the delightful meeting of the two Assemblies on a

subsequent evening, to the members of this Assembly, who were present; but may be permitted most thankfully to say that it seemed to me that the clock of Presbyterian history then struck, ringing in a new era of peace and love.

Most respectfully, H. A. NELSON.

Saint Louis, Mo., May 22d, 1865.

III. To the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

I had the honor of being commissioned by the Assembly of 1864 as their Delegate to attend the sessions of the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, meeting at Evansville, Ind., May, 1865.

In now making my report of the attention given to this honorable trust, I regret to have occasion to say that, being compelled by the exigency of impaired health to leave home and go abroad about the time of that Assembly, I was unable to attend in person. The Rev. Professor George E. Day, my Alternate in the same commission, was also called, in the interests of the Theological Seminary, which he was then serving, to leave for Europe before their meeting.

Under these circumstances I addressed their Moderator a letter advising him of the appointment of Delegates and inclosing our commission. I informed him of the inability of both of us to attend, and conveyed through him, to the body over which he was called to preside, the courteous salutations and the fraternal assurances of that branch of the great Presbyterian family which it was my privilege to represent.

I respectfully submit this statement to your venerable body,

JOHN G. ATTERBURY.

New-Albany, Ind., May 15th, 1866.

IV. To the General Convention of the Congregational Churches of Maine.

According to the appointment of the last General Assembly, the undersigned attended the Annual Meeting of the General Conference of Congregational churches of Maine, held at Portland, June 27th, 1866.

He sought to represent the spirit and aims of our Church at large; and the cordiality with which he was received clearly indicated the undiminished interest cherished by the members of that body in our branch of the Church.

The spiritual interest of the occasions, especially of prayer, upon which the body met in informal session, was much heightened by the fact that we met in the building made sacredly historic by the memory of the sainted Payson.

The main concern resting on the hearts and hands of the Eastern brethren seemed to be, the extraordinary need developed in the present exigency of Providence concerning the evangelization of our now redeemed land; and the energy and intelligence with which they addressed themselves to the task of providing, in their proportion, both men and means for the work, gave delightful promise of success, and were really worthy of the truest admiration and sympathy.

The response of the presiding officer to the greetings offered in the name

of the General Assembly and the country everywhere, extended to your Delegate for your sake, furnished pleasing assurance on the part of the churches of that remote State, of hearty confidence and esteem for your Body.

All which is respectfully submitted,

CHARLES S. ROBINSON.

Brooklyn, February 14th, 1866.

V. To the General Association of New-Hampshire.

Your Delegate has the honor to report that he attended the General Association of New-Hampshire, held at Newport in August last; that he was received with great cordiality both personally and representatively. His visit was all the more delightful for having been to a body of Christian men with whom he was individually acquainted and among whom he found some of his earliest and best friends.

The New-Hampshire pastors of the Congregational churches are generally men of culture, of generous spirit, and of ardent piety. Their fields of labor offer little to the promptings of worldly ambition—little to the hopes of becoming rich. The churches are constantly depleted by the spirit of enterprise which urges so many young families westward and into the large cities of the Eastern and Middle States. But those who remain have the consciousness that ministerial labor and Christian fidelity will, by perpetual emigration, diffuse their legitimate, salutary influence over the land.

Dartmouth College, which, although not sectarian, is mainly under Congregational care, enjoys unusual prosperity, to which the able and popular presidency of Rev. Asa D. Smith, D.D., largely contributes.

The Association expressed, with great heartiness, its Christian love toward us, and its desire to reciprocate our fraternal tokens. Many churches represented had been visited by the reviving power of the Divine Spirit during the year. One of the most encouraging features in the New-Hampshire churches is the fact, that from year to year many young men leave their farms and shops to study for the sacred ministry. These young men, in after years, appear in our cities and in mission fields as among the most efficient and eminent servants of the Church.

With great respect,

E. E. ADAMS.

East-Concord, N. H., May 1st, 1866.

VI. To the General Association of Massachusetts.

The undersigned, having been appointed by the General Assembly at Brooklyn last year Delegate to the General Association of Massachusetts, begs leave to present the following report:

In fulfilment of my commission I presented the Christian salutations of the Assembly to the Association above named, at Westfield, Mass., on the 27th of June last. I was received with every token and expression of Christian cordiality. I thought it appropriate to declare the deep interest of the Assembly in maintaining the distinctive doctrines of the Cross, in carrying forward every department of Christian work, and especially in putting forth renewed efforts to promote the unity, the enlightenment, and the evangelization of our whole country. To such sentiments the Moder-

ator replied, in behalf of the Association, in terms of earnest and cordi sympathy. I was charged to say, that the only rivalry which they wou attempt with us should be, to see whether Presbyterians or Congregatio alists would do most for the good of our common country and for the glo of our common Lord.

All which is respectfully submitted, DANIEL MARCH.

Philadelphia, May 7th, 1866.

VII. To the General Association of Connecticut.

The undersigned, appointed by the last General Assembly its Delega to the General Association of Connecticut, has the honor to report to th Assembly, that he performed the duty assigned him by attending the A nual meeting of said Association, held at New-Britain, Ct., on the 20t day of June last, and conveying to the brethren there gathered the salut tions and congratulations of the Assembly.

Your Delegate was received with great cordiality, and his expressions c Christian coöperative sympathy met with a warm response.

The numbers of the Association were few, owing to the fact that th General Convention of the Congregational Churches was then in session a Boston, Mass., and a large number of the Association's members were ab sent in order to attend upon the meeting of that extraordinary body.

The reports brought in from the various parts of the State were encour aging, and our brethren in Connecticut showed that they are full of zea and faith in the Master's cause.

All which is respectfully submitted, HOWARD CROSBY.

May 18th, 1866.

VIII. To the Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wis consin.

The undersigned, appointed by the last General Assembly a Delegate t the Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin, which me at Milwaukee, Wednesday, October 4th, 1865, would respectfully report That, being prevented by ill-health from attending in person—greatly t his disappointment—he forwarded to that body, by letter, the Christia and fraternal salutations of the 1479 churches of our body, embracing membership of a hundred and forty-three thousand six hundred and fort five (143,645) and a ministry of 1694, and containing the substance those utterances he would gladly have made if personally present, whi was presented to that body through the Moderator, kindly and fraternal received, and acknowledged in their published minutes.

We invited a continuation of the correspondence, informed them of th time and place of meeting of our General Assembly at St. Louis, and urg their presence and representation by a Delegate.

All which is respectfully submitted, B. B. BECKWITH.

Gouverneur, N. Y., May 12th, 1866.

III. Annual Reports.

I. THE TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH ERECTION FUND.

The Annual Meeting of the Trustees was held on the fifteenth day of June, 1865. Rev. Samuel T. Spear, D.D., was elected President, and William A. Booth, Vice-President. Jesse W. Benedict, Esq., was appointed Secretary and Treasurer. The Standing Committees were also appointed, and the Board entered upon their work for another year.

LOANS AND DONATIONS.

During the year there have been received twenty applications for aid, amounting to $7525; thirteen of which were for Loans, amounting to $6075, and seven for Donations, amounting to $1450. Ten of the applications for Loans were granted, amounting to $4675; three, amounting to $1400, were refused; one of these required the loan to be made in gold; by the other two it appeared, that after obtaining the Loan the congregation would not have the amount necessary to complete their building; they were informed that, as soon as the deficiency should be provided for, their application would be granted. Four of the applications for Donations, amounting to $750, were granted; three, amounting to $700, were refused; one of these absolutely, for the reason that the aid required was for the purpose of paying a debt which had been contracted in 1858; one as premature, it appearing from the application that, after obtaining the required Donation, the congregation would not have the amount requisite to complete their building. They were informed that, as soon as this deficiency should be provided for, their application would be granted. The other application for a Donation was refused for the reason that it was not in due form, and the amount ($300) asked for exceeded the amount limited by the Plan for Donations. In one case, after the application for a Donation had been granted, the congregation refused to execute the Bond and Mortgage required by the Plan, and have not availed themselves of the grant.

These applications were from eleven Synods, five from the Synod of Missouri, three from the Synod of Minnesota, two from each of the Synods of New-York and New-Jersey, Illinois, and Wisconsin, and one from each of the Synods of Genesee, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Wabash, Peoria, and Alta California.

RECEIPTS FROM CHURCHES.

There have been received during the year from forty churches on account of Loans, $5394.22; from sixty-five churches on account of Donations, $839.07; and from thirteen churches for interest, $986.58; making a total of $7219.87.

LEGAL OPINIONS.

The last General Assembly directed this Board to procure the written opinion of eminent legal counsel, as to the powers of the Assembly in respect to the Church Erection Fund, especially in reference to the question, whether, having received this Fund "as a special Trust," and in 1854 committed the custody thereof to a Board of Trustees, incorporated by a special statute of the State of New-York, the Assembly has the power so to alter the Church Erection Plan as to make an absolute gift of the increase of the Fund beyond the sum of $100,000, for the purpose named in the first article of the Plan? The Board were directed to report such opinions to this Assembly, with the addition of any recommendations which they might deem expedient.

In compliance with this direction of the Assembly, the Board have obtained from three eminent counsel written opinions, which are herewith submitted. None of these gentlemen had any knowledge of the opinions of the others; in fact, neither was aware that any other opinion excepting his own had been or would be obtained. It will be seen that they differ in their views of the power of the Assembly over the Fund, all agreeing, however, in this: that the Fund can never be used excepting for the objects set forth in the first article of the Plan.

By the first opinion, in the order in which they are presented to the Assembly, that of the Hon. Wm. Strong, of Philadelphia, a Judge of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, it is insisted:

1st. That the General Assembly has power to direct donations of that portion of the Fund which may be in excess of the sum of $100,000, for the purpose described in the first article of the Plan; but that they have no power to make or direct the Board of Trustees to make donations of any other portion of it.

2d. That the Assembly has no power to make or direct any *absolute* gift of even the increase or excess above $100,000, if by *absolute* gift is understood gift without requiring security upon the church property for the return of the money with interest, in case of a change in the ecclesiastical relations of the church aided.

3d. That no alterations of the Plan can be made which will authorize donations without requiring such security.

4th. That the Plan may be so altered, as to dispense with any requisition of security that an annual collection in behalf of the Fund shall be taken up in the churches to which a donation is made; but the church will still be under obligation to take up such a collection independent of any such security being given.

By the second opinion, that of Daniel Lord, Esq., of the city of New-York, it is insisted:

That the General Assembly, by the requisite vote, may direct the whole of the Fund at any time existing to be applied in donations; that, while there is no discrimination to be made between the increase or accumulation of the Fund, as to the application of it, or the retaining of it, yet, that it is in the power of the General Assembly, by the requisite vote, to apply the Fund to the designated objects without limiting it to advances which must be returned.

By the third opinion, that of Marshall S. Bidwell, Esq., of the city of New-York, it is on the contrary insisted:

1st. That the amount raised for this Fund was received by the Assembly in trust as a permanent Fund; that it must be preserved inviolate; that it cannot be diminished or impaired; that the General Assembly, therefore, cannot directly or indirectly give away or dispose of the Fund,

nor any part of it; that this restriction is fundamental and irrevocable, and that it is anterior to, and independent of, the Plan.

2d. That the Fund cannot be used excepting for the object named in the first Article of the Plan, the aiding of feeble congregations in erecting houses of worship; that this restriction is also fundamental and irrevocable; that while it is recognized in, yet it does not derive its force from, the Plan

3d. That the law imposes upon every person or body holding the Fund in trust, the obligation to keep the Fund invested in proper securities, which in the State of New-York embrace only Government Stocks and Mortgages upon unencumbered Real Estate; that the General Assembly cannot absolve the Trustees from this obligation.

4th. That, subject to the above restrictions, the General Assembly, by the requisite vote, may make any change in the Plan, and thus alter the manner of administering it.

5th. That the permanent Fund is not confined to the sum of $100,000, but embraces all increase of it above that amount, whether by donations, bequests, or by unemployed interest, and that such increase is subject to all the conditions of the original Fund.

6th. That it was the duty of the Trustees of the Fund, in the absence of any specific direction in respect thereto, to add to the Fund all accumulations of interest from time to time, as received, and that if such accumulated interest has been added by the Trustees to the Fund, it has become an integral part of it, and is subject to the same exemption from change or diminution as appertains to the other parts of the Fund; that it is one Fund, a unit; not two or more Funds—a permanent Fund, which cannot be impaired or reduced by revocation, donation, or otherwise, and which it is the duty of the Trustees to preserve inviolate.

The Board have carefully considered these diverse opinions, and will only add that they trust that the time will never come when, for the purpose of judicially settling the powers of the General Assembly over the Fund, a resort shall be had to law, the proverbial uncertainty of which has received a new illustration in the opinions herewith submitted to the Assembly.

It is certain, that the donors of the Fund intended to inaugurate just such a scheme of benevolence as this, and thus far in its management the Board have not in any particular violated any of the principles contended for in these opinions; and it certainly will be safe, to continue to administer the Fund substantially upon the same principles which have heretofore obtained, enlarging or diminishing the amount of Loans and Donations, and their terms, as the exigences of the congregations to be aided from time to time may require.

AMENDMENTS TO THE PLAN.

In their Report to the last Assembly the Board recommended amendments to the Plan, increasing the amount of the Loans to $750, and of the Donations to $300. It was greatly regretted by the Board that when these amendments came before the Assembly for their final action, it was found that the requisite number (two thirds of the enrolled members) were not present.

By the present Plan, Loans are limited to $500 for three years without interest, (and in no case can exceed one third of the amount contributed for the house and lot.) Then the principal is required to be refunded in four equal annual installments, interest attaching, in case of default, on the whole amount during default.

The Board now recommend that the Plan be so altered that loans to the amount of $750 (not exceeding, however, one third of the amount contributed for the house and lot) may be made for five years, without interest, to be then repaid in six equal annual installments; interest to attach as heretofore on default. Should this amendment be adopted, the Board believe that increased activity will be given to the Fund, and that the object for which it was raised will be greatly advanced.

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ELECTION OF TRUSTEES.

The term of office of the Rev. J. Fewsmith, D.D., Rev. Samuel D. Burchard, D.D., and Mr. William A. Booth, is soon to expire; it will be necessary for the Assembly to fill their places.

SUPPLEMENTAL FUND.

The General Assembly at its last session directed the Board to issue a circular to all the churches under the care of the Assembly, inviting them "to make contributions during the year to a Supplemental Fund to be gratuitously appropriated in aiding Church Erection in accordance with the suggestions of this Board in their additions to the report of the Special Committee, which was made to the Assembly of 1864." In compliance therewith, this Board in June last issued a circular; a copy of which is herewith submitted.

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Copies of this circular were mailed in June last, and again in October last, to all the churches under the care of the Assembly. The Board also called attention to it, by causing it to be published in the *New-York Evangelist*, and in the *Presbyterian Monthly*. There have been expended in that service for printing, postage, envelopes and mailing, $127.49. This appeal has been responded to by only eight churches, which contributed as follows:

Lower Rock Island, village of Edginton, Ill,	$9 55
Homer, Ohio,	8 70
Palmyra, New-York,	4 15
Kalamazoo, Michigan, (German church,)	2 00
Mattituck, Long Island, New-York,	5 05
Gun Plain, Michigan,	3 19
Gilroy, California,	22 50
Jefferson, New-York,	4 20
Total,	$59 38

Showing an expenditure of $68.11 above the amount received. A further sum of $1 was received, with special directions to credit it as a collection due to this Board on the Mortgage of the church at Fairville, New-York, which has been done. The Board would submit that this expenditure does not come within the provisions of the First Article of the Plan of the Fund, and therefore request the General Assembly to direct their Treasurer to refund the amount of $68.11 to this Board.

All which is respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL T. SPEAR, *President.*

II. ABSTRACT OF THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN PUBLICATION COMMITTEE.

In the widening influence and growing usefulness of the work intrusted to their care, the Committee find ample justification of its inception, as well as stimulus for its prosecution. They trust that the prosperity which now crowns the enterprise is but the token of that future enlargement which shall make it an instrument of blessing to our churches, our country, and the kingdom of Christ.

During the period now under review, the Committee have added to their list books and tracts, which, they are assured, will be gladly received and used by the churches. Keeping before them the wants of their constituency, spread over so broad a surface, and in circumstances so widely differing, they have aimed to publish that which would prove of value to the greatest number. If any book or tract should seem to some less needful, let it be remembered that, under the varying circumstances of the city-pastor and the prairie-missionary, of the church with wealth and the church with poverty, what to one is superfluous is to another a grateful boon. For the abundant commendation which their issues have thus far received from pastors, church-members, and the press, the Committee have every reason to be thankful. It will be, as it has been, the steady aim of the Committee to winnow the works submitted to their judgment, so that the wheat may be retained and the chaff rejected.

The Committee have issued during the year the following

TRACTS.

The Person of Christ. By the Rev. R. D. Hitchcock, D.D., which argues the divinity of our Lord in a masterly and convincing manner. 5 cents.

The Words of Jesus as to Future Punishment. 3 cents.

A Plan for Daily Bible Readings, for pasting in Bibles. 2 cents.

The American Presbyterian Almanac, for 1866. Our annual denominational tract was issued as usual, and circulated to the number of 15,000.

Every Christian a Home Missionary. By the Rev. George Duffield, D.D. 5 cents.

The Family Altar. By the Rev. M. R. Vincent. 5 cents.

Poor Little Ellen. A temperance tale. 5 cents.

"Run, Speak to this Young Man." By the Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D. An earnest appeal for efforts to save young men, and to do it speedily. 5 cents.

Doing and Knowing. By the Rev. William Aikman. 3 cents.

Poor yet Rich. 1 cent.

Christ the Way; presenting Christ as the *only* way to heaven. 1 cent.

The Heart Lightened; by the good news of salvation. 1 cent.

The Two Soldiers, or, Believe Here and Now. 1 cent.

Come to Christ; Just as You Are. An appeal to the sinner, by Spurgeon. 1 cent.

Peace, through Faith Alone. 1 cent.

Is the Matter Settled? The great matter at issue between you and God. 1 cent.

Believing; What is it? 1 cent.

Old Tom; or, The Work Finished. A true narrative. 1 cent.

Do You Believe on Christ? By the Rev. Jacob Patch. In large type and plain words. 2 cents.

CATECHISMS.

FOUR CATECHISMS FOR THE YOUNG. 20 cents. It contains Watts' Historical Catechisms of the Old and New Testaments; a Short Catechism for Young Children; Prayers and Divine Songs; Shorter Catechism, with analysis and proofs, etc.

WHAT WE ARE TO BELIEVE. 32 pages, 32mo.

The first thirty-four questions of the Shorter Catechism, newly arranged, with proof texts; intended for use in infant classes and Sunday-schools.

CATECHISM WITH PROOFS. In paper covers, 18mo. 5 cents.

BOUND VOLUMES.

THE LIFE OF JOHN BRAINERD. By the Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D. 492 pages, 12mo, muslin, gilt, with illustrations. Price, $2.50. Has received from the press, both religious and secular, and of all denominations, a measure of commendation that attests its excellence.

LOVE TO THE END. 50 cents. A book for the Communion Sabbath. By Rev. Charles E. KNOX, of Bloomfield, N. J.

THE SOCIAL HYMN AND TUNE BOOK. 510 pages, 16mo. In muslin, price, $1.00. In accordance with the instructions of the General Assembly, the Committee, during the past year, have issued the "Social Hymn and Tune Book." It was the endeavor of the Committee to give, in a volume of moderate size, the best psalms and hymns, arranged with the best tunes. It has given the Committee much satisfaction to find, that this attempt to supply an existing want meets the approval of the churches. In the larger city churches, it is hailed as just the book for the lecture-room; and in the village and country churches, it is welcomed as admirably adapted for congregational use. Its specific arrangement for use *with our Church Psalmist* makes it still more sought after. The rapidity with which the book has passed through four editions is an evidence that the approval expressed on all sides is substantial and real. "It pleases me more and more as I become familiar with it," is the voice of more than one pastor. The warmest expressions of gratification have come from churches blessed with revivals of religion, in which the pastors say that the work of God has been greatly helped and promoted by its use. The *low price* at which it is sold is no small recommendation of the book in many places.

THE SOCIAL HYMN BOOK, though not yet issued, is in press, and may be properly announced in this connection. It contains the hymns of the Social Hymn and Tune Book, *without the tunes*. As there are in every church some who are unable to use the music, the Committee desire to accommodate them by the issue of this volume. It forms a neat 18mo of 396 pages, the hymns being in a clear and uniform type, sufficiently large, yet not so large as to make the book inconvenient for the pocket. The price in muslin will be 75 cents. In *ordering* it will be needful to guard against confusing the title with that of the "Social Hymn and Tune Book."

LEAVES OF CONSOLATION FOR THE AFFLICTED; or, Voices from the Silent Land. By Mrs. H. Dwight Williams. 360 pages, 12mo, $1.50; tinted paper and gilt, $2. It is composed of judicious selections from the choicest literature in our language, addressed to the bereaved.

DAILY MEDITATIONS. By the Rev. George Bowen, of Bombay, India. 429 pages, 12mo. Price, $1.75; tinted paper, gilt, $2.50. The author of this volume, a native of New-York, and a graduate of the Union Theological Seminary, has been for nineteen years a missionary in India. Prepared by a remarkable experience for the unfolding of the deep things of God, he has in this book bestowed upon the Church a gift which many will appre-

date and enjoy. Of it, the Rev. Dr. Skinner says: "I know of no book of its class which has equal merit."

SABBATH-SCHOOL SERIES.

FIVE YEARS IN CHINA; or, The Factory Boy made a Missionary. The life and Observations of Rev. William Aitchison, late missionary to China. By Rev. Charles P. Bush. 18mo, 284 pages. With portrait on steel and fourteen wood-cut illustrations. Price, $1.25.

BESSIE LANE'S MISTAKE. Wealth is not Happiness. By the author of "Money," "Far Away," etc. 18mo, 330 pages. With illustrations. Price, $1.25.

BROOKSIDE FARMHOUSE; from January to December. For the little folks. By Martha Farquharson, author of "Black Steve," "Annandale," "Mysie's Work," etc., etc. Twelve illustrations. 176 pages, 16mo. Price, $1. A book for the little folks. It gives the incidents at a farmhouse each month in the year, from January to December, with a picture for each month.

HELEN MAURICE; or, The Daughter at Home. 247 pages, 18mo. Six illustrations. A chastely written tale of every day life among the working class of old England. It is a record of such trials and discipline as multitudes of daughters at home are called to endure.

BLACK STEVE; or, The Strange Warning. By the author of "Brookside Farmhouse," "Marion Harvey," etc., etc. Two illustrations. 83 pages, 18mo. Price, 40 cents.

THE INVALID'S WORK. By M. E. F. 120 pages, 18mo. Price, 40 cents. To illustrate the truth that feebleness of health and lack of means are not insuperable barriers to usefulness.

CHERRIES, AND POOR LITTLE ELLEN. 72 pages, 18mo, with five illustrations. Price, 40 cents. Two excellent temperance tales.

WHAT TO DO. By E. L. Llewellyn, author of "Piety and Pride," "The Little Brown Bible," "Dove's Nest," etc. Six illustrations. 113 pages, 18mo. Contains six stories by a favorite author, for the little folks; printed in large type, with six taking wood-cuts. The stories are: 1. Something to Do. 2. Nothing to Do. 3. Too Much to Do. 4. Little Acts. 5. Kind Words. 6. Never Give Up.

DUTCH TILES; or, Loving Words about the Saviour. By Mrs. Emma S. Babcock. 171 pages, 18mo. Nineteen illustrations. It is illustrated by nineteen original engravings, and is admirably adapted to reading aloud to little children, as well as to being read by those able to do so for themselves.

SALES AND DONATIONS.

The issue of these new works, and the increasing means for their diffusion by sale and by gratuitous distribution, are telling upon the business success of the enterprise. Owing to the cessation of a large amount of sales for the army, made the previous year to the Christian Commission, we had feared that the sales of the past year would not equal those of the preceding one. But we are happy to report a somewhat larger total, viz., $36,255.56, as sales for the year ending March 31, 1866. Adding to this sum books and tracts gratuitously distributed, to the value of $4,299.27, we have a total circulation of $40,554.83. In view of the youth of our enterprise, this result is very gratifying.

GRANTS.

Our grants of books and tracts have been received with the warmest thanks by our feeble churches and Home Missionaries all over the land.

That an agency of this character is needed, and that it will prove widely useful as a *supplementary agency to our Home Missionary work*, cannot be questioned by any one conversant with the facts. During the past year, our Committee of Home Missions have been commissioning men from the Atlantic coast to the shores of the Pacific, to labor as Home Missionaries, as Presbyterial Missionary Agents, as Synodical Missionaries. Entering upon their work of organizing new churches, and resuscitating those feeble and ready to die, they immediately need what the Home Missionary Committee was not organized to furnish, but which the Publication Committee was intended to supply. Not merely in new States and Territories, not only in States lately desolated by war, but in the old States also, in Delaware, in Pennsylvania, and in New-York, as well as in the Central West and West, a multitude of our churches will hail the aid which their brethren may *and should* furnish them through the press of their own Publication Committee.

The increasing number of applications for donations, received by the Committee, indicates the increase of appreciation of the work laid upon them by the Assembly. These applications are not to diminish, but to increase, for the call of Providence to our branch of the Church is "to go forward." Our correspondence shows that there is not a State in our connection in which there are not mission fields rightfully appealing to the benevolent department of our publication work.

AN APPEAL.

In view of this fact, the Committee may properly ask our pastors to recognize this call, and see that the collection for "Publication" is regularly taken in their churches at a set time in each year.

Some of our Sabbath-schools have sent, during the year past, contributions for the assistance of children in schools less favored than themselves. Such gifts will be gladly received, and directly appropriated to needy Sabbath-schools connected with our churches or missions. We beg of our brethren to remember that the Publication Committee have no collecting agents—we depend solely and entirely upon them for free-will offerings to this good work for the Lord's sake.

THE PRESBYTERIAN MONTHLY

In compliance with the instructions of the last General Assembly, *The Presbyterian Monthly*, a magazine representing the Committees charged by the General Assembly with its works of benevolence, has been issued. The subscription price has been made low with a view to secure its wide circulation, as it is believed, that the diffusion of the information which it contains will be the basis of an increase of giving, that will fully compensate for the expense incurred by its publication. Subscriptions to the magazine come in well, yet not so many as we wish. Our desire is that it may go into every family in every one of our churches.

The Treasurer's Report shows a

Balance on hand, April 1, 1865,	$1,558 38
Receipts for the year,	50,514 80
Total,	$52,073 18
Payments for the year,	51,607 67
Balance on hand, March 31, 1866,	**$465 51**

PRESBYTERIAL COMMITTEES.

The recommendation of the General Assembly, that "each Presbytery appoint a minister or elder to see to it that the Publication Cause is presented annually to the churches in its connection, and to secure contributions to it," has been acted upon during the past year to a very gratifying extent. In some cases there has been a zealous attention to the work of securing a contribution from each church, and increasing interest in the circulation of publications, deserving of the thanks of the Church, as well as of the Committee, whom it has encouraged and strengthened. It is hoped that the Presbyterial agents for Publication will remember that the success of the work depends, under God, much upon them. Their action or inaction will be followed in very many churches of the Presbytery by a corresponding action or inaction. Any expenses incurred, if reported to the Committeee, will be gladly repaid.

The report treats also of the subject of *Colportage*, and notes the appointment of Rev. S. W. Crittenden as Business Superintendent. The officers of the Committee are Rev. Albert Barnes, Chairman; William H. Hildeburn, Esq., Treasurer; Rev. John W. Dulles, Secretary, and Editor of the Committee's Publications.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT BARNES, *Chairman.*

JOHN W. DULLES, *Secretary.*

III. ABSTRACT OF THE FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COMMITTEE OF HOME MISSIONS.

THE Fifth Annual Report of the Committee of Home Missions is the record of a year of resumed peaceful avocations, and consequent general material prosperity and growth. Our domestic mission work is viewed in the following aspects:

1. THE GREAT INCREASE OF POPULATION AT THE WEST.—This increase results from the rapid extension of the railway system at the West. Wherever a railroad is projected an enterprising population immediately takes possession of the country, new towns spring up, new agricultural districts are laid open, forests and mineral resources are brought nearer to market. In all the States of the Mississippi Valley, from Michigan to Texas, the increase of railroads and of population is very great.

The bearing of the Pacific Railway is also alluded to. The people believe the road will be built. They are acting on that conviction. If the journey of months can be reduced to days, if subsistence and implements of mining, now slowly transported overland, can be carried by rail, it revolutionizes the business on the plains, and enhances immeasurably the mineral wealth of the inexhaustible gold and silver mines in the Rocky Mountain division. Hence a great population is pouring into the large and new Territories between the Atlantic and Pacific States. Wagon-roads traverse the plains to all the Territories, mail-coaches pass over the whole distance each way, and the people of God must prepare themselves to send the Gospel to many a town among the foot hills of the Rocky and Sierra Nevada Mountains.

Another feature of the Missionary work is made noticeable by the operation of the laws that govern the diffusion of population. It depletes and weakens the rural churches at the East, and makes Missionary churches of such as had once been flourishing and self-sustaining. At the same time

it gathers up, concentrates, or centralizes the whole body of the population throughout the country.

2. THE WORK AT THE SOUTH is mentioned particularly. Among the whites this is mostly confined to East-Tennessee and Missouri. In the former they have had nineteen missionaries, and have met with a very encouraging measure of success. A people whose loyalty could not be crushed turn fondly to our Church and welcome laborers among them from the North.

In Missouri, twenty-two missionaries have been employed, and as many more could be advantageously employed if we had the means and the men. One Presbytery has been reconstructed, and all the others have been strengthened. Several new churches have been organized.

3. THE FREEDMEN.—In this department of labor we have been greatly crippled for want of men; we have, however, organized a flourishing church in Charleston, S. C., another at Knoxville, and still another at Marysville, East-Tennessee. Meanwhile all our white missionaries are aiding in the education and elevation of the freedmen at all the stations where they come in contact with them. Their docility and their religious sensibility are the admiration of all.

4. THE OBSTACLES to the work are

(*a.*) *Lack of Ministers.*—On this point the report is emphatic; ministers cannot be found to meet the great demand, and about seventy of those in commission during the year were brought in from other denominations.

(*b.*) *Lack of Church Edifices.*—The report urges that the centralization of the population in cities and large towns makes it incumbent on the churches to devise some more efficient agency to furnish houses of worship than we have at present, claiming that this demand is not second to any other.

(*c.*) *Lack of Funds.*—The Committee have expended about $15,000 more than they have collected during the year. This cannot long continue. But the Committee cannot doubt the ability of the churches to do all that can be done with our limited number of men, and will not believe that they will not come to their aid.

5. RESULTS.—The Committee have employed a part or the whole of the year past, 384 missionary laborers. The aggregate of their time of service has been 288 years. They have preached the Gospel statedly at 550 places. The results of their labors have been most satisfactory and cheering.

Only 257 missionaries have forwarded statistical reports—about *five eighths* of the whole number—and they report 2900 conversions; 1792 have joined the churches on profession, and 1528 by letter, making an addition to these missionary churches of 3320 members. Forty-one distinct and positive revivals are reported; but a much greater number of missionaries have made mention of gentle refreshings, resulting in considerable accessions to their churches.

About forty church edifices have been built, enlarged, or materially improved, and about 50 churches have been formed.

Six missionaries have died during the year, Revs. Edmund D. Holt, Minnesota, Moses Robinson, Asa Martin and Lewis H. Loss of Iowa, Wi[illegible] ton Jones of Missouri, and David A. Abbey of New-York.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN F. HATFIELD, *Chairman*

HENRY KENDALL, *Secretary.*

TRACT OF THE EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FOREIGN MISSION COMMITTEE.

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w of the part which our Church has borne in the work of For-
ons, during the past year, presents some features that are very
progress in the right direction.
ple have been greatly honored and blest; sons and daughters
born into the Kingdom; wealth has accumulated; war has
l with it the stern demands for sacrifices of previous years!
ely had any people greater occasion for gratitude! The result
been the triumph of those great principles for which we have
l so earnestly contended.
ıot our grateful hearts prompt us to bring all the tithes into the
e? to offer gladly to the Lord all that his glory, all that the
of His kingdom demands?
he history of the past year shows great deficiency in duty, there
gement in the fact, that the conscience of the people seems
awakened and there is a consequent increase of contributions
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unt contributed to Foreign Missions as reported in the Minutes
embly was in 1861–2, $71,284; in 1862–3, $69,482; in 1863–4,
n 1864–5, $112,296. And we hope that the Minutes of this
will show a still greater increase.
doubtedly true that our polity is adapted to promote efficient
sal coöperation of all our membership in every good work.
mmittee refer with great pleasure to the increased number of
es which, in accordance with the repeated requests of past
, have appointed Presbyterial Agents for Foreign Missions, and
adopted the best possible plan to bring the claims of the Cause
churches and members.
mittee have labored to secure reports from all the Presbyteries,
by the issue of a Circular which was sent to the Stated Clerk
esbytery early in March last.

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re regret that, in response to our Circular no more of the Pres-
ve furnished a report, it is very gratifying that we have so
years ago we received but five reports, last year ten, this year
May we not hope that nearly or quite all, will send us a report
meeting of the next Assembly? If this system of Presbyterial
n with reference to this Cause can be universally adopted and
carried out, we shall accomplish more than by any other plan of

Presbytery of Utica, the increase in contributions this year over
36 per cent, and 115 per cent over that of the previous year,
Joseph N. McGiffert was appointed Presbyterial Agent for
ssions. He has labored with great diligence, ability, and suc-
while fulfilling the work of his pastorate, has increased their
funds more than $2500 in three years. If in each of our Pres-
had one minister of the spirit of this brother, what grand re-
l be speedily accomplished!
Hawley, of the Presbytery of Cayuga, says, "I do n't think
church in our Presbytery which contributes to any benevolent
fails to give something to Foreign Missions."
Wood, of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, says: "Con-

tributions have been received from all the churches, except a small new enterprise in Connecticut, and a French church which is supported by aid from the Presbytery. Two churches have contributed this year which failed to give any thing last year; every contributing church has advanced on the previous year, the aggregate increase being $4008.23, which is almost 34 per cent."

Rev. Mr. Whitaker, of the Presbytery of Long Island, writes: "All our churches habitually observe the monthly concert and make an annual contribution to the American Board. They have done so, almost time out of mind, and *The Missionary Herald* recently stated that two of our churches, Southold and Cutchogue, were the first that *ever* took up a public church collection for that Board."

Rev. T. B. McFalls, of the Presbytery of the District of Columbia, states that the Presbytery have resolved to raise two thousand dollars this year, which will be an increase of more than 100 per cent.

Rev. Joseph Vance, of the Presbytery of Erie, calls attention to the fact that the amount contributed the past year is nearly 100 per cent more than the amount in 1864, and says: "Rev. Ambrose Dunn was appointed the Presbyterial Agent for Foreign Missions in 1863, and has been reappointed annually. His instructions are to lay before each church of our Presbytery (or *see* that it is done by the pastors) the claims of Foreign Missions on all churches, and to stir them up to sympathy and coöperation in this Cause. He has endeavored to do this. Most of the pastors preach to their people on this subject once a year; a few exchange pulpits with the Agent, for this purpose. The monthly concert is observed in nearly every church in the Presbytery."

Rev. H. McVay, of the Presbytery of Franklin, writes: "Our contributions this year exceed the last $210.74. The annual contributions show, that our churches are in their liberality abounding more and more. Whether they are doing all that the Gospel requires of them and whether they are keeping pace with their increased wealth is somewhat questionable. We have little hesitation in saying that the churches do not contribute to this object as they should."

Rev. G. W. Elliott, of the Presbytery of Milwaukee, says: "All our churches except Milwaukee, First, failed to make collections. They are all feeble and dependent, have all with one exception been vacant during the year, and with two exceptions still remain so."

Rev. W. A. Niles, of the Presbytery of Steuben, says: "Four of the churches which have contributed nothing hardly have an existence, and only one of the other five has had a pastor during the whole year past. As a Presbytery we have a system for the securing of contributions from each church which I trust may be efficient in future."

Rev. Mr. Aikman, of the Presbytery of Newark, says: "Twenty-five of our churches, it is believed, observe the monthly concert either on Sabbath or Monday evening." Another member adds: "The Presbytery has resolved to devote an evening during each of its sessions to the consideration of this cause, at which speeches are made and reports given, which are calculated to increase the interest in behalf of Foreign Missions. The plan has opened well and promises to do much good."

THE AMERICAN BOARD.

Through all the financial troubles incident to the war and the consequent enormous cost of exchange, the remittances of the Board to its missionaries have been as prompt as at any previous time, sustaining fully in all the countries of the world that high credit for its bills, which it has so long

ed, and making its name a synonym for commercial integrity and
ity; as the name of its missionaries is, for piety, practical talent, and
ion to their work.

e advantages we enjoy from our pleasant and honorable connection
the Board cannot well be overstated. Your Committee are not aware
ve have a single missionary in the foreign field, who would not regard
nterruption of those relations as a signal calamity to our church and
e Cause, or who would personally consent to a severance of his rela-
to the Board. We feel assured that in this matter the feelings and
ient of the Missionaries coincide with those of the great body of our
e; and that every year fresh occasion is seen for gratitude, that God
ndowed us with the admirable and unequalled facilities which we
in this connection for doing our Foreign Missionary work.

e number of the members of our Presbyteries employed in the For-
Missionary work, in connection with the American Board of Com
mers for Foreign Missions, is fifty-two. They are located as follows,
y:

SELAH B. TREAT, *Secretary*, Boston.
GEORGE W. WOOD, D.D., *Secretary*, New-York City.
CHARLES P. BUSH, *District Secretary*, Rochester, N. Y.
JOHN MCLEOD, *District Secretary*, Philadelphia, Pa.
ELISHA BALLANTINE, *District Secretary*, Cincinnati, O.

WESTERN AFRICA, 2.—*Gaboon Mission.* Albert Bushnell, Epaminon-
Pierce.

SOUTH-AFRICA, 3.—Andrew Abraham, Silas McKinney, Seth B.

EUROPEAN TURKEY AND WESTERN ASIA, 17.—*Western Turkey*, 4.—
J. Van Lennep, D.D., Justin W. Parsons, Tilman C. Trowbridge,
lore L. Byington. *Eastern Turkey*, 3.—Sanford Richardson, Orson
len, W. Frederick Williams. *Central Turkey*, 1.—George H. White.
6.—William M. Thompson, D.D., William W. Eddy, Henry H. Jes-
D.D., J. Lorenzo Lyons, Samuel Jessup, George E. Post, M.D. *Nes-*
s, 3.—George W. Coan, Joseph G. Cochran, John H. Shedd.

SOUTHERN ASIA, 10.—*Ceylon*, 1.—James Quick. *Mahratta*, 2.—Lem-
issell, William P. Barker. *Madura*, 7.—John E. Chandler, Edward
er, John Rendall, Horace S. Taylor, William Tracy, Charles T.
, Nathan L. Lord, M.D.

EASTERN ASIA, 5.—*Canton*, 1.—Daniel Vrooman. *Fuh Chau*, 2.—
C. Baldwin, Simeon F. Woodin. *North-China*, 2.—Lyman D. Cha-
ustus Doolittle.

THE PACIFIC ISLANDS, 5.—*Sandwich Islands*, 4.—Claudius B. Andrews,
E. Bishop, Lorenzo Lyons, John F. Pogue. *Micronesia*, 1.—
d T. Doane.

TH-AMERICAN INDIANS, 5.—*Dakotas*, 3.—Thomas S. Williamson,
Stephen R. Riggs, John P. Williamson. *Ojibwas*, 1.—Leonard H.
ler. *Senecas*, 1.—Asher Wright.

srs. Andrew D. Jack, Henry N. Cobb, and Henry W. Ballantine, are
ger connected with the Board.

ee of our most devoted missionaries have died during the past year
midst of their years and usefulness: Edward M. Dodd, Homer B.
n, and J. Edwards Ford.

was *one hundred and thirty*, against *forty-four* the previous year. Of the progress of this Cause thus far we speak encouragingly: 1st, because truth demands such an expression; 2d, as a matter of justice to those churches and individuals that have been the first to respond favorably to the calls of the needy among our suffering brethren; and 3d, to relieve the minds of those receiving assistance—for it is worthy of remark that the applicants for aid from the Fund frequently express solicitude lest, in asking assistance for themselves, they should deprive others of help who might be still more needy.

It must not be forgotten, however, that while the Committee have been enabled to give a prompt and favorable response to all the applications properly brought before them, they are at present only in the commencement of their work. At every quarterly meeting new cases are presented; and this will continue to occur until the entire number of disabled ministers and ministerial families needing assistance, and within our bounds, shall be brought to the notice of the Committee. It is understood to be the design of the General Assembly to make suitable provision for the wants of all those who are entitled to the Relief Fund, according to the Plan adopted for its distribution. The number yet to be heard from is, of course, uncertain; but it is reasonable to suppose that when the whole denomination becomes fully aroused to this subject there will be found at least three-fold more persons having claims upon the Treasury than have as yet been reported. Instead, therefore, of thirty families, with one hundred persons to be provided for, there may soon be on our list more than *ninety* families, with a population of nearly *four hundred*, sharing in the benefits of the Fund. This would agree with the condition of things in the "Other Branch" of the Presbyterian Church, which, in its Report on this subject the present year, says the number of its families receiving aid is "*one hundred and twenty*, with an average of four persons in each family, making a total of *five hundred*." We have no reason to suppose that the ministry in our connection are more exempt than others from want and the common afflictions of life. Indeed, the more we look into this subject the more fully are we convinced that the families of our ministers, especially those settled in the newer sections of the country, have trials and privations exceeding those ordinarily borne for the sake of the Gospel.

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The Report should not close without some notice of the action of the last General Assembly, on the subject of Ministerial Relief. At the meeting in Brooklyn it was

"*Resolved*, That every Presbytery be directed to appoint a Standing Committee, whose duty it shall be to inquire into the necessities of disabled ministers, and of the widows and orphans of those deceased, with a view of bringing the cases of such to the notice of the Executive Committee of the Relief Fund," and "That the Presbyteries earnestly request the churches under their care to make *annual collections* for this Fund."

The Presbyteries may have very generally appointed Committees to look after the interest of this cause, but as yet, only thirty-six instances of such appointments have come to our knowledge. The importance of having such Committees need not be argued in this place. In a number of instances, they are coöperating with the Executive Committee with much efficiency, and to their activity may be attributed much of the success which attended this enterprise through the year just closed. If all the Presbyteries will secure the services of similar Committees, the work can be prosecuted with such effect, that every disabled minister, and ministeri-

al family needing assistance, will soon feel a comfortable change in their circumstances, by appropriations made toward their support.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Committee,

CHARLES BROWN, *Secretary.*

Philadelphia, May 1st, 1866.

PLAN FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE FUND.

Principles and Rules to govern the Distribution of the Ministerial Relief Fund, adopted by the Executive Committee of the Fund, December 29, 1864, *and approved by the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, January* 9, 1865.

The Ministerial Relief Fund, established by the General Assembly, meeting in Dayton, Ohio, May, 1864, is intended "for the relief of disabled ministers in good and regular standing in connection with said Assembly, and the families of ministers who have deceased while in this connection."

The Assembly assumes that these ministers and families are in circumstances requiring aid, yet does not regard them as common objects of charity; on the contrary, it is declared that the assistance thus rendered is "not a charity," but the proper response of the "Church of Christ to the *just claims* of Christ's servants."

Whilst the Fund is to be sacredly guarded against every species of imposition, the Assembly would hereby invite those whose circumstances bring them within the Rules to avail themselves of its benefits, as an aid most justly bestowed, and that can most honorably be received.

In order to give effect to the benevolent intentions of the Assembly, the Executive Committee of the Ministerial Relief Fund Agency have adopted, and the Trustees of the Presbyterian House have approved, the following principles and rules of distribution:

1. Every applicant for relief must be recommended by the Presbytery to which the claimant belongs. To facilitate applications Presbyteries are earnestly requested to appoint Standing Committees with authority to act.

2. Every application for aid must, in the case of a minister, state his age and circumstances; in the case of a deceased minister's family, the circumstances of the widow, and the number, sex, and ages of the orphaned children.

3. Every Presbytery or Presbyterial Committee, indorsing an application, will be expected to inquire into the circumstances of the applicant, to assume the responsibility of recommending the case to the Executive Committee, and to state specifically what amount of relief should, in their judgment, be given.

It is, however, clearly to be understood, that while the recommendations of Presbyteries will be always regarded with great respect and confidence, yet the Executive Committee reserves to itself, in each case, a final decision, to be regulated by the urgency of the applicant's necessities, the term of active service in the ministry on which the application is based, and the state of the treasury.

4. Appropriations are made for one year, and should the renewal of an appropriation be desired, the application must be again indorsed by the Presbytery or Presbyterial Committee.

5. As the Executive Committee meet quarterly, on the third Tuesdays of June, September, December, and March, applications should be sent in full

time to be presented at one of these meetings; otherwise action thereon may be delayed for more than two months.

6. All applications and letters pertaining to the general business of the Fund should be addressed to the Rev. Charles Brown, Secretary, 1334 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

VI. TENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION.

THROUGH the Divine blessing, the Permanent Committee on Education for the Ministry are enabled to present their work to the General Assembly in a favorable condition. The conviction is evidently growing that an increase in the numbers of the ministry is loudly and impressively called for by the course of Divine Providence. There is somewhat more prayer for this great object, and our Literary Institutions present us with a growing number of students who have the ministry in view. Young men who had been called from educational pursuits to engage in the military service of the country have resumed their studies, and an augmentation in the number of candidates for the ministry has taken place, both of those who are self-supporting and of those who are not. Last year, the Committee aided ninety-nine young men from the Assembly's Education Fund. They are now able to report an advance, in the number, of thirty-five per cent. One hundred and thirty-five students, properly recommended by their Presbyteries, have been assisted, of whom sixty-two are in the theological course, sixty in a collegiate course, and thirteen in the preparatory course. These students have been connected with the following Institutions:

Theological Seminaries—Auburn, 16; Lane, 12; Union, 31; Andover, 2; Princeton, 1.

Colleges—Hamilton, 22; Union, 2; Lima, 1; Western Reserve, 7; Marietta, 4; Wabash, 8; Knox, 3; Olivet, Mich., 3; Beloit, Wis., 1; Yale, 1.

Universities—New-York, 1; Michigan, 2; Iowa, 1; Indiana, 1.

Institutes—Ashmun, (colored,) 5; Hungerford, N. Y., 1; Saunders, Phila., 1; Wilberforce, R. I., 1.

Academies—Denmark, Iowa, 2; Jamestown, N. Y., 1; Alexander, N. Y., 1; Cooperstown, N. Y., 1; Courtland, N. Y., 1; New-Market, Tenn., 1; Newark, N. J., 1.

These students are connected with the following Presbyteries: New-York, 3d, 15; New-York, 4th, 5; Utica, 20; Cayuga, 12; North-River 1; Hudson, 1; Albany, 1; Troy, 1; Tioga, 1; Genesee, 1; Chenango, 1 Watertown, 2; Ithaca, 2; Ontario, 2; Chemung, 1; Brooklyn, 1; Catskil 1; Rochester, 1; Newark, 5; Rockaway, 1; Philadelphia, 3d, 2; Phil delphia, 4th, 7; Harrisburgh, 1; Meadville, 1; Cleveland, 4; Huron, Pataskala, 1; Athens, 6; Cincinnati, 3; Madison, 4; Crawfordsville, Logansport, 4; Salem, 1; Schuyler, 1; Knox, 3; Bloomington, 1; Moines, 2; Iowa City, 1; Columbus, 1; Detroit, 4; Washtenaw, 1; Mc roe, 2; Marshall, 1; Indianapolis, 1; Union, 1; Kalamazoo, 1; Tru bull, 1.

Of these, thirteen have completed the course of theological study d ing the past year, and, having been licensed, are prepared to enter im diately into active service. The greater part of them have had no diffic in finding ready employment.

According to the direction of the last Assembly, the appropriations w increased the last year thirty-three per cent on those allowed by the ru and were, one hundred and sixty dollars to theological students, one h

dred and thirty-two dollars to collegiate students, and one hundred dollars to academic students.

As the churches approved this increase by furnishing funds to meet it, and as the exigencies which demanded it are unaltered, the Committee recommend to the Assembly, without at present making a permanent alteration in the rules, to continue these rates for the coming year.

The first edition of the Education Manual having been exhausted, the Committee have published a second and more complete edition, copies of which are herewith presented to the Assembly. The full exposition of the principles and details of the Education work, given in the Manual, render it important and desirable that it should be carefully read by ministers, intelligent laymen, and candidates for the ministry throughout the whole Church. The object is, to make this Plan self-working through the entire body, and each should understand the part for which he is responsible, personally and officially, and be ready to fulfil it.

The Permanent Committee, in conjunction with the other Permanent Committees of the General Assembly, and in accordance with the specific direction of the Assembly, have united in the publication of the Presbyterian Monthly, a full report concerning which will be made by the Publication Committee. This arrangement will afford the Education Committee an excellent facility, each month, to send out through our families and churches much important truth concerning the Education Cause, and will prove a most efficient agency in promoting its advancement. A small sum will be required from the Treasury to pay the proportionate share of the expense of the publication above the amount supplied by the subscription list, which the Committee think will be a profitable outlay.

The amount received into the Treasury, from 334 churches, has been $17,189.01; from individuals, $917.16; from scholarship investments, $558.10, and from other sources, $30.15; making a total of receipts for the year, of $18,704.77, which, with the balance of $1750.72 of the former year, makes $20,455.49. The expenditures have been, appropriations to students, $16,367.70; other necessary expenses of all kinds, $3181.60; making a total of $19,549.30; leaving a balance of $906.19, for particulars of which reference is made to the Treasurer's Annual Report, herewith presented.

With the commencement of the year just closed the agitation of war ceased, leaving the business of the country in a deranged condition. The calls upon private benevolence for the assistance of our soldiers had been so frequent and so urgent, and had been so freely met, that a habit of giving had been created throughout the whole community, the influence of which was favorably felt even by our religious enterprises. The question became one of serious interest, would a diminution of liberality result from the changed circumstances of the country, and the progress of our benevolent operations be embarrassed if not endangered? The experience of the Education Cause has shown that this apprehension was not groundless. A number of the churches which contributed last year, have failed in their duty this year, and there has been a marked diminution in many of the contributions which have been made. Some churches, however, exceeded their former liberality, and others contributed for the first time, so that the number of contributing churches and the aggregate receipts of the past year vary but little from the previous year. Three hundred and forty-five churches contributed last year; three hundred and thirty-four this year. $18,927.40 was the net contribution last year, $18,704.77 this year. On a review of the whole position, there is occasion to thank God and take courage, that the Committee can present this cause to the churches in a state of advancing prosperity. They have been enabled to meet readily all properly ac-

credited calls, have very considerably increased the candidates for the ministry throughout the church, and have paid them larger appropriations than have hitherto been granted to students. This Cause, in its earlier history, was embarrassed with difficulties which it required both patience and persevering effort to remove. But from the hour that its original conception was realized in action, and the various clashing local interests were harmonized, and the Plan was conformed to the true genius of the Presbyterian Church, its course has been onward. It now enjoys a position of usefulness and honor, and has before it a bright future. A firm adherence to the principles upon which it is founded, and to the spirit in which the Committee have endeavored to conduct it, must secure for it a career of advancing prosperity. The Committee find no occasion at present to proffer any further suggestions of a general character or any recommendation for the amendment of the Plan or Rules, but have only to ask that there shall be an earnest and unanimous effort to transform the entire Church into a working body in behalf of the increase of the ministry. A great naval commander, in entering into a trying engagement, proclaimed throughout his fleet, "England expects every man to do his duty," and was crowned with victory. The great Captain of our salvation calls, and expects His entire sacramental host each one to do his own duty. A self-sacrificing spirit of obedience will lead to high endeavor and to glad success.

The term of office of John J. Owen, D.D., LL.D., Jonathan F. Stearns, D.D., Jesse W. Benedict, Esq., Mr. William W. Wickes, and Mr. Salem H. Wales expires with the present sessions of the General Assembly.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. OWEN, *Chairman.*

THORNTON A. MILLS, *Secretary.*

VII. TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN HOUSE.

THE Trustees of the Presbyterian House report to the General Assembly, that the receipts and expenditures of the year, as shown by the Treasurer's Report, herewith submitted, duly audited, have been as follows:

1. RECEIPTS.

Balance in the Treasury, May 1st, 1865,		$1,550 82
Cash from Publication Committee,		1,000 00
Interest from Sinking Fund investment,		784 44
Interest from Trust Fund investment,		682 74
Interest from cash balance,		33 71
Total receipts,		$4,051 71

2. EXPENDITURES.

Distribution of trust funds as prescribed,	$1,265 54	
Counsel fees and expenses in defence of Douglass trust,	402 46	
Incidental expenses,	25 00	
Cash invested for sinking fund,	1,369 55	
Total expenditures,		3,062 55
Balance,		$989 16

above Report it will be noticed, that one thousand dollars ($1000) n received from the Assembly's Publication Committee *pro rata* ollections for the endowment fund. This sum, with other moneys, invested for the benefit of the sinking fund, for the payment of anent debt on the Presbyterian House, making the sinking fund me thirteen thousand dollars, ($13,000.) It will be noticed further, funds invested for the benefit of Church enterprises are becoming , twelve hundred and sixty-five dollars, fifty-four cents ($1265.54) lready been distributed.

rustees herewith submit the Report of the Executive Committee of sterial Relief Fund, and the Report of their Treasurer, duly audited, ich the Assembly will learn the exact condition of that important

rustees report further, that they have accepted the trust of an as- t to them, for the benefit of the Assembly's Publication Commit- he Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D., of the copyright of "The Life of ainerd."

rustees report still further, that the cases in litigation, which have ed their patience, are not yet decided. The suit for the recovery ys improperly held by the party contesting the will of the late ouglass, Esq., as recited in the Tenth Annual Report, has from time been postponed, and is still undetermined. From the decision ing the validity of the will of the late Folkerd C. Sebring an appeal taken, and is still pending. In the Irwin case, the validity of the bequest has, it is hoped, been finally established, but the settlement state under the will yet remains to be effected.

term of office of Mr. John A. Brown, Mr. Matthew W. Baldwin, H. Perkins, Esq., Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D., and Rev. Ezra E. D.D., expires during the present sessions of the Assembly.

ectfully submitted,

By order of the Board of Trustees,

THOMAS JAMES SHEPHERD, *Secretary*

lelphia, May 1st, 1866.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *in account with* WILLIAM A BOOTH, *Treasurer.*

Dr.				Cr.			
May, 1865.	To balance from the old account,		$84 94	May, 1865.	By Receipts of the Mileage Committee,		$6215 65
	" paid Mileage to Commissioners,		4786 15		" " " Stated Clerk,		54 33
	" " Rev. E. Hall, D.D., Delegate to Vermont,		20 67		" Balance to new account,		37 44
	" " the Officers of the Assembly:						
	Stated Clerk,	$114 00					
	Permanent Clerk,	39 00					
	Janitor,	36 00					
			189 00				
	" " for Printing and Stationery:						
	E. A. Lambert,	23 24					
	J. A. Gray & Green,	1141 42					
			1164 66				
	" " for Sundries:						
	Postage, Freight, etc.,	32 50					
	Presb. of Dakota, (refunded,)	26 20					
	Discount on Currency,	3 30					
			62 00				
			$6307 42				$6307 42
May, 1866.	To Balance to new account,		37 44				

NEW-YORK, May 10, 1866

WILLIAM A. BOOTH, *Treasurer.*

THE PRESBYTERIAN COMMITTEE OF HOME MISSIONS *in account with* E. A. LAMBERT, *Treasurer.*

Dr.				Cr.			
1866.				1865.			
May 1.	To amount paid to Missionaries and General, Associate, and District Secretaries, including traveling expenses,		$101,909 79	May 2.	By Balance, cash on hand,		$14,673 88
	" Salary of Assistant Treasurer, and clerk hire,		1,607 65	1866.			
	" Rent and care of office, New-York,		441 15	May 1.	" Donations from Churches and Individuals,	$85,127 10	
	" " " " Philadelphia,		133 87		" Legacies,	1,809 60	
	" Printing Annual Reports, Circulars, etc.,		346 96		" Donations for South and Freedmen,	4,392 83	
	" Blank Books and Stationery,		87 85				91,329 53
	" Postage and Revenue Stamps,		183 06				
	" Advertising Monthly Receipts,		125 04				
	" Interest on Loans, Exchange, and Collections,		152 96				
	" Legal Expenses in Will Cases,		183 33				
	" Appropriation for Missionary Purposes at Hampton, Va.,		774 59				
	" Balance,		57 16				
			$106,003 41				$106,003 41
				1866.			
				May 1.	By balance,		$57 16

NEW-YORK, May 1, 1866.

E. A. LAMBERT, *Treasurer.*

We have examined the foregoing account, with the vouchers, and find it correct.

T. RALSTON SMITH,
JAMES F. JOY.

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *in account with* WILLIAM A BOOTH, *Treasurer.*

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	Discount on Currency,	3 30					
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			$6307 42				$6307 42
May, 1866.	To Balance to new account,		37 44				

THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION *in account with* JESSE W. BENEDICT, *Treasurer.*

DR. *From May 1, 1865, to May 1, 1866.* CR.

1865–66.	To Cash paid Students in Theological Seminaries, Colleges, and Academies, during the year from the first of May, 1865, to first of May, 1866,.....	$16,367 70	1865–66.	By Balance from last account,.....		$1,750 72
	To cash paid Salary of General Secretary, traveling expenses, printing, stationery, Rent, Postage, etc.,.	3,181 60		By Cash received from churches as per accompanying statement,.....		17,199 01
	To Balance to new account,.....	906 19		By Cash from individuals, as per accompanying statement,.....		917 16
				By Cash, part of appropriations to students last year, returned, not used,.....		30 50
				By Cash, interest on Scholarship No. 1, (Phelps,) invested in United States Five-Twenties,.....	$120 00	
				Premium on gold,.....	41 70	
						$161 70
				By Cash, interest on Scholarships Nos. 2 and 3, invested in United States Five-Twenties,.....	$240 00	
				Premium on gold,.....	83 40	
						$323 40
				By Cash, interest (six months) on Scholarship No. 4, invested in United States Seven-Thirties,....	$73 00	73 00
		$20,455 49				$20,455 49
			1866. May 1.	By Balance to new account.....		$906 19

This certifies that we have audited the above account, and find it to be correct, the vouchers for payments to Students for last quarter not having been returned; also there being no vouchers for March payments to five students in Ashmun Institute, and one Student in Waverly Institute; also for payments to two students in Andover Seminary.

NEW-YORK, May, 1866.

WM. W. WICKES,
JOS. F. JOY.

THE CHURCH ERECTION FUND *in account with* JESSE W. BENEDICT, *Treasurer.*

From May 1, 1865, to May 1, 1866.

Dr.		Cr.	
To Cash, Loans to Churches,	$2,775 00	By Balance from former account,	$17,228 32
" Donations to Churches,	400 00	By Cash, from Call Loans and Temporary Investments,	198,951 00
" Call Loans and Temporary Investments,	221,331 45	" Interest on ditto,	4,835 21
" Expenses, being Salary of Secretary and Treasurer, Rent of Office, Stationery, Printing, Postage, etc.,	1,845 07	" Instalments from various Churches on account of their Bonds and Mortgages,	5,394 22
" Miscellaneous,	68 11	" Interest on ditto,	986 58
To Balance in Bank,	1,941 17	" Annual collections received from Churches on account of Donations,	839 07
		" Miscellaneous,	126 40
			$228,360 80
	$228,360 80	By Balance in Bank,	$1,941 17

This certifies that we have examined the vouchers in the hands of the Treasurer, and find the above account correct.

EDWARD A. LAMBERT,
JOHN P. CROSBY.

NEW-YORK, May 2d, 1866.

CONDITION OF THE CHURCH ERECTION FUND, MAY 1ST, 1866.

Amount of Loans to Churches secured by Bonds and Mortgages,	$32,046 70
Amount of Donations to Churches secured by Bonds and Mortgages,	15,013 18
Amount of Call Loans and Temporary Investments,	77,425 45
Interest earned thereon to date,	1,072 02
Cash in Bank,	1,942 17
Total,	$127,499 52

This certifies that we have examined the securities in the hands of the Treasurer, and find the above statement to be correct.

EDWARD A. LAMBERT,
JOHN P. CROSBY.

1865–66.	To Cash paid Students in Theological Seminaries, Colleges, and Academies, during the year from the first of May, 1865, to first of May, 1866,.....	$16,367 70	1865–66.	By Balance from last account,.....	$1,750 72
	To cash paid Salary of General Secretary, traveling expenses, printing, stationery, Rent, Postage, etc.,.	3,181 60		By Cash received from churches as per accompanying statement,.....	17,199 01
	To Balance to new account,.....	906 19		By Cash from individuals, as per accompanying statement,.....	917 16
				By Cash, part of appropriations to students last year, returned, not used,.....	30 50
				By Cash, interest on Scholarship No. 1, (Phelps,) invested in United States Five-Twenties,.....$120 00	
				Premium on gold,..... ..... 41 70	$161 70
				By Cash, interest on Scholarships Nos. 2 and 3, invested in United States Five-Twenties,.....$240 00	
				Premium on gold,..... 83 40	$323 40
				By Cash, interest (six months) on Scholarship No. 4, invested in United States Seven-Thirties,.... $73 00	73 00
		$20,455 49			$20,455 49
			1866. May 1.	By Balance to new account.....	$906 19

This certifies that we have audited the above account, and find it to be correct, the vouchers for payments to Students for last quarter not having been returned; also there being no vouchers for March payments to five students in Ashmun Institute, and one Student in Waverly Institute; also for payments to two students in Andover Seminary.

NEW-YORK, May, 1866.

WM. W. WICKES,
JOS. F. JOY.

DR. JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer, in account with* THE TRUSTEES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN HOUSE. CR.

1865.			1865.		
May 1.	Balance per last report,	$1,550 82	May 4.	Paid to the Sea. Friend Soc., from J. Guthrie, trust.,	$16 46
June 15.	Received of Publication Committee for Sinking Fund,	1,000 00	"	A. B. C. F. Missions,	16 46
July 31.	Rec'd 6 mos. int. on City Loan,	105 00	July 7.	" for $1000 City Loan for Sinking Fund,	933 00
Sept. 1.	" " " U. S. Loans and premium,	252 87	Sept. 20.	" Hon. John Porter, Law expenses, P. Douglass trust account,	370 37
9.	" " div. on Bank Stock, P. Douglass, trust account,	285 00		" Rev. F. Starr, Jr., Traveling expenses, P. Douglass, trust account,	32 09
Oct. 16.	" " int. on Lehigh Loan, net,	27 00	Nov. 20.	" Rev. T. J. Shepherd, D.D., Secretary, (incidental expenses,)	12 50
	" " " " J. Guthrie,				
1866.	trust account,	32 62	22.	" Publicat'n Com., from P. Douglass trust acc't,	480 00
Jan. 26.	" " div. on Bank Stock,	332 50	"	" A. B. C. F. Missions, " " "	240 00
31.	" " int. on City Loan,	135 00	"	" " " " J. Guthrie est. acc't,	16 31
Mar. 2.	" " " U. S. Loan and premium,	237 57	"	" A. H. M. Society, P. Douglass est. trust,	480 00
April 9.	" " " Lehigh Loan, J. Guthrie, trust account,	32 62	"	" Sea. Friend Society, J. Guthrie est.,	16 31
	" " " Lehigh Loan, net,	27 00	1866.		
27.	" " " in Bank Balance,	33 71	April 14.	" for $500 L. N. Loan, for Sinking Fund at 87½,	436 55
				" Rev. T. J. Shepherd, D.D., (incid'tal expenses,)	12 50
			24.	Balance in Treasury,	989 16
		$4,051 71			$4,051 71

24.	Balance, Trust Accounts,	$473 07	
"	[Sinking Fund Account,	516 08	
			$989 16

INVESTMENTS, SECURITIES.

For account of Sinking Fund,	$13,000 00	
" Trust accounts, J. Guthrie,	1,207 56	
" " " P. Douglass, certificate of Weedsport Bank Stock, (100 Shares,)	10,000 00	

We have examined the foregoing account with the vouchers, also the securities for investments in the Sinking and Trust Funds, per statement, and find them correct.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1st, 1866.

SAMUEL H. PERKINS, CHARLES STEWART WURTS, } *Auditors.*

JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer, in account with* THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MINISTERIAL RELIEF FUND.

Dr. *From April 1st, 1865, to April 1st, 1866.* Cr.

To Balance from last year,	$1306 80	By paid appropriations,	$4710 00
Contributed by churches and individuals,	6128 49	" Issuing Annual Report,	72 95
Interest and premium on United States bond,	105 09	" Printing and advertising,	32 59
Interest on cash,	67 80	" Rent of Office,	100 00
		" Salary of Secretary, traveling expenses, postage and stationary,	1051 94
		" Money returned,	81 00
		" Miscellaneous,	3 90
		Balance in treasury,	1605 80
	$7608 18		$7608 18
Balance to new account,	1605 80		
Permanent Fund,	1500 00		

PHILADELPHIA, April 1st, 1866.

JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer.*

We have examined the above account and find it correct.

THOMAS J. SHEPHERD,
WILLIAM T. EVA, } *Auditing Committee.*

THE CHURCH ERECTION FUND *in account with* JESSE W. BENEDICT, *Treasurer.*

From May 1, 1865, *to May* 1, 1866.

Dr.		Cr.	
To Cash, Loans to Churches,	$2,775 00	By Balance from former account,	$17,228 32
" Donations to Churches,	400 00	By Cash, from Call Loans and Temporary Investments,	198,951 00
" Call Loans and Temporary Investments,	221,331 45	" Interest on ditto,	4,835 21
" Expenses, being Salary of Secretary and Treasurer, Rent of Office, Stationery, Printing, Postage, etc.,	1,845 07	" Instalments from various Churches on account of their Bonds and Mortgages,	5,394 22
" Miscellaneous,	68 11	" Interest on ditto,	986 58
To Balance in Bank,	1,941 17	" Annual collections received from Churches on account of Donations,	839 07
		" Miscellaneous,	126 40
	$228,360 80		$228,360 80
		By Balance in Bank,	$1,941 17

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WM. W. WICKES,
JOS. F. JOY.

NEW-YORK, May, 1866.

In preparing the Statistical Report, let the following rules be strictly observed:

(1.) Carefully copy the blank form and order of columns, etc., on page ☞ 337, if a blank has not been furnished.

(2.) Record Ministers in the order of their *ministerial* age, with their *Christian* names in full; and their address in the adjoining column.

(3.) ☞ Place the name of every Church opposite the name of its Pastor, or Stated Supply; never opposite the name of any other minister; if vacant, place it at the foot of the roll. ☜

(4.) Place after the name of every minister, an Abbreviation, denoting his occupation; e. g.: P., for a Pastor; P. E., for a Pastor Elect; P. C., for a Pastor of a Congregational Church; C. P., for a Colleague Pastor; S. S., for a Stated Supply; H. M., for a Home Missionary; C. M., for a City Missionary; T. M., for a Tract Missionary; S. M., for a Synodical Missionary; S. S. M., for a Sunday-School Missionary; P. M., for a Presbyterial Missionary; F. M., for a Foreign Missionary; Pres., for the President of a College; Chan., for a Chancellor; Prof., for a Professor of a College or Theological Seminary; Sec., for a Secretary, and D. Sec., for a District Secretary, of a benevolent Institution; Ag., for an Agent of do.; Ch., for a Chaplain; Tea., for a Teacher; Ed., for an Editor; Ev., for an Evangelist; W. C., for a Minister without charge; Col., for a Colporteur; Com., for a Commissioner.

(5.) Place after the name of every church the abbreviations, P., for one that has a Pastor; P. E., for one that has a Pastor Elect; S. S., for one that has a Stated Supply; or V., for one that is Vacant.

(6.) If a church fails to report, let the "whole number" of communicants be given as reported to the Synod, or to the last Assembly, with an asterisk (*) in the column of communicants, denoting the fact.

(7.) In the *additions* to the Church, distinguish between those on *examination* and those on *certificate;* in the *baptisms*, between the *adults* and the *infants;* and be careful to observe the order of the columns in which these particulars are recorded.

(8.) In the report of "*Funds*" contributed, observe the directions at the foot of the blank form on the next page, ☞ 337; and **omit the fractions** of the dollar.

(9.) The *names* of the Licentiates are to be recorded immediately after the list of Ministers, in the same column; but of the candidates—including all who are studying for the ministry under the care of the respective *churches* of the Presbytery—the *number* only is to be given.

(10.) Avoid erasures or interlineations, make names and numbers distinctly legible, and punctuate properly.

(11.) ☞ **ADD UP** ☜ every column of figures, and *Authenticate* the Report with your *signature.*

(12.) Annex a Statement, with dates, of the licensures, ordinations, installations, dissolutions of pastoral relations, organizations of churches, changes in the names or number of churches, and the decease of licentiates and ministers, since the last annual report.

(13.) Affix no extraneous matter, such as memoranda, explanations, or orders for the delivery of the printed Minutes of the Assembly; let these be given on a separate sheet.

☞ If any thing should prevent the forwarding of the Statistical Report in time for the meeting of the General Assembly, let it be sent, as soon as possible—not later than June 1st—by mail, to the Stated Clerk of the General Assembly, No. 149 West Thirty-Fourth street, New-York City.

FORM OF A PRESBYTERIAL REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The Presbytery of report to the General Assembly, that they consist of Ministers, and have under their care Churches, and Licentiates; and under the care of their Churches Students for the Ministry, viz.:—

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CANDIDATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	COMMUNICANTS.				BAPTISMS.		S. S. Membership.	FUNDS.							
			Added on Examination.	Added on Certificate.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	Adults.	Infants.		General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
John Smith, D.D., P.	C——, N. J.	C——, P.															
Richard Roe, S. S.	P——, "	P——, First, S. S.															
Timothy Brown, W. C.—3.	O——, "	S——, P. E.															
Licentiates.		R——, North, V.—4.															
Edward Jones, S. S.	M——, N. Y.																
Timothy Edwards, Tea.	T——, Ohio.																
John Bliss, Ag.—3.	S——, N. J.																
Candidates, 2.		☞ ADD UP.															

☞ (Annex a statement, in this place, of the licensures, ordinations, installations, dissolutions of pastoral relations, organizations of churches, or any change in the name or number of churches, and the decease of licentiates and ministers, with dates in every case, since the last report.) Attest, JAMES JOHNSON, *Stated Clerk.*

Date.

☞ In the column for Funds, the first six are to include only what is paid to our own treasuries, and for Foreign Missions. The last column is to include what is given for other benevolent objects. The fractions of the dollar are to be omitted.

VI. SUCCESSION OF MODERATORS.

				PRESBYTERIES.
1.	A.D., 1789,	Rev.	*John Rodgers, D.D., of	New-York.
2.	1790,		*Robert Smith, D.D.,	New-Castle.
3.	1791,		*John Woodhull, D.D.,	N. Brunswick.
4.	1792,		*John King, D.D.,	Carlisle.
5.	1793,		*James Latta, D.D.,	New-Castle.
6.	1794,		*Alexander McWhorter, D.D.,	New-York.
7.	1795,		*John McKnight, D.D.,	"
8.	1796,		*Robert Davidson,	Carlisle.
9.	1797,		*William M. Tennent, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
10.	1798,		*John Blair Smith, D.D.,	Albany.
11.	1799,		*Sam. Stanhope Smith, D.D., LL.D.,	N. Brunswick.
12.	1800,		*Joseph Clark, D.D.,	"
13.	1801,		*Nathaniel Irwin,	Philadelphia.
14.	1802,		*Azel Roe, D.D.,	New-York.
15.	1803,		*James Hall, D.D.,	Concord.
16.	1804,		*James F. Armstrong,	N. Brunswick.
17.	1805,		*James Richards, D.D.,	New-York.
18.	1806,		*Samuel Miller, D.D., LL.D.,	"
19.	1807,		*Archibald Alexander, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
20.	1808,		*Philip Milledoler, D.D.,	New-York.
21.	1809,		*Drury Lacy,	Hanover.
22.	1810,		*John Brodhead Romeyn, D.D.,	New-York.
23.	1811,		*Eliphalet Nott, D.D., LL.D.,	Albany.
24.	1812,		*Andrew Flinn, D.D.,	Harmony.
25.	1813,		*Samuel Blatchford, D.D.,	Columbia.
26.	1814,		*James Inglis, D.D.,	Baltimore.
27.	1815,		*William Neill, D.D.,	Albany.
28.	1816,		*James Blythe, D.D.,	W. Lexington.
29.	1817,		*Jonas Coe, D.D.,	Columbia.
30.	1818,		*Jacob Jones Janeway, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
31.	1819,		*John Holt Rice, D.D.,	Hanover.
32.	1820,		*John McDowell, D.D.,	Jersey.
33.	1821,		*William Hill, D.D.,	Winchester.
34.	1822,		*Obadiah Jennings, D.D.,	Steubenville.
35.	1823,		*John Chester, D.D.,	Albany.
36.	1824,		*Ashbel Green, D.D., LL.D.,	Philadelphia.
37.	1825,		*Stephen N. Rowan, D.D.,	New-York.
38.	1826,		*Thomas McAuley, D.D., LL.D.,	"
39.	1827,		*Francis Herron, D.D.,	Ohio.
40.	1828,		*Ezra Stiles Ely, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
41.	1829,		*Benjamin Holt Rice, D.D.,	Hanover.
42.	1830,		*Ezra Fisk, D.D.,	Hudson.
43.	1831,		Nathan S. S. Beman, D.D., LL.D.,	Troy.
44.	1832,		*James Hoge, D.D.,	Columbus.
45.	1833,		*William A. McDowell, D.D.,	Charleston U
46.	1834,		*Philip Lindsley, D.D.,	W. Tennesse
47.	1835,		*William W. Phillips, D.D.,	New-York.
48.	1836,		*John Witherspoon, D.D., LL.D.,	Harmony.
49.	1837,		David Elliott, D.D.,	Ohio.
50.	1838,		*Samuel Fisher, D.D.,	Newark.
51.	1839,		Baxter Dickinson, D.D.,	Cincinnati.
52.	1840,		William Wisner, D.D.,	Ithaca.

			PRESBYTERIES.
53. A.D., 1843, Rev.	Ansel D. Eddy, D.D.,	of	Newark.
54. 1846,	Samuel Hanson Cox, D.D., LL.D.,		Brooklyn.
55. 1849,	*Philip C. Hay, D.D.,		Tioga.
56. 1850,	David H. Riddle, D.D., LL.D.,		Pittsburgh.
57. 1851,	Albert Barnes,		Philadel., 4th.
58. 1852,	William Adams, D.D.,		N. York, 4th.
59. 1853,	D. Howe Allen, D.D.,		Cincinnati.
60. 1854,	Thomas H. Skinner, D.D., LL.D.,		N. York, 3d.
61. 1855,	William C. Wisner, D.D.,		Niagara.
62. 1856,	Laurens P. Hickok, D.D.,		Troy.
63. 1857,	Samuel W. Fisher, D.D.,		Cincinnati.
64. 1858,	Matthew L. P. Thompson, D.D.,		Buffalo.
65. 1859,	Robert W. Patterson, D.D.,		Chicago.
66. 1860,	Thornton A. Mills,		Indianapolis.
67. 1861,	Jonathan B. Condit, D.D.,		Cayuga.
68. 1862,	George Duffield, D.D.,		Detroit.
69. 1863,	Henry B. Smith, D.D., LL.D.,		N. York, 4th.
70. 1864,	Thomas Brainerd, D.D.,		Philadel., 4th.
71. 1865,	James B. Shaw, D.D.,		Rochester.
72. 1866,	Samuel M. Hopkins, D.D.,		Cayuga.

VII. SUCCESSION OF STATED CLERKS.

			PRESBYTERIES.
1. A.D., 1788, Rev.	*George Duffield, D.D.,	of	Philadelphia.
2. 1790,	*Ashbel Green, D.D., LL.D.,		"
3. 1803,	*Philip Milledoler, D.D.,		"
4. 1806,	*Nathaniel Irwin,		"
5. 1807,	*Jacob Jones Janeway, D.D.,		"
6. 1817,	*William Neill, D.D.,		"
7. 1825,	*Ezra Stiles Ely, D.D.,		"
8. 1836,	*John McDowell, D.D.,		"
9. 1838,	*Erskine Mason, D.D.,		New-York, 3d.
10. 1846,	Edwin Francis Hatfield, D.D.,		"

VIII. SUCCESSION OF PERMANENT CLERKS.

			PRESBYTERIES.
1. A.D., 1802, Rev.	*Nathaniel Irwin,	of	Pennsylvania.
2. 1807,	*John Ewing Latta,		New-Castle.
3. 1825,	*John McDowell, D.D.,		Elizabethtown.
4. 1837,	John M. Krebs, D.D.,		New-York.
5. 1838,	*Eliphalet W. Gilbert, D.D.,		Philadel., 4th.
6. 1854,	Henry Darling, D.D.,		" 3d.
7. 1864,	J. Glentworth Butler, D.D.		" 3d.

V. Statistical Reports.

I. OF THE SYNODS.

SYNODS.	PRESBYTERIES.	PLACE OF MEETING.	TIME OF MEETING.	MODERATORS.	STATED CLERKS.
I. ALBANY.	Champlain, Troy, Albany, Columbia, Catskill.—5.	Troy, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	George A. Howard.	A. Bordman Lambert, D.D.
II. UTICA.	St. Lawrence, Watertown, Oswego, Utica.—4.	Potsdam, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Baruch B. Beckwith.	William E. Knox, D.D.
III. ONONDAGA.	Onondaga, Cayuga, Cortland, Tioga.—4.	Auburn, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Edwin Hall, D.D.	Lewis H. Reid.
IV. GENEVA.	Geneva, Steuben, Chemung, Ithaca, Wellsborough, Lyons.—6.	Horse Heads, N. Y.	Sept., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	William A. Niles.	Benjamin M. Goldsmith.
V. SUSQUEHANNA.	Otsego, Chenango, Delaware.—3.	Nineveh, N. Y.	Sept., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Charles H. De Long.	Willard M. Hoyt.
VI. GENESEE.	Buffalo, Ontario, Rochester, Genesee, Niagara, Angelica.—6.	Buffalo, N. Y.	Sept., 2d Tuesday, 1866, 4 P.M.	Charles F. Mussey.	Timothy Stillman, D.D.
VII. NEW-YORK AND NEW-JERSEY.	Hudson, North River, Long Island, N. York, 3d, N. York, 4th, Brooklyn, Newark, Rockaway, Montrose.—9.	New-York City, N. Y.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Howard Crosby, D.D.	Obadiah M. Johnson.
VIII. PENNSYLVANIA.	Wilmington, Philadelphia, 3d, Philadelphia, 4th, Harrisburgh, District of Columbia.—5.	Carlisle, Pa.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	T. J. Shepherd, D.D.	William E. Moore.
IX. W. PENNSYLVANIA.	Erie, Meadville, Pittsburgh.—3.	Meadville, Pa.	Sept., 4th Friday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Joseph Vance.	George A. Lyon, D.D.
X. MICHIGAN.	Detroit, Monroe, Marshall, Washtenaw, Kalamazoo, Coldwater, Saginaw, Gr'd River Valley.—8.	Pontiac, Mich.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Wm. S. Taylor.	William S. Taylor.
XI. WESTERN RESERVE.	G. River, Huron, Trumbull, Cleveland and Portage, Medina, Elyria, Maumee.—7.	Toledo, Ohio.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 2 P.M.	John H. Walter.	Xenophon Betts.
XII. OHIO.	Athens, Pataskala, Franklin, Scioto.—4.	Putnam, Ohio.	Oct., Friday, after 2d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Rollin A. Sawyer.	Addison Kingsbury, D.D.
XIII. CINCINNATI.	Cincinnati, Ripley, Dayton, Hamilton.—4.	College Hill, Ohio.	Oct., 4th Friday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Joseph Chester.	William M. Cheever.

XIV. INDIANA.	Salem, Madison, Indianapolis, Greencastle.—4.	Rockville, Ind.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Charles H. Marshall.	John M. Bishop.
XV. WABASH.	Crawfordsville, St. Joseph, Logansport, Fort Wayne.—4.	Fort Wayne, Ind.	Oct., 3d Thursday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Martin M. Post, D.D.	Francis S. McCabe.
XVI. ILLINOIS.	Illinois, Schuyler, Wabash, Alton.—4.	Jacksonville, Ill.	Oct., 1st Thursday, 1866, 7 P.M.	David Dimond.	George C. Wood.
XVII. PEORIA.	Ottawa, Knox, Galena and Belvidere, Chicago, Bloomington.—5.	Galesburgh, Ill.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Levi P. Crawford.	Zeph. M. Humphrey, D.D.
XVIII. WISCONSIN.	Milwaukee, Fox River, Columbus, Lake Superior.—4.	Lodi, Wis.	Sept., 3d Thursday, 1866, 3 P.M.	John Fairchild.	Benjamin G. Riley.
XIX. IOWA.	Des Moines, Keokuk, Iowa City, Dubuque, Chariton, Cedar Rapids.—6.	Marshalltown, Ia.	Sept., 2d Thursday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Henry B. Holmes.	Hannibal L. Stanley.
XX. MINNESOTA.	Dakota, Minnesota, Winona.—3.	Stillwater, Minn.	Sept., last Thursday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Sandford H. Smith.	Charles S. Le Duc.
XXI. MISSOURI.	St. Louis, Northern Missouri, Lexington, Osage, Kansas.—5.	Lawrence, Kan.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Ben. B. Parsons, D.D.	Henry A. Nelson, D.D.
XXII. TENNESSEE.	Union, Kingston, Holston.—3.	Knoxville, Tenn.	Sept., last Thursday, 1866, 11 A.M.	Thomas Brown.	Thomas J. Lamar.
XXIII. ALTA CALIFORNIA.	San Francisco, San José, Sierra Nevada, Washoe.—4.	San Francisco, Cal.	Oct., 1st Wednesday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Charles C. Wallace.	Edward B. Walsworth.

KEY TO THE ABBREVIATIONS, &c., IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE.

An asterisk, (*) attached to the name of a Presbytery, denotes that no Report has been received from that Presbytery the present year, and that the deficiency is supplied from the last Report rendered, and other sources, if any. An asterisk is also attached to the number of Communicants, when a *Church* has failed to render a Report, and the deficiency is supplied in like manner. The same sign attached to the first column shows the *whole number of Additions*, both on Examination and Certificate, no distinction having been made in the Presbyterial Report. The same sign, in the "General Assembly" column, shows the excess of the payment to the Assembly above the sum reported.

The following abbreviations also are used: P., for *Pastor;* P. E., for *Pastor Elect;* C. P., for *Colleague Pastor;* P. C., for *Pastor of a Congregational Church;* S. S., for *Stated Supply;* W. C., for *Without Charge;* Ag., for *Agent;* H. M., for *Home Missionary;* C. M., for *City Missionary;* T. M., for *Tract Missionary;* P. M., for *Presbyterial Missionary;* S. M., for *Synodical Missionary;* S. S. M., for *Sunday-School Missionary;* F. M., for *Foreign Missionary;* Pres., for *President;* Chan., for *Chancellor;* Prof., for *Professor;* Tea., for *Teacher;* Ed., for *Editor;* Ev., for *Evangelist;* Ch., for *Chaplain;* Sec., for *Secretary* of a Benevolent Society; D. Sec., for *District Secretary;* Col., for *Colporteur;* Com., for *Commissioner;* and V., for a *Vacant* Church.

II. OF THE PRESBYTERIES.

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CANDIDATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	COMMUNICANTS.				BAP'D.		S.S. Membership.	FUNDS CONTRIBUTED.							
			Added on Examination.	Added on Certificate.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	Adults.	Infants.		General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
I. Synod of Albany.																	
1. *Presb. of Champlain.*																	
Moses Chase, W. C.	Plattsburgh, N. Y.																
Rufus R. Deming, W. C.	Constable, "																
Moses Thacher, S. S.	Peru, "	Peru, S. S.	1		49		1		40	2 00	12					549	
Silas R. Woodruff, W. C.	Leavenworth, Kan.																
Stephen H. Williams, P. C.	North-Hero, Vt.																
Charles M. Seaton, P. C.	Charlotte, "																
*Zebulon M. P. Luther, W. C.	Elmer, N. J.															910	
Cyrenius Ransom, P.	Moriah, N. Y.	Port Henry, P.		1	30			1	60								
Andrew M. Millar, W. C.	Malone, "																
Benjamin Marvin, W. C.	Bangor, "																
Asahel Bronson, S. S.	East-Hebron, "																
George T. Everest, S. S.	Au Sable Forks, "	Au Sable Forks, S. S.	1		49			2	100	3 00	20					1000	197
Jonathan Copeland, P.	Champlain, "	Champlain, P.	6	1	293	110	5		280	10 00	106	334	88			1153	490
John Bradshaw, P. C.	Crown Point, "																
Alanson D. Barber, W. C.	Williston, Vt.																
Edwin A. Bulkley, P.	Plattsburgh, N. Y.	Plattsburgh, P.	2	2	236	80	2	1	125	12 00		80	26			9500	142
Royal G. Wilder, F. M.	Kolapoor, India.																
John R. Herrick, S. S.	Malone, N. Y.	Malone, S. S.	45	11	462	135	16	4	300	9 00	501	419				1990	794
Asa E. Everest, W. C.	Peru, "																

Silas G. Randall, W. C.	Rockford, Ill.																
Henry E. Butler, P.	Keeseville, N. Y.	Keeseville, P.	1	6	157	39	1	3	100	7 00	33	103				1251	87
Archibald Fleming, W. C.	Constable, "																
Ebenezer M. Toof, P. E.	Beekmantown, "	Beekmantown, P. E.		6	161	32		3	125	5 00	12					761	118
Ebenezer N. Thomas, P.—24.	Fort Covington, "	Fort Covington, P.	25		175		5	6	290		60	27				1200	27
		Mooers, S. S.	7	2	89		2	3	75								
		Chateaugay, S. S.	3	3	100	13		1	119	5 00	24	54				1000	
Candidates, 4.		Moira, S. S.	6		59	7	2		106	2 00		11				349	
		Constable, V.	1		54	3		2	70	3 00							41
		Ellenburgh, S. S.	2	1	40	1	1		78	2 00		5				310	42
		Essex, S. S.	1	5	63	35			40	5 00							
* Died May 22, 1866, æt. 58.		Bedford, V.			33												
		Burke, S. S.			*46												
		Chazy, V.—18.			57												
			101	38	2253	455	35	26	1908	65 00	768	1033	114			19,973	1938
2. *Presb. of Troy.*																	
Nathan S. S. Beman, D.D., LL.D., P. Em.	Carbondale, Ill.																
Jonathan Harris Noble, P.	Schaghticoke, N. Y.	Schaghticoke, P.		3	192	41		5	165	13 38	150	167				8832	135
Laurens P. Hickok, D.D., Pres.	Schenectady, "																
A. Bordman Lambert, P.	Hoosick Falls, "	Hoosick Falls, P.	4	3	164				200	10 00			13				
Lewis Kellogg, P.	Whitehall, "	Whitehall, P.	1		214	50		2	200	13 00	63	168	20			1900	530
Andrew Jackson Fennel, P.	Glenn's Falls, "	Glenn's Falls, P.	2	3	250	40		5		12 84	42	79					
Chauncey H. Hubbard, S. S.	Bennington, Vt.																
Rufus C. Clapp, W. C.	Chestertown, N. Y.																
Robert Day, Ch.	Nassau, "																
Jotham Sewall, S. S.	North-Granville, "	North-Granville,	3		114	37	2	4	48	4 50	76	43	14			553	109
Samuel M. Wood, S. S.	Eagle Mills, "	Brunswick,		1	90				60	6 00		35				825	82
Waters Warren, S. S.																	
Joseph Hurlbut, S. S.																	
John Newbanks, W. C.	Troy, "																
Jacob A. Prime, P.	Troy, "	Troy, Liberty St., P.	4		66	18	2	6	96	2 75	5					300	44
P. Mason Bartlett, S. S.	Maryville, Tenn.																

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John Turbitt, S. S.	E. Greenville, Tenn.																
Marvin R. Vincent, P.	Troy, N. Y.	Troy, First, P.	21	10	655	320	9	2	200	20 00	369	470	100			8430	982
James M. Crawford, S. S.	South-Hartford, "																
John Peter Roe, S. S.	Oshkosh, Wis.																
Henry S. Redfield, S. S.																	
Joshua B. Hall, P.	Tomhannock, N. Y.	Johnsonville, P.	3	3	51	2	3	1	80	3 06	9	17				800	40
		Pittstown, P.	2	1	30	5	1		40	1 50	9	10				1050	150
Charles F. Dowd, Tea.	North-Granville, "																
Charles D. Flagler, S. S.	Chestertown, "	Chestertown, S. S.			*61					3 66							
Anthony D. Axtell, S. S.—25.	Lansingburgh, "	Lansingburgh, S. S.	3	2	103	10		5	200	7 00	300	50				2318	30
		Salem, S. S.	1	3	110				150	10 50		183					250
		Middle Granville, S. S.		2	63				50	4 20		41	11			931	40
		Hebron, S. S.			31	2		1	25	2 00							
		Warrensburgh, V.			25					1 50							
		Fort Ann, V.															
Licentiate.		Bolton, V.—18.															
Eli T. Mack, Tea.—1.	Flatbush, L. I., N. Y.		44	31	2284	525	17	31	1514	115 89	1023	1263	158			25,939	2392
Candidates, 4.																	
3. *Presb. of Albany.*																	
Charles Doolittle, P.	Nassau, N. Y.	Nassau, P.	1		48				62	3 50	5	4	2	2		750	58
Philander Barbour, P. E.	Brainerd, "	East-Nassau & Brainerd, P. E.			80	5			215	6 00	130	25	10	50	5	840	120
Henry Darling, D.D., P.	Albany, N. Y.	Albany, Fourth, P.	17	32	737		4	8	617	15 45	525	558				54942	
Lumas H. Pease,	New-Britain, Ct.																
Stephen Bush, W. C.	Waterford, N. Y.									*54 70							

Frederick S. Jewell, Prof.	Albany, N. Y.																
William Whittaker, W. C.	Greenbush, "																
Zerah T. Hoyt, S. S.	West-Greenfield, "																
Frederick W. Flint, H. M.	Nevada.	Cohoes, V.	38	12	275		13		270	8	00	25					6500	100
William H. Carr, W. C.	Albany, N Y.																	
Daniel C. Frost, S. S.	Putnam, Ct.																	
John P. Cushman, P. C.	Brighton, Mass.																	
Albert C. Bishop, P.—13.	Sand Lake, N. Y.	Sand Lake, P.	32	5	47		17		68	3	75		73				840	48
		Greenbush, V.	8	3	148		2	1	205	5	70	61	36				1550	
		Mechanicsville, P. E.		3	51	10		7	60								540	
Candidate, 1.		Stephentown, S. S.		2	51				58			39					625	
		Edinburgh, S. S.			62												460	
		Moreau, V.			9													
		West-Troy, V.—11.			6													
4. *Presb. of Columbia.*			96	57	1514	15	36	16	1555	97	10	785	696	12	52	5	67,047	326
Brainerd Kent, W. C.	Chicago, Ill.																	
John Whitney, S. S.	Canaan Four C., N. Y.	Canaan Centre, S. S.	2		42	16			20	2	58	16	27				400	33
William S. Leavitt, P.	Hudson, "	Hudson, P.	25	8	378	43	10	4	200	21	54	94	350			37	3018	400
Charles S. Sylvester, S. S.	Richmond, Mass.																	
Charles T. Berry, P.	Valatie, N. Y.	Valatie, P.	13	5	237	51	6	5	150	14	00	30	70	37	25		1592	67
John McVey, P.—6.	New-Lebanon, N. Y.	New-Lebanon, P.	8		63	12	6	1	100	3	48	25	30				950	474
		Spencertown, V.			55					3	66						400	
		Hillsdale, V.—6.			50					3	60						250	
5. *Presb. of Catskill.*			48	13	825	122	22	10	470	48	86	165	477	37	25	37	6610	974
Linus H. Fellows, W.C. *In trans.*	Vinton, Iowa.																	
Leonard B. Van Dyck, W. C.	Coxsackie, N. Y.																	
John B. Fish, W. C.	Catskill, "																	
John Moase, W. C.	Middleburgh, "																	
J. J. Buck, P.	Jewett, "	Jewett, P.	1	7	134			1		8	00							
Andrew P. Freese, S. S.	Acra, "	Cairo, S. S.			67					4	00	3	3					
George A. Howard, P.	Catskill, "	Catskill, P.	6	8	233		3	5	160	13	00	389	183		34		2965	1161

THE PRESBYTERIAN PUBLICATION COMMITTEE *in account with* WM. L. HILDEBURN, *Treasurer.*

Dr.						Cr.	
	Cash paid by orders on Treasurer, viz.:				By Balance on hand April 1, 1865,		$1,558 38
	For Committee,	$40,991 44			" Cash rec'd on acc't of Donations,		9,165 01
	" Trustees Presb. House,	4,063 78			" " " Endowment Fund,		4,160 16
	" Store,	6,552 45	$51,607 67		" " " Sales,		27,578 03
					" " " " of Investments,		6,000 00
					" " " int. and prem'm on ditto,		1,789 10
1866.					" " " Presb. House Rents,		1,322 50
March 31.	To Balance to new account,		465 51		" " " Temporary Loan,		500 00
			$52,073 18				$52,073 18
				March 31	By Balance to new account,		$465 51

WM. L. HILDEBURN, *Treasurer.*

PHILADELPHIA, April 1st, 1866. [E. E.]

IV. Miscellaneous.

I. EXPENSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The attention of the Presbyteries is called to the Plan, proposed by the Assembly of 1857, for the raising of an annual Fund, to defray the traveling expenses of Commissioners, and the contingent expenses of the General Assembly.

"The Committee on the Polity of the Church, to whom was referred the consideration of a permanent system of Mileage, presented the following report, which was adopted:

"The Constitution affirms that, 'in order, as far as possible, to procure a respectable and full delegation to all our judicatories, it is proper that the expenses of ministers and elders, in their attendance on these judicatories, be defrayed by the bodies which they respectively represent.'

"The following recommendations are therefore submitted:

"That each Presbytery be earnestly requested to contribute annually their full proportion toward the expenses of our General Assemblies.

"That this proportion be determined by the number of communicants connected with the Presbytery.

"That the rate *per capita* for the next Assembly be five (5) cents for each communicant.

"That each Presbytery be at liberty to apportion their quota among their churches as they shall deem best.

That the Standing Committee on Mileage, annually appointed, estimate and report the probable amount that will be needed to defray the necessary traveling expenses of the Commissioners, and the contingent expenses, of the next succeeding Assembly, together with the rate that will be adequate.

"That, on or before the fourth day of the sessions of each Assembly, the amount thus contributed be paid to the Committee on Mileage, and a bill be presented, by each Commissioner, of his necessary traveling expenses and mileage.

"That these bills, having been duly audited by the Mileage Committee, be paid as fully as the funds will permit, after appropriating an amount sufficient to defray the contingent expenses of the Assembly.

"That each minister and vacant church, connected with those Presbyteries who have contributed their full quota to this fund, be entitled to a copy of the Annual Minutes.

"That, in order to avail themselves of the privileges of this plan, the Presbyteries must contribute and forward to the Assembly their full proportion of this fund as thus determined."

This Plan was adopted after much and careful deliberation. It calls for an annual contribution, from each of our Presbyteries, to the amount, for the Assembly of 1867, of six cents for each of their communicants as reported in the *printed Minutes of the last Assembly*. Although but partially com-

plied with, the wisdom of the Plan has been fully attested. During the past eight years, the contingent expenses have been fully paid, and an average of eighty-four per cent of the necessary traveling expenses of the Commissioners of the Presbyteries complying with the Plan. Such a result has never before been attained by us, or other General Assemblies. If the Presbyteries will but faithfully comply with the Plan, all the expenses will be fully met. In order to this,

1. Let the Commissioners be instructed to look only to the Assembly, for the payment of their necessary traveling expenses.

2. Let the amount required be apportioned in due season among the churches of the Presbytery, according to their relative ability.

3. Let the Stated Clerk of the Presbytery be charged with the duty of collecting these apportionments, and forwarding the amount in good time to the Assembly.

4. Let the Commissioners of the Presbytery be instructed to pay to the Assembly the full apportionment thus obtained by the Stated Clerk; and to make good any deficiency in the amount, with the assurance of being reimbursed by the Presbytery on their return.

The adoption of such a course will, it is thought, secure a sum amply sufficient to meet all the contingent expenses of the Assembly, and all the necessary traveling expenses of all the Commissioners. It lays but a light burden on the feebler Presbyteries, and cannot prove grievous to the stronger. It is exceedingly desirable that the burden should not be laid on a part only. It is not just that the stronger Presbyteries should decline to bear their full proportion of the burden, whatever it may be.

In case it is found impracticable on the part of any Presbytery to comply with the Plan, a contribution is to be made, to the Contingent Fund of the Assembly, of an amount not less than seventy-five cents for each ministerial member of the Presbytery, according to the Minutes of 1863. (See Minutes of 1865, p. 461. See, also, Minutes of 1866, p. 275.)

The estimate of return expenses must be by the cheapest route of travel, advantage being taken of reduction of fare when practicable. The Mileage Committee are to judge of the correctness of the bills rendered.

II. ANNUAL MINUTES.

The price, as determined by the Assembly of 1864, *is sixty cents*, postage not included. A copy will be sent, without charge, to the Stated Clerk of every Presbytery, and of every Synod; also, to every Minister, and Session of every vacant church, whose address is known, and whose Presbytery has contributed to the Mileage Fund its full apportionment, or to the Contingent Fund not less than seventy-five cents for each of its Ministers; also, by order of the Assembly of 1863, to each of our Foreign Missionaries.

Presbyteries that desire their copies sent by mail are to give express directions to that effect, and forward the postage, at the rate of six cents per copy.

III. SYNODICAL REPORTS.

A *Statistical Report* is to be forwarded to the Assembly by the Stated Clerk of every Synod, in which are to be stated the number of Presbyteries, ministers, churches, licentiates and candidates within their bounds, and how distributed; the changes which may have been made in the number or arrangement of their Presbyteries; the names of the Stated Clerks of the

Samuel W. Brace, Ag.	Utica,	N. Y.										*17	09								
Augustus L. Chapin, S. S.	Amsterdam,	"																			
Henry Boynton, W. C.	Clinton,	"																			
Theodore Spencer, W. C.	Utica,	"																			
Samuel W. Fisher, D.D., Pres.	Clinton,	"	Hamilton College, S.S.	6	17	64		4				5	00		40						
Philemon H. Fowler, D.D., P.	Utica,	"	Utica, First, P.	5	20	520		2	5	1000		34	00	3549	1356	314	1721		4500	3675	
Nich. W. Goertner, D.D., Com.	Clinton,	"																			
Samuel W. Raymond, W. C.	"	"																			
A. Delos Gridley, W. C.	"	"																			
William E. Knox, D.D., P.	Rome,	"	Rome, P.	6	11	343		3	15	500		23	32	676	277	70	104			503	
Selden Haines, W. C.	"	"																			
Jonathan B. Hubbard, P.	Whitesboro,	"	Whitesboro, P.	1	3	151			2					70	50		70			100	
Franklin A. Spencer, Sec.	Syracuse,	"																			
Elliot H. Payson, S. S.	Oxford,	"																			
Chester Fitch, P.	New-York Mills,	"	New-York Mills, P.			3	136					9	86	225	115	350	175				
William S. Franklin, P.	Camden,	"	Camden, P.	48	7	385		14	9			20	75	157	289		218		2345	211	
Daniel C. Tyler, S. S.	Taberg,	"	Taberg, S. S.				20														
Benjamin F. Willoughby, P. C.	Augusta,	"																			
Moses E. Dunham, S. S.	Westmoreland,	"																			
Albert H. Corliss, P.	Holland Patent,	"	Holland Patent, P.				127			3				150	63	50	109			129	
Elijah H. Bonney, S. S.	Vernon Centre,	"	Vernon Centre, S. S.				126			1		10	00	18	33	20			400	118	
Joseph N. McGiffert, P.	Sauquoit,	"	Sauquoit, P.	8	10	138		2				6	35	163	110	70	79			158	
Charles Jerome, Ag.	Clinton,	"																			
William N. McHarg, Prof.	"	"																			
Chester W. Hawley, P. E.	Waterville,	"	Waterville, P. E.			1	136					10	25	52	52		185			90	
John Lyle, C. M.	Utica,	"																			
Wilson B. Parmelee, P.	Westernville,	"	Westernville, P.	5	4	97		1	3			6	50	68	175	34	57			150	
Michael V. D. Waters, S. S.	Gravesville,	"																			
Elizur N. Manley, W. C.	New-Bremen,	"	Booneville, V.	8	1	178		4	10	199		12	25	30	100	21	18		533	201	
Edward C. Pritchett, S. S.	Oriskany,	"	Oriskany, S. S.	1	3	35				100		2	00	10	10				1667		
Edwin E. Williams, P. C.	Warsaw,	"																			
W. Frederick Williams, F. M.	Mardin, E. Turkey, A.																				
Edward B. Furbish, P.	New-Hartford,	N. Y.	New-Hartford, P.	11	9	140		5	4			8	89	60	96	12	112			101	
James B. Fisher, S. S.	Lyons' Falls,	"	Lyons' Falls, S. S.				27					2	30	2	16	2	4				
Albert Erdman, P.	Clinton,	"	Clinton, P.	12	17	261		5	3			17	55	519	402	174	48			546	

In preparing the Statistical Report, let the following rules be strict observed:

(1.) Carefully copy the blank form and order of columns, etc., on pa ☞ 337, if a blank has not been furnished.

(2.) Record Ministers in the order of their *ministerial* age, with th *Christian* names in full; and their address in the adjoining column.

(3.) ☞ Place the name of every Church opposite the name of its Past or Stated Supply; never opposite the name of any other minister; if vaca place it at the foot of the roll. ☜

(4.) Place after the name of every minister, an Abbreviation, denoti his occupation; e. g.: P., for a Pastor; P. E., for a Pastor Elect; P. for a Pastor of a Congregational Church; C. P., for a Colleague Pastc S. S., for a Stated Supply; H. M., for a Home Missionary; C. M., fo City Missionary; T. M., for a Tract Missionary; S. M., for a Synodical M sionary; S. S. M., for a Sunday-School Missionary; P. M., for a Presl terial Missionary; F. M., for a Foreign Missionary; Pres., for the Presid of a College; Chan., for a Chancellor; Prof., for a Professor of a College Theological Seminary; Sec., for a Secretary, and D. Sec., for a Distr Secretary, of a benevolent Institution; Ag., for an Agent of do.; Ch., fo Chaplain; Tea., for a Teacher; Ed., for an Editor; Ev., for an Evangelis W. C., for a Minister without charge; Col., for a Colporteur; Com., for Commissioner.

(5.) Place after the name of every church the abbreviations, P., for o that has a Pastor; P. E., for one that has a Pastor Elect; S. S., for o that has a Stated Supply; or V., for one that is Vacant.

(6.) If a church fails to report, let the "whole number" of communicar be given as reported to the Synod, or to the last Assembly, with an aste isk (*) in the column of communicants, denoting the fact.

(7.) In the *additions* to the Church, distinguish between those on *exa ination* and those on *certificate;* in the *baptisms*, between the *adults* a the *infants;* and be careful to observe the order of the columns in whi these particulars are recorded.

(8.) In the report of "*Funds*" contributed, observe the directions at t foot of the blank form on the next page, ☞ 337; and **omit tl fractions** of the dollar.

(9.) The *names* of the Licentiates are to be recorded immediately af the list of Ministers, in the same column; but of the candidates—includi all who are studying for the ministry under the care of the respect *churches* of the Presbytery—the *number* only is to be given.

(10.) Avoid erasures or interlineations, make names and numbers d tinctly legible, and punctuate properly.

(11.) ☞ **ADD UP** ☜ every column of figures, and *Authentic* the Report with your *signature.*

(12.) Annex a Statement, with dates, of the licensures, ordinations, stallations, dissolutions of pastoral relations, organizations of church changes in the names or number of churches, and the decease of licentia and ministers, since the last annual report.

(13.) Affix no extraneous matter, such as memoranda, explanations, orders for the delivery of the printed Minutes of the Assembly; let the be given on a separate sheet.

☞ If any thing should prevent the forwarding of the Statistical Rep in time for the meeting of the General Assembly, let it be sent, as soon possible—not later than June 1st—by mail, to the Stated Clerk of t General Assembly, No. 149 West Thirty-Fourth street, New-York City.

FORM OF A PRESBYTERIAL REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The Presbytery of *report to the General Assembly, that they consist of* Ministers, and have under their care Churches, and Licentiates; and under the care of their Churches Students for the Ministry, viz.:—

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CANDIDATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	COMMUNICANTS.				BAPTISMS.			FUNDS.							
			Added on Examination.	Added on Certificate.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	Adults.	Infants.	S. S. Membership.	General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
John Smith, D.D., P.	C——, N. J.	C——, P.															
Richard Roe, S. S.	P——, "	P——, First, S. S.															
Timothy Brown, W. C.—3.	O——, "	S——, P. E.															
Licentiates.		R——, North, V.—4.															
Edward Jones, S. S.	M——, N. Y.																
Timothy Edwards, Tea.	T——, Ohio.																
John Bliss, Ag.—3.	S——, N. J.																
Candidates, 2.		☞ ADD UP.															

☞ (Annex a statement, in this place, of the licensures, ordinations, installations, dissolutions of pastoral relations, organizations of churches, or any change in the name or number of churches, and the decease of licentiates and ministers, with dates in every case, since the last report.) Attest, JAMES JOHNSON, *Stated Clerk.*

Date.

☞ **In the column for Funds, the first six are to include only what is paid to our own treasuries, and for Foreign Missions. The last column is to include what is given for other benevolent objects. The fractions of the dollar are to be omitted.**

VI. SUCCESSION OF MODERATORS.

			PRESBYTERIE
1.	A.D., 1789, Rev.	*John Rodgers, D.D., of	New-York.
2.	1790,	*Robert Smith, D.D.,	New-Castle.
3.	1791,	*John Woodhull, D.D.,	N. Brunswick
4.	1792,	*John King, D.D.,	Carlisle.
5.	1793,	*James Latta, D.D.,	New-Castle.
6.	1794,	*Alexander McWhorter, D.D.,	New-York.
7.	1795,	*John McKnight, D.D.,	"
8.	1796,	*Robert Davidson,	Carlisle.
9.	1797,	*William M. Tennent, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
10.	1798,	*John Blair Smith, D.D.,	Albany.
11.	1799,	*Sam. Stanhope Smith, D.D., LL.D.,	N. Brunswick
12.	1800,	*Joseph Clark, D.D.,	"
13.	1801,	*Nathaniel Irwin,	Philadelphia.
14.	1802,	*Azel Roe, D.D.,	New-York.
15.	1803,	*James Hall, D.D.,	Concord.
16.	1804,	*James F. Armstrong,	N. Brunswick
17.	1805,	*James Richards, D.D.,	New-York.
18.	1806,	*Samuel Miller, D.D., LL.D.,	"
19.	1807,	*Archibald Alexander, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
20.	1808,	*Philip Milledoler, D.D.,	New-York.
21.	1809,	*Drury Lacy,	Hanover.
22.	1810,	*John Brodhead Romeyn, D.D.,	New-York.
23.	1811,	*Eliphalet Nott, D.D., LL.D.,	Albany.
24.	1812,	*Andrew Flinn, D.D.,	Harmony.
25.	1813,	*Samuel Blatchford, D.D.,	Columbia.
26.	1814,	*James Inglis, D.D.,	Baltimore.
27.	1815,	*William Neill, D.D.,	Albany.
28.	1816,	*James Blythe, D.D.,	W. Lexington
29.	1817,	*Jonas Coe, D.D.,	Columbia.
30.	1818,	*Jacob Jones Janeway, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
31.	1819,	*John Holt Rice, D.D.,	Hanover.
32.	1820,	*John McDowell, D.D.,	Jersey.
33.	1821,	*William Hill, D.D.,	Winchester.
34.	1822,	*Obadiah Jennings, D.D.,	Steubenville.
35.	1823,	*John Chester, D.D.,	Albany.
36.	1824,	*Ashbel Green, D.D., LL.D.,	Philadelphia.
37.	1825,	*Stephen N. Rowan, D.D.,	New-York.
38.	1826,	*Thomas McAuley, D.D., LL.D.,	"
39.	1827,	*Francis Herron, D.D.,	Ohio.
40.	1828,	*Ezra Stiles Ely, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
41.	1829,	*Benjamin Holt Rice, D.D.,	Hanover.
42.	1830,	*Ezra Fisk, D.D.,	Hudson.
43.	1831,	Nathan S. S. Beman, D.D., LL.D.,	Troy.
44.	1832,	*James Hoge, D.D.,	Columbus.
45.	1833,	*William A. McDowell, D.D.,	Charleston U
46.	1834,	*Philip Lindsley, D.D.,	W. Tennessee
47.	1835,	*William W. Phillips, D.D.,	New-York.
48.	1836,	*John Witherspoon, D.D., LL.D.,	Harmony.
49.	1837,	David Elliott, D.D.,	Ohio.
50.	1838,	*Samuel Fisher, D.D.,	Newark.
51.	1839,	Baxter Dickinson, D.D.,	Cincinnati.
52.	1840,	William Wisner, D.D.,	Ithaca.

				PRESBYTERIES.
53.	A. D.,	1843, Rev.	Ansel D. Eddy, D.D., of	Newark.
54.		1846,	Samuel Hanson Cox, D.D., LL.D.,	Brooklyn.
55.		1849,	*Philip C. Hay, D.D.,	Tioga.
56.		1850,	David H. Riddle, D.D., LL.D.,	Pittsburgh.
57.		1851,	Albert Barnes,	Philadel., 4th.
58.		1852,	William Adams, D.D.,	N. York, 4th.
59.		1853,	D. Howe Allen, D.D.,	Cincinnati.
60.		1854,	Thomas H. Skinner, D.D., LL.D.,	N. York, 3d.
61.		1855,	William C. Wisner, D.D.,	Niagara.
62.		1856,	Laurens P. Hickok, D.D.,	Troy.
63.		1857,	Samuel W. Fisher, D.D.,	Cincinnati.
64.		1858,	Matthew L. P. Thompson, D.D.,	Buffalo.
65.		1859,	Robert W. Patterson, D.D.,	Chicago.
66.		1860,	Thornton A. Mills,	Indianapolis.
67.		1861,	Jonathan B. Condit, D.D.,	Cayuga.
68.		1862,	George Duffield, D.D.,	Detroit.
69.		1863,	Henry B. Smith, D.D., LL.D.,	N. York, 4th.
70.		1864,	Thomas Brainerd, D.D.,	Philadel., 4th.
71.		1865,	James B. Shaw, D.D.,	Rochester.
72.		1866,	Samuel M. Hopkins, D.D.,	Cayuga.

VII. SUCCESSION OF STATED CLERKS.

				PRESBYTERIES.
1.	A. D.,	1788, Rev.	*George Duffield, D.D., of	Philadelphia.
2.		1790,	*Ashbel Green, D.D., LL.D.,	"
3.		1803,	*Philip Milledoler, D.D.,	"
4.		1806,	*Nathaniel Irwin,	"
5.		1807,	*Jacob Jones Janeway, D.D.,	"
6.		1817,	*William Neill, D.D.,	"
7.		1825,	*Ezra Stiles Ely, D.D.,	"
8.		1836,	*John McDowell, D.D.,	"
9.		1838,	*Erskine Mason, D.D.,	New-York, 3d.
10.		1846,	Edwin Francis Hatfield, D.D.,	"

VIII. SUCCESSION OF PERMANENT CLERKS.

				PRESBYTERIES.
1.	A. D.,	1802, Rev.	*Nathaniel Irwin, of	Pennsylvania.
2.		1807,	*John Ewing Latta,	New-Castle.
3.		1825,	*John McDowell, D.D.,	Elizabethtown.
4.		1837,	John M. Krebs, D.D.,	New-York.
5.		1838,	*Eliphalet W. Gilbert, D.D.,	Philadel., 4th.
6.		1854,	Henry Darling, D.D.,	" 3d.
7.		1864,	J. Glentworth Butler, D.D.	" 3d.

V. Statistical Reports.

I. OF THE SYNODS.

SYNODS.	PRESBYTERIES.	PLACE OF MEETING.	TIME OF MEETING.	MODERATORS.	STATED CLERKS.
I. ALBANY.	Champlain, Troy, Albany, Columbia, Catskill.—5.	Troy, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	George A. Howard.	A. Bordman Lambert, D.D.
II. UTICA.	St. Lawrence, Watertown, Oswego, Utica.—4.	Potsdam, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Baruch B. Beckwith.	William E. Knox, D.D.
III. ONONDAGA.	Onondaga, Cayuga, Cortland, Tioga.—4.	Auburn, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Edwin Hall, D.D.	Lewis H. Reid.
IV. GENEVA.	Geneva, Steuben, Chemung, Ithaca, Wellsborough, Lyons.—6.	Horse Heads, N. Y.	Sept., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	William A. Niles.	Benjamin M. Goldsmith.
V. SUSQUEHANNA.	Otsego, Chenango, Delaware.—3.	Nineveh, N. Y.	Sept., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Charles H. De Long.	Willard M. Hoyt.
VI. GENESEE.	Buffalo, Ontario, Rochester, Genesee, Niagara, Angelica.—6.	Buffalo, N. Y.	Sept., 2d Tuesday, 1866, 4 P.M.	Charles F. Mussey.	Timothy Stillman, D.D.
VII. NEW-YORK AND NEW-JERSEY.	Hudson, North River, Long Island, N. York, 3d, N. York, 4th, Brooklyn, Newark, Rockaway, Montrose.—9.	New-York City, N. Y.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Howard Crosby, D.D.	Obadiah M. Johnson.
VIII. PENNSYLVANIA.	Wilmington, Philadelphia, 3d, Philadelphia, 4th, Harrisburgh, District of Columbia.—5.	Carlisle, Pa.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	T. J. Shepherd, D.D.	William E. Moore.
IX. W. PENNSYLVANIA.	Erie, Meadville, Pittsburgh.—3.	Meadville, Pa.	Sept., 4th Friday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Joseph Vance.	George A. Lyon, D.D.
X. MICHIGAN.	Detroit, Monroe, Marshall, Washtenaw, Kalamazoo, Coldwater, Saginaw, Gr'd River Valley.—8.	Pontiac, Mich.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Wm. S. Taylor.	William S. Taylor.
XI. WESTERN RESERVE.	G. River, Huron, Trumbull, Cleveland and Portage, Medina, Elyria, Maumee.—7.	Toledo, Ohio.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 2 P.M.	John H. Walter.	Xenophon Betts.
XII. OHIO.	Athens, Pataskala, Franklin, Scioto.—4.	Putnam, Ohio.	Oct., Friday, after 2d Tuesday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Rollin A. Sawyer.	Addison Kingsbury, D.D.
XIII. CINCINNATI.	Cincinnati, Ripley, Dayton, Hamil-	College Hill, Ohio.	Oct., 4th Friday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Joseph Chester.	William M. Cheever.

XIV. INDIANA.	Salem, Madison, Indianapolis, Greencastle.—4.	Rockville, Ind.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Charles H. Marshall.	John M. Bishop.
XV. WABASH.	Crawfordsville, St. Joseph, Logansport, Fort Wayne.—4.	Fort Wayne, Ind.	Oct., 3d Thursday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Martin M. Post, D.D.	Francis S. McCabe.
XVI. ILLINOIS.	Illinois, Schuyler, Wabash, Alton.—4.	Jacksonville, Ill.	Oct., 1st Thursday, 1866, 7 P.M.	David Dimond.	George C. Wood.
XVII. PEORIA.	Ottawa, Knox, Galena and Belvidere, Chicago, Bloomington.—5.	Galesburgh, Ill.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Levi P. Crawford.	Zeph. M. Humphrey, D.D.
XVIII. WISCONSIN.	Milwaukee, Fox River, Columbus, Lake Superior.—4.	Lodi, Wis.	Sept., 3d Thursday, 1866, 3 P.M.	John Fairchild.	Benjamin G. Riley.
XIX. IOWA.	Des Moines, Keokuk, Iowa City, Dubuque, Charlton, Cedar Rapids.—6.	Marshalltown, Ia.	Sept., 2d Thursday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Henry B. Holmes.	Hannibal L. Stanley.
XX. MINNESOTA.	Dakota, Minnesota, Winona.—3.	Stillwater, Minn.	Sept., last Thursday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Sandford H. Smith.	Charles S. Le Duc.
XXI. MISSOURI.	St. Louis, Northern Missouri, Lexington, Osage, Kansas.—5.	Lawrence, Kan.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1866, 7 P.M.	Ben. B. Parsons, D.D.	Henry A. Nelson, D.D.
XXII. TENNESSEE.	Union, Kingston, Holston.—3.	Knoxville, Tenn.	Sept., last Thursday, 1866, 11 A.M.	Thomas Brown.	Thomas J. Lamar.
XXIII. ALTA CALIFORNIA.	San Francisco, San José, Sierra Nevada, Washoe.—4.	San Francisco, Cal.	Oct., 1st Wednesday, 1866, 7½ P.M.	Charles C. Wallace.	Edward B. Walsworth.

KEY TO THE ABBREVIATIONS, &c., IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE.

An asterisk, (*) attached to the name of a Presbytery, denotes that no Report has been received from that Presbytery the present year, and that the deficiency is supplied from the last Report rendered, and other sources, if any. An asterisk is also attached to the number of Communicants, when a *Church* has failed to render a Report, and the deficiency is supplied in like manner. The same sign attached to the first column shows the *whole number of Additions*, both on Examination and Certificate, no distinction having been made in the Presbyterial Report. The same sign, in the "General Assembly" column, shows the excess of the payment to the Assembly above the sum reported.

The following abbreviations also are used: P., for *Pastor;* P. E., for *Pastor Elect;* C. P., for *Colleague Pastor;* P. C., for *Pastor of a Congregational Church;* S. S., for *Stated Supply;* W. C., for *Without Charge;* Ag., for *Agent;* H. M., for *Home Missionary;* C. M., for *City Missionary;* T. M., for *Tract Missionary;* P. M., for *Presbyterial Missionary;* S. M., for *Synodical Missionary;* S. S. M., for *Sunday-School Missionary;* F. M., for *Foreign Missionary;* Pres., for *President;* Chan., for *Chancellor;* Prof., for *Professor;* Tea., for *Teacher;* Ed., for *Editor;* Ev., for *Evangelist;* Ch., for *Chaplain;* Sec., for *Secretary* of a Benevolent Society; D. Sec., for *District Secretary;* Col., for *Colporteur;* Com., for *Commissioner;* and V., for a *Vacant* Church.

II. OF THE PRESBYTERIES.

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CANDIDATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	COMMUNICANTS.				BAP'D.			FUNDS CONTRIBUTED.							
			Added on Examination.	Added on Certificate.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	Adults.	Infants.	S. S. Membership.	General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
I. SYNOD OF ALBANY.																	
1. *Presb. of Champlain.*																	
Moses Chase, W. C.	Plattsburgh, N. Y.																
Rufus R. Deming, W. C.	Constable, "																
Moses Thacher, S. S.	Peru, "	Peru, S. S.	1		49		1		40	2 00	12					549	
Silas R. Woodruff, W. C.	Leavenworth, Kan.																
Stephen H. Williams, P. C.	North-Hero, Vt.																
Charles M. Seaton, P. C.	Charlotte, "																
*Zebulon M. P. Luther, W. C.	Elmer, N. J.															910	
Cyrenius Ransom, P.	Moriah, N. Y.	Port Henry, P.		1	30			1	60								
Andrew M. Millar, W. C.	Malone, "																
Benjamin Marvin, W. C.	Bangor, "																
Asahel Bronson, S. S.	East-Hebron, "																
George T. Everest, S. S.	Au Sable Forks, "	Au Sable Forks, S. S.	1		49			2	100	3 00	20					1000	197
Jonathan Copeland, P.	Champlain, "	Champlain, P.	6	1	293	110	5		280	10 00	106	334	88			1153	490
John Bradshaw, P. C.	Crown Point, "																
Alanson D. Barber, W. C.	Williston, Vt.																
Edwin A. Bulkley, P.	Plattsburgh, N. Y.	Plattsburgh, P.	2	2	236	80	2	1	125	12 00		80	26			9500	142
Royal G. Wilder, F. M.	Kolapoor, India.																
John R. Herrick, S. S.	Malone, N. Y.	Malone, S. S.	45	11	462	135	16	4	300	9 00	501	419				1990	794
Asa E. Everest, W. C.	Peru, "																

Silas G. Randall, W. C.	***Rockford, Ill.***																
Henry E. Butler, P.	Keeseville, N. Y.	Keeseville, P.	1	6	157	39	1	3	100	7	00	33	103			1251	87
Archibald Fleming, W. C.	Constable, "																
Ebenezer M. Toof, P. E.	Beekmantown, "	Beekmantown, P. E.		6	161	32		3	125	5	00	12				761	118
Ebenezer N. Thomas, P.—24.	Fort Covington, "	Fort Covington, P.	25		175		5	6	290			60	27			1200	27
		Mooers, S. S.	7	2	89		2	3	75								
		Chateaugay, S. S.	3	3	100	13		1	119	5	00	24	54			1000	
Candidates, 4.		Moira, S. S.	6		59	7	2		106	2	00		11			349	
		Constable, V.	1		54	3		2	70	3	00						41
		Ellenburgh, S. S.	2	1	40	1	1		78	2	00		5			310	42
		Essex, S. S.	1	5	63	35			40	5	00						
* Died May 22, 1866, æt. 58.		Bedford, V.			33												
		Burke, S. S.			*46												
		Chazy, V.—18.			57												
			101	38	2253	455	35	26	1908	65	00	768	1033	114		19,973	1938
2. *Presb. of Troy.*																	
Nathan S. S. Beman, D.D., LL.D., P. Em.	Carbondale, Ill.																
Jonathan Harris Noble, P.	Schaghticoke, N. Y.	Schaghticoke, P.		3	192	41		5	165	13	38	150	167			8832	135
Laurens P. Hickok, D.D., Pres.	Schenectady, "																
A. Bordman Lambert, P.	Hoosick Falls, "	Hoosick Falls, P.	4	3	164				200	10	00			13			
Lewis Kellogg, P.	Whitehall, "	Whitehall, P.	1		214	50		2	200	13	00	63	168	20		1900	530
Andrew Jackson Fennel, P.	Glenn's Falls, "	Glenn's Falls, P.	2	3	250	40		5		12	84	42	79				
Chauncey H. Hubbard, S. S.	Bennington, Vt.																
Rufus C. Clapp, W. C.	Chestertown, N. Y.																
Robert Day, Ch.	Nassau, "																
Jotham Sewall, S. S.	North-Granville, "	North-Granville,	3		114	37	2	4	48	4	50	76	43	14		553	109
Samuel M. Wood, S. S.	Eagle Mills, "	Brunswick,		1	90				60	6	00		35			825	82
Waters Warreu, S. S.																	
Joseph Hurlbut, S. S.																	
John Newbanks, W. C.	Troy, "																
Jacob A. Prime, P.	Troy, "	Troy, Liberty St., P.	4		66	18	2	6	96	2	75	5				300	44
P. Mason Bartlett, S. S.	Maryville, Tenn.																

MINISTERS & LICENTIATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	Added on Exam.	Added on Certif.	Whole No.	Unknown.	BAP'D. Adults.	BAP'D. Infants.	S. S. Mem.	General Assembly.	Home Mission.	Foreign Mission.	Education.	Publicat'n.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
John Turbitt, S. S.	E. Greenville, Tenn.																
Marvin R. Vincent, P.	Troy, N. Y.	Troy, First, P.	21	10	655	320	9	2	200	20 00	369	470	100			8430	982
James M. Crawford, S. S.	South-Hartford, "																
John Peter Roe, S. S.	Oshkosh, Wis.																
Henry S. Redfield, S. S.																	
Joshua B. Hall, P.	Tomhannock, N. Y.	Johnsonville, P.	3	3	51	2	3	1	80	3 06	9	17				800	40
		Pittstown, P.	2	1	30	5	1		40	1 50	9	10				1050	150
Charles F. Dowd, Tea.	North-Granville, "																
Charles D. Flagler, S. S.	Chestertown, "	Chestertown, S. S.			*61					3 66							
Anthony D. Axtell, S. S.—25.	Lansingburgh, "	Lansingburgh, S. S.	3	2	103	10		5	200	7 00	300	50				2318	30
		Salem, S. S.	1	3	110				150	10 50		183					250
		Middle Granville, S. S.		2	63				50	4 20		41	11			931	40
		Hebron, S. S.			31	2		1	25	2 00							
		Warrensburgh, V.			25					1 50							
		Fort Ann, V.															
Licentiate.		Bolton, V.—18.															
Eli T. Mack, Tea.—1.	Flatbush, L. I., N. Y.		44	31	2284	525	17	31	1514	115 89	1023	1263	158			25,939	2392
Candidates, 4.																	
3. *Presb. of Albany.*																	
Charles Doolittle, P.	Nassau, N. Y.	Nassau, P.	1		48				62	3 50	5	4	2	2		750	58
Philander Barbour, P. E.	Brainerd, "	East-Nassau & Brainerd, P. E.			80	5			215	6 00	130	25	10	50	5	840	120
Henry Darling, D.D., P.	Albany, N. Y.	Albany, Fourth, P.	17	32	737		4	8	617	15 45	525	558				54942	
Lamas H. Pease,	New-Britain, Ct.																
Stephen Bush, W. C.	Watertown, N. Y.									*54 70							

William H. Carr, W. C.	Albany, N. Y.																	
Daniel C. Frost, S. S.	Putnam, Ct.																	
John P. Cushman, P. C.	Brighton, Mass.																	
Albert C. Bishop, P.—13.	Sand Lake, N. Y.	Sand Lake, P.	32	5	47		17		68	3	75		73				840	48
		Greenbush, V.	8	3	148		2	1	205	5	70	61	36				1550	
		Mechanicsville, P. E.		3	51	10		7	60								540	
Candidate, 1.		Stephentown, S. S.		2	51				58			39					625	
		Edinburgh, S. S.			62												460	
		Moreau, V.			9													
		West-Troy, V.—11.			6													
4. *Presb. of Columbia.*			96	57	1514	15	36	16	1555	97	10	785	696	12	52	5	67,047	326
Brainerd Kent, W. C.	Chicago, Ill.																	
John Whitney, S. S.	Canaan Four C., N. Y.	Canaan Centre, S. S.	2		42	16			20	2	58	16	27				400	33
William S. Leavitt, P.	Hudson, "	Hudson, P.	25	8	378	43	10	4	200	21	54	94	350			37	3018	400
Charles S. Sylvester, S. S.	Richmond, Mass.																	
Charles T. Berry, P.	Valatie, N. Y.	Valatie, P.	13	5	237	51	6	5	150	14	00	30	70	37	25		1592	67
John McVey, P.—6.	New-Lebanon, N. Y.	New-Lebanon, P.	8		63	12	6	1	100	3	48	25	30				950	474
		Spencertown, V.			55					3	66						400	
		Hillsdale, V.—6.			50					3	60						250	
5. *Presb. of Catskill.*			48	13	825	122	22	10	470	48	86	165	477	37	25	37	6610	974
Linus H. Fellows, W. C. *In trans.*	Vinton, Iowa.																	
Leonard B. Van Dyck, W. C.	Coxsackie, N. Y.																	
John B. Fish, W. C.	Catskill, "																	
John Moase, W. C.	Middleburgh, "																	
J. J. Buck, P.	Jewett, "	Jewett, P.	1	7	134			1		8	00							
Andrew P. Freese, S. S.	Acra, "	Cairo, S. S.			67					4	00	3	3					
George A. Howard, P.	Catskill, "	Catskill, P.	6	8	233		3	5	160	13	00	389	183		34		2965	1161

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Chas. O. Reynolds, S S. *In trans.*,	St. Augustine, Fa.																
V. Le Roy Lockwood, P.	Durham, N. Y.	Durham, First, P.	10	3	161	8	3	4	194	11 00	93	110	19	30		1255	389
Alvin Cooper, S. S.	" "	" Second, S. S.	1		67	5		1	50	4 00	18	17	5	11		525	140
William Hart, P.—11.	Malden, "	Malden, P.	4	4	40		1	1	80	5 00	82	141		25		1440	133
	Franklin, "	Ashland, S. S.	20	2	54		8	3	50	2 00		5					
		Centreville, V.			*70												
Candidates, 2.		Greenville, V.		1	101					8 00	71	14					
		Hunter, S. S.	1	2	86				75	4 00	40	30				150	
		Livingstonville, V.			30				25	2 00		10				10	20
		Rensselaerville, V.			73			1	65	4 00	43					9	8
		Windham Centre, V.	2	1	90		1	2	100	8 00		45		26		82	72
		E. Windham, V.—14.			*33												
			45	28	1239	13	16	18	799	68 82	739	558	24	126		6436	1923
II. Synod of Utica.																	
1. *Presb. of St. Lawrence.*																	
Rufus Pratt, W. C.	Dorset, Vt.									*3 44							
Elijah W. Plumb, D.D., W. C.	Potsdam, N. Y.																
Bliss Burnap, S. S.	Parishville, "																
Cyrus Hudson, S. S., and H. M.	Ellsworth, "	Ellsworth, S. S.			*25												
Baruch B. Beckwith, P.	Gouverneur, "	Gouverneur, P.	18	15	216		6	3	225	11 00	172	231		285		998	437
John Waugh, P.	Canton, "	Canton, P.	2	1	175			7		10 00	23	85		257		800	147
Herman C. Riggs, P.	Potsdam, "	Potsdam, P.	3	7	200		1	2	200	12 00	99	87		234	13	1000	85
		Waddington, S. S.	1		60					3 00							
Samuel W. Pratt, P.	Brasher Falls, "	Brasher Falls, P.	10	3	92	9	3	1	75	4 00	50	161	5		5	500	175
John W. Whitfield, Ag.—9.	Utica, "																

Candidate, 1.		Herman, V.—8.			22													
			34	26	778	9	10	13	500	43	44	344	564	5	776	18	2198	844
2. *Presb. of Watertown.*																		
Sylvester Holmes, W. C.	New-Bedford, Mass.																	
Calvin Yale, W. C.	Martinsburgh, N. Y.																	
Isaac Brayton, D.D., W. C.	Albany, "																	
Alvan Parmelee, S. S.	Woodville, "																	
Joseph A. Canfield, Ch.	Dannemora, "																	
J. Jermain Porter, P.	Watertown, "	Watertown, First, P.	18	11	292		4	2	190	28	00	175	471	83	274		3300	1330
Enos Wood, S. S.	Dexter, "	Dexter, S. S.	4		56	5	1		120	4	00	14	5		13		530	60
Lyman B. Waldo, W. C.	Adams, "																	
Phineas C. Headley, S. S.	Waterville, Me.																	
Samuel L. Merrell, S. S.	Theresa, N. Y.	Theresa, S. S.			93			1	50	4	00	16	10				325	8
William H. Lockwood, *In trans.*,	Eau Claire, Wis.																	
Richard G. Keyes, W. C.	Watertown, N. Y.									*7	26							
John McLeish, Jr., W. C.	Lacon, Ill.																	
George W. Mackie, S. S.	Janesville, Wis.																	
George D. Baker, P.	Watertown, N. Y.	Watertown, Sec., P.	9	18	192		2	6	150	8	00	100	100	32	24	18	3000	275
O. M. Legate, S. S.	Carthage, "	Carthage, S. S.	1	8	66	30	1	2	70	2	00	14					1212	10
Garret L. Roof, P.	Lowville, "	Lowville, P.	5	4	110		3		70	12	00	43	60				9075	20
Edward Lord, P.	Adams, "	Adams, P.		4	224			2		12	00		64				3200	125
John B. Preston, S. S.	Cape Vincent, "	Cape Vincent, S. S.	1	1	72				120	4	00	20	20				530	18
John H. Beckwith, S, S.	Evans's Mills, "	Le Ray, S. S.	1	2	44		1	1	65	4	00	4					450	
		Chaumont, V.	7		65	19	5		160	4	00	26	7				157	30
		Turin, S. S.	13	3	86		8	4	108	4	00						550	300
Henry Hickok, S. S.	Sackett's Harbor, "	Sackett's Harbor, S.S.			90													
William Campbell, H. M.	Adel, Iowa.																	
David A. Holbrook, Tea.—23.	Sing Sing, N. Y.																	
		Brownville, S. S.			18				40	3	00	7			7		258	200
Candidates, 2.		Plessis, S. S.			90				80	5	00						480	

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Willard M. Hoyt, W. C.	Chaumont, N. Y.	Nineveh, V.	6	12	176		4	1	100	9 00	39	44	58	12	12		
George J. Kaercher, W. C.	Preston, "									*35 70							
Eleroy Curtis, S. S.	Sherburne, "	Sherburne, S. S.	14	10	157		3	6	160	9 00	58	261	58	75	19	1500	
Allen J. Buell, S. S.	W. Coventry, "	Coventry, Second, S.S.	7	1	213		3			10 00		135	43	98			30
John L. Jones, P.	New-Berlin, "	New-Berlin, P.			101					3 00	10			25			
Alexander H. Fullerton,	Auburn, "																
Seneca M. Keeler, P.—9.	Guilford Centre, "	Guilford, P.		1	162						62	75	35				28
		Coventry, First, S. S.	7	3	111		2			4 00	11	24	100	23			
		Oxford, S. S.	27	5	120		12	1		6 00	181	89	40	30		3350	100
		Sidney Plains, S. S.			*57												
		Masonville, S. S.			49			1		3 00	5						12
		Guil. and Nor., S. S.			*33												
		E. Guilford, S. S.															
		Preston, V.—12.			*30												
			61	32	1209		24	9	260	79 70	366	628	334	263	31	4850	170
3. Presb. of Delaware.																	
James Russell, W. C.	Gilboa, N. Y.																
Phineas Robinson, W. C.	New-York City, "																
Thomas Larcom, W. C.	Downsville, "																
George W. McMillan, S. S.	" "	Colchester, S. S.	2		83		1		160	4 92	58	15	28	9		76	16
Julius S. Pattengill, P. C.	Walton, "																
Charles H. De Long, S. S.	Deposit, "	Tompkins, First, S. S.	5	6	173		2	3	210	10 44	27	65	12	25	17	1481	96
		Delhi, P. E.	5	3	185		1	3	187	11 16	52		80				110
Henry H. Callahan, W. C.	Franklin, "																
William Addy, P. E.	" "	Franklin, P. E.	50	3	169				140	8 52	20	13	24		11		68
Leonard E. Richards, S. S.	Stamford, "	Head of Delaware, S.S.	5	3	55	15	1		82	2 82	15	18	11				120
Joel J. Hough, S. S.	Cannonsville, "	Tompkins, Sec'nd, S.S.	4	6	69			4	140	4 02	21	19	13		7		32

Samuel W. Brace, Ag.	Utica,	N. Y.										*17	09										
Augustus L. Chapin, S. S.	Amsterdam,	"																					
Henry Boynton, W. C.	Clinton,	"																					
Theodore Spencer, W. C.	Utica,	"																					
Samuel W. Fisher, D.D., Pres.	Clinton,	"	Hamilton College,	S.S.	6	17	64		4			5	00		40								
Philemon H. Fowler, D.D., P.	Utica,	"	Utica, First,	P.	5	20	520		2	5	1000	34	00	3549	1356	314	1721		4500	3675			
Nich. W. Goertner, D.D., Com.	Clinton,	"																					
Samuel W. Raymond, W. C.	"	"																					
A. Delos Gridley, W. C.	"	"																					
William E. Knox, D.D., P.	Rome,	"	Rome,	P.	6	11	343		3	15	500	23	32	676	277	70	104			503			
Selden Haines, W. C.	"	"																					
Jonathan B. Hubbard, P.	Whitesboro,	"	Whitesboro,	P.	1	3	151			2				70	50		70			100			
Franklin A. Spencer, Sec.	Syracuse,	"																					
Elliot H. Payson, S. S.	Oxford,	"																					
Chester Fitch, P.	New-York Mills,	"	New-York Mills,	P.		3	136					9	86	225	115	350	175						
William S. Franklin, P.	Camden,	"	Camden,	P.	48	7	385		14	9		20	75	157	289		218		2345	211			
Daniel C. Tyler, S. S.	Taberg,	"	Taberg,	S. S.			20																
Benjamin F. Willoughby, P. C.	Augusta,	"																					
Moses E. Dunham, S. S.	Westmoreland,	"																					
Albert H. Corliss, P.	Holland Patent,	"	Holland Patent,	P.			127			3				150	63	50	109			129			
Elijah H. Bonney, S. S.	Vernon Centre,	"	Vernon Centre,	S. S.			126			1		10	00	18	33	20			400	118			
Joseph N. McGiffert, P.	Sauquoit,	"	Sauquoit,	P.	8	10	138		2			6	35	163	110	70	79			158			
Charles Jerome, Ag.	Clinton,	"																					
William N. McHarg, Prof.	"	"																					
Chester W. Hawley, P. E.	Waterville,	"	Waterville,	P. E.		1	136					10	25	52	52		185			90			
John Lyle, C. M.	Utica,	"																					
Wilson B. Parmelee, P.	Westernville,	"	Westernville,	P.	5	4	97		1	3		6	50	68	175	34	57			150			
Michael V. D. Waters, S. S.	Gravesville,	"																					
Elizur N. Manley, W. C.	New-Bremen,	"	Booneville,	V.	8	1	178		4	10	199	12	25	30	100	21	18		533	201			
Edward C. Pritchett, S. S.	Oriskany,	"	Oriskany,	S. S.	1	3	35				100	2	00	10	10				1667				
Edwin E. Williams, P. C.	Warsaw,	"																					
W. Frederick Williams, F. M.	Mardin, E. Turkey, A.																						
Edward B. Furbish, P.	New-Hartford,	N. Y.	New-Hartford,	P.	11	9	140		5	4		8	89	60	96	12	112			101			
James B. Fisher, S. S.	Lyons' Falls,	"	Lyons' Falls,	S. S.			27					2	30	2	16	2	4						
Albert Erdman, P.	Clinton,	"	Clinton,	P.	12	17	261		5	3		17	55	519	402	174	48			546			

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Oliver D. Hibbard.																	
Chas. L. Hequembourgh, W. C.	Dunkirk, N. Y.																
Erastus C. Williams, W. C.	Dunkirk, "																
William Waith, S. S.	Lancaster, "	Lancaster, S. S.	14	7	119	11	6	5	96	7 00	34	51				1100	56
Chalon Burgess, S. S.	Panama, "	Panama, S. S.		1	88	2		1	60	6 00	10	26	5	32		877	25
Sylvanus W. Warren, S. S.	Gowanda, "	Gowanda, S. S.	12	2	60		11			6 10		20				900	50
Rufus King, Tea.	Jamestown, "																
Samuel J. Dorsey.																	
Philos G. Cook, C. M.	Buffalo, "																
Philander Griffin, S. S.	Carlton, "																
Walter V. Couch, D. Sec.	Rochester, "																
Albert Bigelow, S. S.	Silver Creek, "	Silver Creek, S. S.		6	158	22		3	80	10 00	50	52	25	12		1750	132
Benjamin F. Randolph.																	
Joel F. Bingham, P.	Buffalo, "	Buffalo, Westm., P.	2	10	*107	16		2	210	8 00	125	75				3050	
William A. Fox, P.	Dunkirk, "	Dunkirk, P.	5	6	116	22	2	4	200	7 00						1450	200
James T. Hanning, P.	Springville, "	Springville, P.			127					8 00							
John C. Taylor, S. S.	Corry, Pa.	Corry, S. S.	2	10	29		2		75	2 00						600	
Robert E. Proctor, C. M.—40.		Buffalo, North, V.	8	16	319		2	15	650	36 00	1010	988	100	154		7800	1400
Licentiates.		Jamestown, V.	6	3	210				80	12 00							
		Clarence, S. S.			*58												
Edward P. Willard, S. S.	Cayuga Bridge, N. Y.	Connewango, V.			*23												
Samuel T. Clarke, P. E.	Detroit, Mich.	Ellicottville, V.		5	60	38				4 00						510	15
Horace P. V. Bogue.—3.	Buffalo ,N.Y.	Newstead, V.			*60												
		St. Catharine's, S. S.		2	139	8			180	8 00		200		10	3	1050	75
Candidates, 6.		Elma, S. S.			*29												
		South-Wales, V.			*12												
		Westfield, V.—28.			*269												
			74	113	3626	121	29	41	2612	216 20	4447	2574	356	253	8	37,101	5113

2. *Presb. of Ontario.*																			
Justus S. Hough, W. C.	**E. Bloomfield, N. Y.**																		
John Barnard, D.D., W. C.	**Lima, "**																		
Milton Buttolph, S. S.	**" "**																		
Pliny F. Sanborne, S. S.	**W. Bloomfield, "**																		
William Hunter, P.	**Springwater, "**	**Springwater, P.**			36	6	1	50	2	95							400	30	
Ansel H. Parmelee, P.	**Livonia, "**	**Livonia, P.**	5		145		1	6		7	40	247	153	50	81			400	
Joseph R. Page, P.	**Perry, "**	**Perry, P.**	3	3	105	4		3	54	5	45	60	40	13	12		850	50	
Luther Conklin, P. C.	**E. Bloomfield, "**																		
Levi G. Marsh, P.	**Nunda, "**	**Nunda, P.**	3	5	149		1	2	135	10	00	70	14	29	32	28	1302	25	
Claudius B. Lord, S. S.	**Perry Centre, "**																		
Levi Parsons, P.	**Mount Morris, "**	**Mt. Morris, First, P.**	1	3	243		1	4	150	12	85	42	72	8	6		1524	111	
George P. Folsom, P.	**Geneseo, "**	**Geneseo, Second, P.**	2	7	205	29	1	1	125	10	30	25	33	25	23		1564	30	
Orson P. Allen, F. M.	**Kharpoot, Koordistan.**																		
Samuel Mills Day, S. S.	**Richmond, N. Y.**																		
Samuel Jessup, P.	**Dansville, "**	**Dansville, P.**	6	5	201			2		10	05		134				1531	79	
Alphonso L. Benton, P.	**Lima, "**	**Lima, P.**	5	10	250	14	2		250	12	05	78	87	41	42	20	1573	296	
Dwight Scovel, P.	**Lakeville, "**	**Geneseo, First, P.**	2	2	132	21	2	1	200	7	45	100	138	40	38	32	1064	172	
Ira O. De Long, S. S.—18.	**Honeoye Falls, "**																		
		Avon, V.			50			1	150	2	40						400		
***Candidates*, 2.**		**Union Corners, V.**	8	3	33		2	6	60		95		2				230	5	
		South-Bristol, V.—12.			*8						40								
			35	38	1557	74	10	27	1174	82	25	622	673	206	234	80	11,438	1188	
3. *Presb. of Rochester.*																			
Daniel Johnson, W. C.	**Fairport, N. Y.**																		
George Freeman, W. C.	**Parma, "**																		
Charles E. Furman, W. C.	**Rochester, "**																		
Richard Dunning, S. S.	**Ontario, "**																		
Lemuel Brooks, W. C.	**Churchville, "**																		
Nathaniel Hurd, W. C.	**Honeoye Falls, "**																		
David Powell, S. S.																			
Hezekiah B. Pierpont, W. C.	**Rochester, "**																		

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Charles Johnston, W. C.	Ira, N. Y.																
William Johnson, W. C.	Owasco, "																
Tertius S. Clarke, D.D., S. S.	Stockbridge, Mass.																
Edwin Hall, D.D., Prof.	Auburn, N. Y.																
Jonathan B. Condit, D.D., Prof.	" "																
Samuel M. Hopkins, D.D., Prof.	" "									*30 42							
Ezra A. Huntington, D.D., Prof.	" "	Aurelius, S. S.	1		57				70	3 00	9	8	12	4		325	10
Lorenzo Lyons, F. M.	Waimea, Hawaii.																
John Tompkins, P.	Marcellus, N. Y.	Marcellus, First, P.	5	1	144	2	2	2	170	8 00	41	87	43			800	45
Charles Anderson, P. E.	Union Springs, "	Springport, P. E.	13	5	81		5	6	75	4 00	38	35		10		1052	53
Beaufort Ladd, S. S.	Victory, "	Victory, S. S.	3		28		1										30
Justus Doolittle, F. M.	Tientsin, China.																
Charles Hawley, D.D., P.	Auburn, N. Y.	Auburn, First, P.	7	19	527		3	7	400	30 00	825	906	2145	134		3250	803
Amos Crocker, S. S.	King's Ferry, "	Genoa, First P., S. S.	1	1	85			4	75	5 00	50	120	61			1035	145
Daniel H. Temple, W. C.	New-York City, "																
Henry Fowler, P.	Auburn, "	Auburn, Central, P.	9	14	207		4	10	175	8 00	400	125				2687	297
Samuel W. Boardman, P.	" "	Auburn, Second, P.	3	18	290		1	7	200	12 00	100	250	1800	41	25	3000	125
Horace H. Allen, S. S.	Cayuga, "	Cayuga, S. S.	2	3	104		2		100	8 50	61	43	34				30
John E. Werth, S. S.	St. Louis, Mo.																
Albert C. Reed, W. C.	Elbridge, N. Y.																
Marcus N. Preston, P.	Skaneateles, "	Skaneateles, P.	18	6	152			5	170	7 00	103	89	95			1635	10
Samuel B. Sherrill, P.	Meridian, "	Cato, P.	6	12	170			1		8 50	40	61	25			930	63
William W. Howard, P.	Aurora, "	Aurora, P.	4	2	92		5	3		5 00	60	289	20	50	80	1200	
Philander Read, Ch.	U. S. Army.	Genoa, Second, S. S.	3	2	23		2		16					8		488	13
Philemon R. Day, C. M.	Troy, N. Y.																
Charles A. Conant, P. E.	Five Corners, "	Genoa, First C., P. E.	1	2	74				80	4 00	16	40				700	10
Jonathan B. Morse, P.	Moravia, "	Moravia, P.	5	4	103		1	4			10	49				1000	44
Thomas Campbell, P.	Sennett, "	Sennett, P.			108			1	75	6 50			31	36		892	25
James E. Pierce, Prof.	Auburn, "	Scipio, S. S.			30												
John V. C. Nellis, P.	Jordan, N. Y.	Jordan, P.	2	3	90			2		6 00	5	5	23				

Chester C. Thorne, S. S.—35.	Rolla, Mo.																	
			Elbridge, S. S.	2	4	104			2		6	50		50	30			1500	116
Licentiates.			Weedsport, P. E.	1		136				94	8	50	104	82				1297	300
			Ira, V.			5													
Albert G. Thornton.			Marcellus, Second, V.			10													
Wright C. Galpin,	New-Haven, Ct.		Borodino, V.—23.			*20													
Alexander Lamberton,	Rochester, N. Y.																		
Edwin A. Spence.				86	96	2660		26	54	1700	160	92	1862	2239	3319	282	105	21,781	2129
Henry Ward, *In transitu.*	Minneapolis, Minn.																		
David Biggar, S. S.	North-Litchfield,	N.Y.																	
Abel S. Wood, S. S.	Verona,	"																	
Charles H. Wheeler,	Dement,	Ill.																	
Solomon H. Moon,	Rockford,	"																	
Willard P. Gibson,	Wellsborough,	Pa.																	
William N. Page, P. E., *In trans.*	Trumansburgh,	N. Y.																	
Gus. R. Alden, P. E., *In trans.*	Almond,	"																	
Merrit Gally, P. E.	Marion,	"																	
German H. Chatterton,	Washington,	D. C.																	
T. Mad. Dawson, P. E., *In trans.*	Lewisburgh,	Pa.																	
Edward Southworth.—16.	Waterford,	"																	
Candidates, 14.																			
3. *Presb. of Cortland.*																			
Edgar Perkins, W. C.																			
Ashbel Otis, W. C.	Kanona,	N. Y.																	
Ezra B. Fancher, S. S.	McGrawville,	"	McGrawville, S. S.		5	144	5			100	9	00	40	40				845	71
Giles M. Smith, P.	Texas Valley,	"	Texas Valley, P.	2		35	7			75	2	25	14	8	4	4		150	45
Huntington Lyman, S. S.	Marathon,	"	Marathon, S. S.	3	4	28		2		125	1	55	10	26	3	5		582	85
Isaac F. Adams, S. S.	Summer Hill,	"	Summer Hill, S. S.			52	3			50	3	50	17	14	24	5		650	14
Peleg R. Kinne, S. S.	Virgil,	"	Virgil, S. S.		1	50	17			30	3	25	10			8		250	10
Ova H. Seymour, S. S.	Branchport,	"									*28	70							

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William C. Wisner, D.D., P.	Lockport, N. Y.	Lockport, P.	3	16	380	64		4	385	26 52	200	217		62		3300	265
Obadiah C. Beardsley, W. C.	Albion, "																
Linus W. Billington, S. S.	Barre Centre, "	Barre Centre, S. S.			74	8			125	4 74	37	37			4	797	31
William G. Hubbard, S. S.	Wilson, "	Wilson, S. S.		5	151	6		2	135	9 90						1200	118
Russell S. Egleston, S. S.	Knowlesville, "	Knowlesville, S. S.		2	153	12		3	200	10 08	40	50	11			1100	65
Lucius I. Root, Ag.	Lockport, "																
Joshua Cooke, S. S.	Lewiston, "	Lewiston, S. S.			97	55		2	100	4 68						765	65
Thomas Doggett, P.	Niagara Falls, "	Niagara Falls, P.	5	12	147		2	6	300	7 44	315	73				1425	475
Coles R. Wilkins, S. S.	Medina, "	Medina, S. S.	1	2	157		1		150	9 48	44					1100	76
Norman B. Sherwood, W. C.	Millville, "																
John W. Marcussohn, S. S.	Walnut Hills, O.																
John T. Severance, Ch.	Petersburgh, Va.																
Lawrence S. Atkins, S. S.	Millville, N. Y.	Millville, S. S.	4	1	73	5		1	85	4 44	9	26				710	124
David J. B. Hoyt, W. C.	Gaines, "																
Charles R. Burdick, P.	Youngstown, "	Porter, P.	22		163		5		339	8 70	102	55		13		1523	143
Frederick A. Chase, S. S.	Lyndonville, "	Lyndonville, S. S.	2	8	76	3	1	2	84	5 04	25		7	2	14	824	37
Lyell T. Adams, P.	Albion, "	Albion, P. [S. S.	1	7	406		1		466	25 14	252	162				3407	349
Edward P. Marvin, S. S.—20.	Lockport, "	Lockport, 2d Ward,		2	30			1	125	1 80						363	
		Somerset, V.	20	3	99	3	15	1	116	4 98		30				570	38
		Carlton, S. S.	7	2	56	9	5	2	80	3 42	10			6		715	
		Middleport, V.			*25					1 50							
		Tuscarora, V.—16.			*78					4 68							
			85	60	2165	165	29	24	2690	132 54	1034	650	18	83	18	1799	1786
6. *Presb. of Genesee Valley.*																	
John T. Baldwin, S. S.	Aurora, N. Y.																
David L. Hunn, W. C.	Angelica, "																
Samuel Porter, S. S.	Bradford, Pa.																

Sabin McKinney, W. C.	"	"																	
Israel Brundage, S. S.	Conkling,	"	Conkling, S. S.	42	10	129		22	8	120	7	20	20	22		5		1189	
T. Dwight Walker, S. S.	Union,	"	Union, S. S.	10	2	206		6		250			20	50		39		1165	
John S. Hanna, W. C.											*38	72							
George M. Life, P.	Nichols,	"	Nichols, P.	26	3	47	2	21		60			5			7		470	
John Cobb, P.—22.	Owego,	"	Owego, P.	104	18	367	46	44	2	150	18	00	372	156	61	222		3000	200
			Richford, S. S.			*52													
Licentiate.			Hawleyton, V.			*15													
			Castle Creek, V.—11.			*16													
William W. Palmer.—1.				290	63	1813	51	139	17	1244	91	45	988	932	136	621		11,924	666
IV. Synod of Geneva.																			
1. *Presb. of Geneva.*																			
Stephen Porter, W. C.	Geneva,	N. Y.																	
Asa Messer, W. C.	"	"																	
Aaron D. Lane, W. C.	Waterloo,	"																	
Miles P. Squier, D.D., Prof.	Geneva,	"																	
Ephraim Chapin, W. C.	Waterloo,	"																	
Charles Goodrich, W. C.	Penn Yan,	"																	
Ebenezer Everett, W. C.	Hopewell,	"																	
Thomas Lounsbury, D.D., W. C.	Ovid,	"																	
Fred'k E. Cannon, D.D., W. C.	Geneva,	"																	
Alvah Lilly, W. C. *In transitu.*	Hartland, Wis.																		
Samuel H. Gridley, D.D., P.	Waterloo,	N. Y.	Waterloo, P.	10	9	301				160	18	00	101	83				2921	128
Ansel D. Eddy, D.D., W. C.	Saratoga Springs,	"																	
John R. Moser, W. C.	Phelps,	"																	
John A. Murray, W. C.	Geneva,	"																	
James R. Boyd, W. C.	"	"																	

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Timothy M. Hopkins, S. S.	Geneva, N. Y.																
John B. Richardson, Ag.	" "																
Blackleach B. Gray, P.	Seneca Castle, "	Castleton, P.	1	1	123	6	1		100	7 60	70	144				966	75
Ezra Jones, S. S.	West-Groton, "																
Ebenezer H. Stratton, S. S.	Canoga, "	Canoga, S. S.			56					3 25		26					79
A. Augustus Wood, D.D., P.	Geneva, "	Geneva, P.	9	5	433	35	2	6	425	26 28	680	269	60	46		3554	
Chauncey Francisco, S. S.	Branchport, "	Branchport, S. S.			54			3				7					
Abraham T. Young, S. S.	Oak's Corners, "	Oak's Corners, S. S.	1	3	71	7		4	105	4 26	11	11	8			997	10
Calvin Case, S. S.	West-Dresden, "	West-Dresden, S. S.	3	2	39		3		121	2 60	15						
Benjamin M. Goldsmith, P.	Benton, "	Benton, P.			146	10		2	100	9 12		54				1030	132
James C. Smith, S. S.	Romulus, "	Romulus, S. S.	2	2	184	1		3	151	10 80	44	61		6		938	24
Harry E. Woodcock, S. S.	Gorham, "	Gorham, S. S.		3	87	16			90	5 04	10					796	
Abijah B. Dunlap, W. C.	Grand Traverse, Mich.									*5 57							
Horace Fraser, W. C.	Varick, N. Y.																
Henry H. Doolittle, W. C.	Oak's Corners, "																
James McMaster, W. C.																	
Lambert S. Fine, W. C.																	
John C. Moses, S. S.	Dundee, "	Dundee, S. S.	3	4	91	4	2		100	5 10		9	9	14		925	75
Alfred M. Stowe, D. Sec.	Canandaigua, "																
L. Richmond Janes, S. S.	Shortsville, "	Manchester, S. S.	6	2	50		4	2	80	3 00	26	10				538	26
Charles B. Dye, S. S.	Landis, N. J.																
Charles E. Stebbins, S. S.	Ovid, N. Y.	Ovid, S. S.		3	211	11			235	13 26		226	20	11	10	2000	1250
William Atwood, P.	West-Fayette, "	West-Fayette, P.	2		61				195	3 72	3	3	3	3		946	66
Josephus D. Krum, P.	Seneca Falls, "	Seneca Falls, P.	1	5	160				126	10 20		74				1334	213
David Magie, P.—40.	Penn Yan, "	Penn Yan, P.	3	3	252	25	1		185	15 90	123	236				1700	300
		Phelps, V.	5		136	21	4	1	120	9 36	30	40	20	12		1281	
Licentiate.		Hopewell, V.—18.			*38												

2. *Presb. of Steuben.*																			
David D. Gregory, P.	Prattsburgh,	N. Y.	Prattsburgh, P.			15	207				165	10	00	55	66			900	158
Samuel A. Rawson, S. S.	Jasper,	"	Jasper, S. S.				92			1	140	4	90	16	11			435	25
Fordyce Harrington, S. S.	Campbelltown,	"	Campbell, S. S.	17	3		74		7	3	125	3	60	146	50		13	932	826
Joel Wakeman, D.D., P. E.	Painted Post,	"	Painted Post, P. E.	32	8		119	8	13	2	100	7	14					3500	15
Stephen Vorhis, S. S.	Spencer,	"																	
Mills B. Gelston, S. S.	Naples,	"	Naples, S. S.			5	126	8			105	5	00	27	17	7	5	980	45
Louis F. Laine, S. S.	Canisteo,	"	Canisteo, S. S.	12	1		55	4	5	4	100	3	60	15	5	3	5	600	40
David F. Judson, S. S.	Addison,	"	Addison, S. S.	2	3		56	4	1		54	4	02						
William A. Niles, S. S.	Corning,	"	Corning, S. S.	48	8		255	51	24	7	231	10	50	125	125		36	2352	695
Hiram E. Johnson, W. C.	Dennisville, N. J.																		
Charles T. White, F. M.	Pulney, Ind.																		
La Fayette Dudley, Tea.	Cornwall, Ct.																		
Ziba N. Bradbury, S. S.	Howard,	N. Y.	Howard, S. S.	17	1		99	12	5	1	50	5	40	7	8	5	5	750	6
William A. Wolcott, W. C.	Pultney,	"																	
James Rolette, W. C.	North-Urbana,	"																	
Albro L. Green, S. S.—16.	Pultney,	"	Pultney, S. S.	10	3		74		6		80	4	32	17				700	20
			Hammondsport, S. S.		1		89	17		1	100	6	00					700	170
Candidates, 2.			Kennedyville, V.				30	6				1	50						6
			Wayne, V.†				*12												
			Woodhull, S. S.		4		31				50	1	40		16			252	
			Hornby, S. S.				*40												
			Painted Post, Sec., V.				10												
			Cohocton, V.				*24												
			Wheeler, V.—18.				5	2					25	7	3				14
				138	52		1488	112	61	19	1300	67	63	415	301	15	64	2 12,101	2020
3. *Presb. of Chemung.*																			
John Gray, W. C.	Moreland, N. Y.																		
Curtis Thurston, W. C.	Athens, Pa.											*7	22						
Charles Chapman, S. S.	Orange,	N. Y.	Mead's Creek, S. S.				35			1	40	3	00	5					6
Charles C. Carr, P.	Horse Heads,	"	Horse Heads, P.	6	5		136		5	5	100	10	00	34	35	20	10	300	70

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4. *Presb. of New-York, Third.*																	
Daniel C. Hopkins, W. C.	Jersey City, N. J.																
Thomas H. Skinner, D.D., LL.D., Prof.	New-York City, N. Y.																
Alfred E. Campbell, D.D., Sec.	" " "																
J. Const. Adamson, D.D., W. C.	Cape Town, S. Africa.																
John J. Owen, D.D., LL.D., Prof.	New-York City, N. Y.																
Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., Ag.	" " "																
William W. Newell, D.D., P.	" " "	N. Y., Allen st., P.	29	9	570	136	6	10	1023	30 00	200	138				3740	920
Walter H. Bidwell, Ed.	" " "																
Dwight M. Seward, D.D., P.	Yonkers, "	Yonkers, First, P.	8	14	296		2	9	230	30 00	175	91	229	52	160	5405	1077
Samuel D. Burchard, D.D., P.	New-York City, "	N. Y., 13th st., P.	27	50	819		4	20	655	35 00	1516	439	92	614		8552	706
Oliver B. Bidwell, Ag.	" " "																
Isaac P. Stryker, W. C.	" " "																
Peter H. Burghardt, S. S.	Somers, "																
Ros'll D. Hitchcock, D.D., Prof.	New-York City, "																
D. D. Tompkins McLaughlin,	*In transitu.*																
John R. Young, S. S., *In trans.*	Greenbush, N. Y.																
George Bowen, F. M.	Bombay, India.																
James G. Craighead, Ed.	New-York City, N. Y.																
Samuel G. Dwight, W. C.	Molokai, S. Islands.																
Revilo J. Cone, Tea.	Fonda, N. Y.																
Eliphalet P. Ackerman, Tea.	Hughsonville, "																
Andrew Abraham, F. M.	Mapumulo, S. Africa.																
James Morton, W. C.	New-York City, N. Y.																
Charles Fanning, W. C.	" " "																
Thomas Street, P.	" " "	New-York, North, P.	28	16	573		10	34		30 00	365	450	56				500
Thomas Ralston Smith, P.	" " "	" Seventh, P.	32	21	1023		11	15	1020	30 00	200	279	54	40		5738	570

Samuel B. Bell, D.D., P.	New-York City, N. Y.	N. Y., W. 50th st., P.	27	50	200		7	28	200	10	00		6				3750	75
William P. Barker, F. M.	" " "	Ahmednug, First, P.	6		*120													
Robt. Russell Booth, D.D., P	" " "	N. Y., Mercer st., P.	40	39	541	30	5	16	1235	55	00	2000	4301	660	95	285	13,650	6194
James J. McMahon, W. C.	North-Haverstraw,"																	
Daniel Ames, W. C.																		
Edward T. Doane, F. M.	Micronesia Islands.																	
Robert R. Thompson, W. C.	New-York City, N. Y.																	
Luther H. Cone, P. C.	Chicopee, Mass.																	
William H. Babbitt, P.	Hoboken, N. J.	Hoboken, First, P.	1	15	113			4	200	6	00	65	83	21			1784	130
Varnum D. Collins, Ag.	Philadelphia, Pa.																	
James C. Egbert, P.	West-Hoboken, N. J.	Hoboken, West, P.	26	18	163	7		12	317	8	00	64	66				3057	381
Alonzo Brown, Tea.	New-York City, N. Y.																	
Edward W. French, P.	Bergen, N. J.	Bergen, First, P.	36	22	239		8	19	220	25	00	304	379		148	66	4212	1008
James B. Bonar, P.	Montreal, C. E.	Montreal, Amer., P.	7	5	340	26		22	520	30	00		1450				10,876	4443
J. Sella Martin, Ag.	England.																	
Edward W. Hitchcock, P.	New-York City, N. Y.	N. Y., 14th st., P.	9	14	433		2	1	1200	50	00	1285	2054	792			6563	6958
Herman D. Wrage, Tea.	" " "																	
Alfred S. Collins, W. C.	Brooklyn, E. D. "																	
John P. Watson, S. S.	East-Putnam, Ct.																	
Lyman Dwight Chapin, F. M.	Tientsin, China.																	
Samuel P. Halsey, P.	Stamford, Ct.	Stamford, First, P.	6	12	145		3	10	150	25	00	527	600	133	56		8737	154
Lewis M. Birge, W. C.	Hudson, O.																	
Edward Payson Hammond, Ev.	Vernon, Ct.																	
James B. Finch, S. S.	Nebraska City, N. T.																	
James D. Wilson, P.	New-York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Spring st., P.	31	27	620	180	12	9	500	20	00		96	62			6995	755
Alexander Nesbitt, P.	Tremont, "	Tremont, First, P.	29	9	151	19	7	10	225	6	00	221					1900	61
Edward O. Bartlett,	Poughkeepsie, "																	
James M. Stevenson, P.	Jersey City, N. J.	Jersey City, 2d, P.	3	15	150		4	10	175	10	00	60					2500	166
David Stuart Dodge, Prof.	New-York City, N. Y.																	
William White Williams, Ag.	Philadelphia, Pa.																	
John De Witt, P.	Irvington, N. Y.	Greenburgh, 2d, P.	8	10	94		3	8	187	15	00	1014	1003	100			2505	7254
David W. Evans, H. M.	Elysium, Minn.																	
Samuel Carlile, S. S.	Brooklyn, E. D., N.Y.																	
James G. Mason, S. S.—60.	Woodhaven, L. I, "																	
		N. Y., Prince st., S. S.	17	4	90		7	3	35	1	00							

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		Blossburgh, V.			*50			1									
	Lawrenceville, Pa.	Lawrenceville, V.—[13.			*61					2 00							
			16	9	552	3	12	1	181	32 00		18	34	2		25	
6. *Presb. of Lyons.*																	
George R. H. Shumway, P.	Newark, N. Y.	Newark, P.	5	2	228	22		1	200	13 68		122				1505	281
Lyman Manly, W. C.	Marion, "																
Horace Eaton, P.	Palmyra, "	Palmyra, P.	1	14	350	31	1		292	22 44	150	321	111			4036	294
Robert E. Willson, P.	Clyde, "	Galen, P.	1	3	182			2		11 04	27	62		87		1050	
William H. Megie, S. S.	Junius, "	Junius, S. S.			48	4			80	3 30	14	11				635	
George R. Rudd, W. C.	Lyons, "																
William Lusk, S. S.	Huron, "	Huron, S. S.	6		132	7	4	1	90	7 74	40	40				1454	18
George W. Warner, S. S.	Weedsport, "	Savannah, S. S.	1	6	25			4	50	1 10						650	
Arunah H. Lilly, S. S.	East-Palmyra, "	East-Palmyra, S. S.	3		105	5		4	135	6 54	24	37	30			900	
Armon Spencer, S. S.	Williamson, "	Williamson, S. S.	1	2	37		1	2	150	2 04	10					958	25
Martin B. Gregg, S. S.	Rose Valley, "	Rose, S. S.	5	3	70		2		75	4 02	14	14	11	12		813	16
Austin G. Wilcox, S. S.	Joy, "	Wayne, S. S.	2		20				45	1 00						750	5
James Ireland, S. S.	Sodus, "	Sodus, S. S.			*96												
William L. Page, S. S.	Wolcott, "	Wolcott, S. S.	35	7	174	4	12	5	175	8 46	19	19	13			1200	52
Horatio W. Brown, P. E.	Brockport, "																
William Young, S. S.—16.	Fairville, "	Fairville, S. S.	7	22	29			3	75	1 56						760	200
		Lyons, V.			230				200	15 80	50	80	50			925	350
Licentiates.		Ontario, S. S.		1	38	8				2 22	1					90	
		Wolcott, Sec., V.—16.			*51												
Samuel W. D. Westfall, S. S.	Arkport, "																
Almon R. Hewitt, S. S.—2.	Weedsport, "																
			67	60	1815	81	20	22	1567	107 58	349	706	215	99		15,726	1241

V. SYNOD OF SUSQUEHANNA.

1. *Presb. of Otsego.*

Charles Wadsworth, W. C.	Cherry Valley,	N. Y.																
Solomon J. Tracy, W. C.	Springfield,	"																
Henry Herrick, Ag.																		
Stephen S. Goodman, S. S. *In tr.*	Coventry,	"																
William Baldwin, *In transitu.*																		
Alonzo Welton, S. S.	Worcester,	"	Worcester, S. S.	3	1	65		1			5	75	10	13	3	4		482	37
E. Vine Wales, S. S.	Oneonta,	"	New-Lisbon, S. S.			*20													
Charles K. McHarg, P.	Cooperstown,	"	Cooperstown, P.	13	1	196	32	1	3	175	16	00	91	301	38	11	17	1542	446
Charles Gillette, S. S.	Milford,	"	Milford, S. S.			80			1	75	7	00	28	30	10	23	16	521	49
Samuel J. White, S. S.	Gilbertsville,	"	Gilbertsville, S. S.		2	227			5	130	16	00	26	63	22	18		1277	529
Andrew Parsons, S. S. *In trans.*	Ottawa, Kan.		Richfield, S. S.		2	41	1			55	4	50	11	10	15			854	78
George O. Phelps, P.	Oneonta,	N. Y.	Oneonta, P.	21	7	90		16	1	153	6	00	25		13	14	6	705	20
Edward P. Gardner, P.	Cherry Valley,	"	Cherry Valley, P.	24	3	150	23	7		132	10	25	76	147	20			1050	68
Alfred Ketcham, S. S	Middlefield Cen.,	"	Middlefield Cen., S. S.			69	4			75	5	20	23	13		9		524	6
Ariel McMasters, S. S.	Exeter Centre,	"	Exeter Centre, S. S.	1	1	42	8	1		50	4	50		6		3	4	425	
Samuel N. Robinson, S. S.	Springfield,	"	Springfield, S. S.	3	4	92			4	75	9	00	56	248	27	25	18	976	437
Richard A. Clark, S. S.—17.	Laurens,	"	Laurens, S. S.		2	28				60	2	75	10					305	
			Fly Creek, S. S.			52	2			56	4	50		8		5	6	445	41
			Westford, V.			*93												305	
			Unadilla, V.	2	4	‖96	20	1											
			Otego, V.			*47					3	75							
			Buel, V.	3		34		2	1	30	2	85			3	3		300	
			Sharon Springs, V.—	12	11	23		2	3		2	00	3		3	3			15
			[18.																
				82	38	1445	90	31	18	1066	100	05	359	839	154	118	67	9711	1726

2. *Presb. of Chenango.*

Edward Cope, S. S.	Gilbertsville,	N. Y.																
Isaac D. Cornwell, S. S.	Hancock,	"																

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Willard M. Hoyt, W. C.	Chaumont, N. Y.	Nineveh, V.	6	12	176		4	1	100	9 00	39	44	58	12	12		
George J. Kaercher, W. C.	Preston, "									*35 70							
Eleroy Curtis, S. S.	Sherburne, "	Sherburne, S. S.	14	10	157		3	6	160	9 00	58	261	58	75	19	1500	
Allen J. Buell, S. S.	W. Coventry, "	Coventry, Second, S.S.	7	1	213		3			10 00		135	43	98			30
John L. Jones, P.	New-Berlin, "	New-Berlin, P.			101					3 00	10			25			
Alexander H. Fullerton,	Auburn, "																
Seneca M. Keeler, P.—9.	Guilford Centre, "	Guilford, P.		1	162						62	75	35				28
		Coventry, First, S. S.	7	3	111		2			4 00	11	24	100	23			
		Oxford, S. S.	27	5	120		12	1		6 00	181	89	40	30		3350	100
		Sidney Plains, S. S.			*57												
		Masonville, S. S.			49			1		3 00	5						12
		Guil. and Nor., S. S.			*33												
		E. Guilford, S. S.															
		Preston, V.—12.			*30												
			61	32	1209		24	9	260	79 70	366	628	334	263	31	4850	170
3. Presb. of Delaware.																	
James Russell, W. C.	Gilboa, N. Y.																
Phineas Robinson, W. C.	New-York City, "																
Thomas Larcom, W. C.	Downsville, "																
George W. McMillan, S. S.	" "	Colchester, S. S.	2		83		1		160	4 92	58	15	28	9		76	16
Julius S. Pattengill, P. C.	Walton, "																
Charles H. De Long, S. S.	Deposit, "	Tompkins, First, S. S.	5	6	173		2	3	210	10 44	27	65	12	25	17	1481	96
		Delhi, P. E.	5	3	185		1	3	187	11 16	52		80				110
Henry H. Callahan, W. C.	Franklin, "																
William Addy, P. E.	" "	Franklin, P. E.	50	3	169				140	8 52	20	13	24		11		68
Leonard E. Richards, S. S.	Stamford, "	Head of Delaware, S.S.	5	3	55	15	1		82	2 82	15	18	11				120
Joel J. Hough, S. S.	Cannonsville, "	Tompkins, Sec'nd, S.S.	4	6	69			4	140	4 02	21	19	13		7		22

James Otis Denniston.	Ludlow, Vt.																		
William A. Dunning, S. S.	Hawley, Pa.																		
Lewis O. Thompson,	New-York City, N. Y.																		
William A. Cutler,	Chicago, Ill.																		
Samuel S. Mitchell,	Morristown, N. J.																		
Stephen W. Dana.—24.																			
Candidates, 21.																			
6. *Presb. of Brooklyn.*																			
Alfred W. Dashiell, D.D., W. C.	Brooklyn, N. Y.																		
Samuel T. Spear, D.D., P.	" "	Brooklyn, South, P.	81	40	650		24	15	350	40	00	850	157			23,631	750		
Silas Billings, W. C.	" "																		
Lyman Gilbert, D.D., W. C.	" "																		
Ramon B. S. Montsalvatgé, Ag.	Panama, C. A.																		
Hugh S. Carpenter, P.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	" Westminster, P.			*181														
James N. Gloucester, W. C.	" "																		
Henry J. Van Lennep, D.D., F.M.	Smyrna, Turkey.																		
Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D., P.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	[P. " La Fayette Ave.,	159	100	904		61	56	1000	40	00	1632	1371	429		12,000	11,734		
Parsons C. Hastings, W. C.	" "																		
Amos N. Freeman, P.	" "	" Siloam, P.			*85														
Benjamin B. Drake, W. C.	" "																		
Thomas Thomas, W. C.	" "																		
Benjamin F. Millard, Ag.	" "																		
Elijah D. Murphy, P., Mar. Chh.	New-York City, "																		
Charles S. Robinson, P.	Brooklyn, "	" First, P.	25	49	578					50	00	2338	1574	419		18,765	8439		
Spencer Marsh, P.	Haverstraw, "	Haverstraw, P.	1	1	139	11		5	70							1307	74		
William S. Karr, P.	Brooklyn, "	Brooklyn, Third, P.	12	23	307	73	4	14	273	10	00	163	227			3453	174		
Seth B. Stone, F. M.	Stoutenburgh, "									*18	90								
Tillman C. Trowbridge, F. M.	Constantinople, Tur.																		

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Oliver D. Hibbard.																	
Chas. L. Hequembourgh, W. C.	Dunkirk, N. Y.																
Erastus C. Williams, W. C.	Dunkirk, "																
William Waith, S. S.	Lancaster, "	Lancaster, S. S.	14	7	119	11	6	5	96	7 00	34	51				1100	56
Chalon Burgess, S. S.	Panama, "	Panama, S. S.		1	88	2		1	60	6 00	10	26	5	32		877	25
Sylvanus W. Warren, S. S.	Gowanda, "	Gowanda, S. S.	12	2	60		11			6 10		20				900	50
Rufus King, Tea.	Jamestown, "																
Samuel J. Dorsey.																	
Philos G. Cook, C. M.	Buffalo, "																
Philander Griffin, S. S.	Carlton, "																
Walter V. Couch, D. Sec.	Rochester, "																
Albert Bigelow, S. S.	Silver Creek, "	Silver Creek, S. S.		6	158	22		3	80	10 00	50	52	25	12		1750	132
Benjamin F. Randolph.																	
Joel F. Bingham, P.	Buffalo, "	Buffalo, Westm., P.	2	10	*107	16		2	210	8 00	125	75				3050	
William A. Fox, P.	Dunkirk, "	Dunkirk, P.	5	6	116	22	2	4	200	7 00						1450	200
James T. Hanning, P.	Springville, "	Springville, P.			127					8 00							
John C. Taylor, S. S.	Corry, Pa.	Corry, S. S.	2	10	29		2		75	2 00						600	
Robert E. Proctor, C. M.—40.		Buffalo, North, V.	8	16	319		2	15	650	36 00	1010	988	100	154		7800	1400
Licentiates.		Jamestown, V.	6	3	210				80	12 00							
		Clarence, S. S.			*58												
Edward P. Willard, S. S.	Cayuga Bridge, N. Y.	Connewango, V.			*23												
Samuel T. Clarke, P. E.	Detroit, Mich.	Ellicottville, V.		5	60	38				4 00						510	15
Horace P. V. Bogue.—3.	Buffalo ,N.Y.	Newstead, V.			*60												
		St. Catharine's, S. S.		2	139	8			180	8 00		200		10	3	1050	75
Candidates, 6.		Elma, S. S.			*29												
		South-Wales, V.			*12												
		Westfield, V.—28.			*269												
			74	113	3626	121	29	41	2612	216 20	4447	2574	356	253	8	37,101	3118

Pliny F. Sanborne, S. S.	W. Bloomfield, "																	
William Hunter, P.	Springwater, "	Springwater, P.			36	6	1	50	2	95						400	30	
Ansel H. Parmelee, P.	Livonia, "	Livonia, P.	5		145		1	6		7	40	247	153	50	81			400
Joseph R. Page, P.	Perry, "	Perry, P.	3	3	105	4		3	54	5	45	60	40	13	12		850	50
Luther Conklin, P. C.	E. Bloomfield, "																	
Levi G. Marsh, P.	Nunda, "	Nunda, P.	3	5	149		1	2	135	10	00	70	14	29	32	28	1302	25
Claudius B. Lord, S. S.	Perry Centre, "																	
Levi Parsons, P.	Mount Morris, "	Mt. Morris, First, P.	1	3	243		1	4	150	12	85	42	72	8	6		1524	111
George P. Folsom, P.	Geneseo, "	Geneseo, Second, P.	2	7	205	29	1	1	125	10	30	25	33	25	23		1564	30
Orson P. Allen, F. M.	Kharpoot, Koordistan.																	
Samuel Mills Day, S. S.	Richmond, N. Y.																	
Samuel Jessup, P.	Dansville, "	Dansville, P.	6	5	201			2		10	05		134				1531	79
Alphonso L. Benton, P.	Lima, "	Lima, P.	5	10	250	14	2		250	12	05	78	87	41	42	20	1573	296
Dwight Scovel, P.	Lakeville, "	Geneseo, First, P.	2	2	132	21	2	1	200	7	45	100	138	40	38	32	1064	172
Ira O. De Long, S. S.—18.	Honeoye Falls, "																	
		Avon, V.			50			1	150	2	40						400	
Candidates, 2.		Union Corners, V.	8	3	33		2	6	60		95		2				230	5
		South-Bristol, V.—12.			*8						40							
			35	38	1557	74	10	27	1174	82	25	622	673	206	234	80	11,438	1188
3. *Presb. of Rochester.*																		
Daniel Johnson, W. C.	Fairport, N. Y.																	
George Freeman, W. C.	Parma, "																	
Charles E. Furman, W. C.	Rochester, "																	
Richard Dunning, S. S.	Ontario, "																	
Lemuel Brooks, W. C.	Churchville, "																	
Nathaniel Hurd, W. C.	Honeoye Falls, "																	
David Powell, S. S.																		
Hezekiah B. Pierpont, W. C.	Rochester, "																	

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James B. Shaw, D.D., P.	Rochester, N. Y.	Rochester, Brick, P.	33	28	990		11	24	943		530	841	280			13,362	6211
Jeremiah Woodruff, *In transit.*										*20 25							
Charles P. Bush, Sec.	Rochester, "																
Hamilton W. Pierson, D.D., W.C.	Bergen, "																
Nathaniel Elmer, S. S.	Stone Church, "																
Royal Mann, W. C.	Marion, "																
Alexander C. Stewart, S. S.	New-Lexington, Ohio.																
Frank F. Ellinwood, D.D., W.C.	Benton, N. Y.																
Samuel M. Campbell, D.D., P.E.	Rochester, "	Rochester, Cen., P. E.	9	22	626		1	9	677		1486	1370			75	6750	3315
Yates Hickey, Ag.	Mechanicsville, "																
Robert McMath, W. C.	Webster, "																
O. Holmes Barnard, S. S.	North-Bergen, "	North-Bergen, S. S.			133		1	1	164		25	42	9			994	201
H. B. Gardiner, S. S.	Bergen, "	Bergen, S. S.	10	4	197		2	3	142		25	46	5			1300	170
Byron Bosworth, S. S.	Rochester, "	Chili, S. S.			99												31
Hiram Dyer,	Spencerport, "																
Edwin Allen, S. S.	Parma Centre, "	Parma Centre, S. S.	17	3	71		10	1	58		23	22				499	22
Alexander M. Thorburn, P.	Spencerport, "	Ogden, P.			223	23			165		19	36					160
Edwin B. Van Auken, S. S.	Mendon, "	Mendon, S. S.			42				58							1300	
Henry M. Morey, S. S.—27.	Pittsford, "	Pittsford, S. S.			131				63								20
		Brockport, P. E.	2	6	150				306		55	40					322
		Holley, P. E.		1	136				193			30				1065	89
		Victor, P. E.	5	4	122		1	1	403		108						127
		Sweden, S. S.		2	59			2	111		19	25					140
		West-Mendon, S. S.		3	112							50		15		2200	
		Penfield, S. S.			*51												
		Gates, V.			*39												
		Kendall, V.—17.			*43												
Licentiates.																	
George Mixon.			76	78	3224	23	26	41	3283	*20 25	2290	2512	294	15	75	27,470	10,748

4. *Presb. of Genesee.*																	
Gabriel S. Corwin, P.	Elba, N. Y.	Elba, P.	3	2	86	6			120	5	25	100	100	50			864	1183
T. Morey Hodgman, S. S.	York, "																	
Alfred North, W. C.	Leroy, "									*1	70							
Daniel Russell, P.	Pike, "	Pike, P.	7	1	130	28	5	2	100	6	25	11	33		5		1634	
George W. Coan, F. M.	Oroomiah, Persia.																	
N. Marcellus Clute, S. S.	Oakfield, N. Y.	Oakfield, S. S.	2	4	74		2	2	140	4	50	26	35		32		800	44
Charles F. Mussey, P.	Batavia, "	Batavia, P.	5	5	222		4		260	17	00	357	154	70	34	28	4338	86
R. Hart Dexter, S. S.	Pavilion, "	Pavilion, S. S.	5	4	40	9	3		40	2	00	13	5	2	3	7	605	14
Charles F. MacCarthy, Tea.	E. Pembroke, "																	
Charles C. Kimball, S. S.	Leroy, "	Leroy, S. S.	13	19	310	32	4	5	330	19	00	159	293	49		28	2591	251
John M. Ballou, W. C.	Clarence, "	Byron, V.			111	11		2	182	8	00	24	35	9	22	30	900	94
John Wickes, S. S.	Attica, "	Attica, S. S. [S. S.	19	1	105		5		115	7	00	29	51				900	710
Charles A. Keeler, S. S.	E. Pembroke, "	Pembroke & Batavia,	1	1	60			2	80	3	50		10				719	15
Allen Traver, S. S.—14.	Corfu, "	Corfu, S. S.	3	4	77		2		50	6	00	39	54		20	9	861	58
		Orangeville, S. S.			44	3		1	50	2	00		5					15
		Tonawanda Val., S. S.		2	22				80	1	50		15				480	3
		Sheldon, First, V.			*17													
		Wiscoy, V.			*27													
		Bennington, V.			*39													
Candidates, 3.		Alexander, V.—16.			*34													
			58	43	1398	89	25	14	1547	83	70	758	790	180	116	102	14,692	2473
5. *Presb. of Niagara.*																		
Jonathan Hovey, W. C.	Barre Centre, N. Y.																	
Herman Halsey, W. C.	East-Wilson, "																	

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William C. Wisner, D.D., P.	Lockport, N. Y.	Lockport, P.	3	16	380	64		4	385	26 52	200	217		62		3300	265
Obadiah C. Beardsley, W. C.	Albion, "																
Linus W. Billington, S. S.	Barre Centre, "	Barre Centre, S. S.			74	8			125	4 74	37	37			4	797	31
William G. Hubbard, S. S.	Wilson, "	Wilson, S. S.		5	151	6		2	135	9 90						1200	118
Russell S. Egleston, S. S.	Knowlesville, "	Knowlesville, S. S.		2	153	12		3	200	10 08	40	50	11			1100	65
Lucius I. Root, Ag.	Lockport, "																
Joshua Cooke, S. S.	Lewiston, "	Lewiston, S. S.			97	55		2	100	4 68						765	65
Thomas Doggett, P.	Niagara Falls, "	Niagara Falls, P.	5	12	147		2	6	300	7 44	315	73				1425	475
Coles R. Wilkins, S. S.	Medina, "	Medina, S. S.	1	2	157		1		150	9 48	44					1100	76
Norman B. Sherwood, W. C.	Millville, "																
John W. Marcussohn, S. S.	Walnut Hills, O.																
John T. Severance, Ch.	Petersburgh, Va.																
Lawrence S. Atkins, S. S.	Millville, N. Y.	Millville, S. S.	4	1	73	5		1	85	4 44	9	26				710	124
David J. B. Hoyt, W. C.	Gaines, "																
Charles R. Burdick, P.	Youngstown, "	Porter, P.	22		163		5		339	8 70	102	55		13		1523	143
Frederick A. Chase, S. S.	Lyndonville, "	Lyndonville, S. S.	2	8	76	3	1	2	84	5 04	25		7	2	14	824	37
Lyell T. Adams, P.	Albion, "	Albion, P. [S. S.	1	7	406		1		466	25 14	252	162				3407	349
Edward P. Marvin, S. S.—20.	Lockport, "	Lockport, 2d Ward,		2	30			1	125	1 80						363	
		Somerset, V.	20	3	99	3	15	1	116	4 98		30				570	38
		Carlton, S. S.	7	2	56	9	5	2	80	3 42	10			6		715	
		Middleport, V.			*25					1 50							
		Tuscarora, V.—16.			*78					4 68							
			85	60	2165	165	29	24	2690	132 54	1034	650	18	83	18	1799	1786
6. *Presb. of Genesee Valley.*																	
	[illegible] N. Y.																

Philander Camp, S. S.	Andover,	N. Y.	Andover, S. S.	4	1	90	10		1	70	2 50	5	7				350	8
John W. Lane, S. S.	Centreville,	"	Centreville, S. S.		2	30	2			24	1 80						350	150
Isaac G. Ogden, P.	Portville,	"	Portville, P.	18	1	86	7	8		100	4 20	41	39	22			1270	156
William C. White, Prof.	Crawfordsville,	Ind.									*2 31							
Eusebius Hale, S. S.																		
John E. Baker, S. S., *In trans.*	Middle Granville,	N.Y.																
James B. Beaumont, P.	Olean,	"	Olean, P.	3	7	105	2	1	2	177	6 50	25	20	15		5	4200	385
Corliss B. Gardner, P.	Cuba,	"	Cuba, P.		10	155	36		1	150	9 30	50	60	9	9		1246	91
Charles M. Livingston, S.S.—15.	Wellsville,	"																
			Almond, P. E.	2	2	225	25		2	140	12 00	128					800	210
			Belmont, V.	3	4	70			2	150	5 22						750	250
			Arkport, P. E.		4	40	9	1		82	1 68	40	11				250	309
			Burns, V.			*12												
			Allegany, V.			25	5			50	1 98							
			Franklinville, V.			32					1 92	1		5			6	
			Belfast, S. S.—14.			8					1 35							
				75	61	1142	108	36	19	1546	66 00	595	356	52	9	5	12,515	2070
VII. Synod of New-York and New-Jersey.																		
1. *Presb of Hudson.*																		
William Timlow, W. C.	Amity,	N. Y.																
Elias R. Fairchild, D.D., S. S.	Port Jervis,	"	Port Jervis, S. S.	8	10	171		4	12	200	9 90							470
George Pierson, P.	Florida,	"	Florida, P.	2		168		1			10 20		81					124
William R. S. Betts, W. C.	Otisville,	"																
Obadiah M. Johnson, P.	New-Hampton,	"	Denton, P.			104		2		50	6 48		53	22		10	1373	46
Robert R. Kellogg, S. S.	Milford,	Pa.																
Oris Fraser, W. C.	Florida,	N. Y.																
Daniel Higbie, P.	Blooming Grove,	"	Washingtonville, P.	2		50		2	2	80	2 88	90	29		10			361

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Alexander Gulick, S.S. *In trans.*	Woodstock, N. Y.																
Henry F. Wadsworth, P.	Unionville, "	Unionville, P.	2	1	98			3	40	6 06	9	25				650	90
Nathaniel E. Pierson, P.	Ridgebury, "	Ridgebury, P.	1	3	92			3		6 78	20	35					59
Henry Osborn, S. S.	Circleville, "	Circleville, S. S.			76			1	50	4 56	20	10	2				36
Augustus Seward, D.D., P.	Middletown, "	Middletown, P.	3	13	334		2	7	225	19 86	40	125	20				403
Joseph M. McNulty, P.	Montgomery, "	Montgomery, P.	5	1	186			4	140	11 22	23	45	18			1200	408
Henry J. Acker, Ag.																	
Thomas Nichols, P.	Chester, "	Chester, P.	5	2	243		5	3		14 76	73	107	33	17		2400	214
Daniel O. Timlow, P.—17.	Amity, "	Amity, P.	3	4	99		3	1	85	7 94	25	33	17			650	42
		Otisville, V.—12.			*31					1 86							
Candidates, 4.																	
			31	34	1652		17	38	870	102 50	300	543	112	27	10	6273	2253
2. *Presb. of North River.*																	
James I. Ostrom, W. C.	Marlborough, N. Y.																
Jonathan Silliman, W. C.	Cornwall, "																
Thomas S. Wickes, W. C.	Poughkeepsie, "																
Sumner Mandeville, W. C.	Masonville, "																
Benjamin F. Wile, P.	Pleasant Valley, "	Pleasant Valley, P.	4		350		3	4	100	16 00			5	7	20	1300	100
William N. Sayre, S. S.	Pine Plains, "	Pine Plains, S. S.	2	1	100	9	1	2	80	6 00	25	30	10	10	3	1150	40
Sherman Hoyt, W. C.	Pleasant Plains, "																
Michael F. Liebenau, P.	Highland, "	Lloyd, P.	19	3	130		14	1	83	8 00						1000	
John Ward, S. S.	Freedom Plains, "	Freedom Plains, S. S.	33		138		21	3	100		21	46	5			2290	160
A. Cogswell Frissell, W. C.	New-York City, "																
Harvey Smith, P.	South-Amenia, "	South-Amenia, P.			76			1	100	11 00		125			15	1300	100
Francis B. Wheeler, P.	Poughkeepsie, "	Poughkeepsie, P.		3	344			4	228	21 00	239	253			32	2671	488
Lewis P. Ledoux, D.D., W. C.	CornwallLanding,"																
Edgar W. Clarke, W. C.	Milton, "	Milton, S. S.	14	1	78	9	8	4	120	1 50	12					500	
O. H. Perry Doyo, W. C.	Highland, "																

Elisha G. Cobb, P.	Peekskill,	Peekskill, Second,																
George R. Ferguson, P. C.	North-East C'ntre,"																	
Edward P. Roe, S. S.	Buttermilk Falls, "	Highlands, S. S.			*64					4 00								
Alfred C. Roe, C. M.	New-York City, "									*8 00								
Clarence Eddy, P.	Cornwall, "	Canterbury, P.	2	1	75	25		3	50	6 00	8	44	9	3	12	950	211	
Austin P. Stockwell, P.—23.	Staatsburgh, "	Pleasant Plains, P.	1	5	94	35	1		75	8 00						1000	36	
		Amenia, S. S.			*91					6 00								
		Smithfield, S. S.																
		Cornwall, S. S.	10	2	96		3	2	175	6 00	7	13	10	17		1350	155	
		New-Winds'r, V.—17.			*30													
			93	26	1898	78	58	27	1372	119 50	387	556	61	37	99	15,559	1468	
Licentiates.																		
Seth P. Pratt.																		
Alexander Moss Merwin.—2.																		
Candidate, 1.																		
3. *Presb. of Long Island.*																		
Ezra Youngs, W. C.	Cutchogue, L. I.																	
Anson Sheldon, Ag.	New-Haven, Ct.																	
Clark Lockwood, W. C.	Cutchogue, L. I.									*80								
Thomas Harries, P.	Shelter Island, N. Y.	Shelter Island, P.	15	3	177		8	3	100	9 84	34	26	9	3		1400	100	
James T. Hamlin, P.	Mattituck, L. I.	Mattituck, P.			75				100	4 74			7			1000	60	
Epher Whitaker, P.	Southold, "	Southold, P.	4		161	1	1	2	144	9 90	36	32		13		1500	310	
Edward Stratton, P.	Greenport, "	Greenport, P.	4	6	136	5	1		160	7 74	13	116	6	6		2320	139	
Albert Fitch, W. C.—8.	New-York City, N. Y.																	
		Franklinville, S. S.	3		79		1	3	80	4 56	11	57				1000		
		Cutchogue, V.—6.			62				60	4 20	15	15	10	10		1015	64	
			26	9	690	6	11	8	644	41 60	109	246	32	32		8235	573	

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		N. Y., Germ., First, V.			*123												
		N. Y., First st., V.			*73												
		Newtown, 2d Col., V.			*35												
		N. Y., Park, V.—23.	2	44	46		2										
Licentiates.			372	394	6957	398	93	240	8092	416 00	7996	11,435	2199	1005	511	89,964	31,352
Cuthbert H. Powell, W. C.	U. S. Army.																
Eugene Douglass, W. C.	Albany, N. Y.																
John S. Whitman, S. S.	Charlemont, Mass.																
John M. Forbes, Tea.	New-York City, N. Y.																
John T. Rhodes, Tea.	Flatbush, (L. I.,) "																
Ernest F. Borchers,	New-York City, N. Y.																
Charles H. Baldwin,	East-Windsor, Mass.																
David S. Morgan.—8.	Andover, "																
Candidates, 23.																	
5. *Presb. of New-York, Fourth.*																	
Samuel H. Cox, D.D., LL.D., W. C.	Flushing, (L. I.,) N.Y.																
John Spaulding, D.D., W. C.	New-York City, "																
Henry P. Tappan, D.D., LL.D., W. C.	Berlin, Prussia.																

		Phil., Wharton st., S.S.	48	23	163		8	25	600	3	00	50	75	25	92	20	1845	220
		Norristown, Centr'l, V.	21	11	180		8	5	200	10	00	43	43		36		1500	
		Reading, Wash. st., V.	3	1	25			1	50	2	50						110	15
		Phila., Af., Second, V.			30			1		2	50							
Licentiates.		Mountain, S. S.	4		64				80	2	50	46	50	5				100
		Jeffersonville, S. S.—		7	51	16		5	70	3	00	10	4	2	2		520	
Mahlon Long, Tea.	Hartsville, Pa.	[30.																
Alonzo P. Johnson, S. S.	Waukesha, Wis.		455	176	6454	495	151	269	6187	360	80	2134	5159	825	558	284	50,080	19,869
Thomas A. Hamilton, Tea.—3.																		
Candidates, 10.																		
4. *Presb. of Harrisburgh.*																		
William R. De Witt, D.D., P.	Harrisburgh, Pa.																	
John W. Davis, Ch.	" "																	
Jeremiah Miller, Sec.	Philadelphia, "																	
William Sterling, P.	Williamsport, "	Williamsport, Second,	125	20	326	3	49	10	300	20	00	100	100	100	80	30	27,212	1748
William Tracy, F. M.	Pasumalie, N. India.	[P.																
Conway P. Wing, D.D., P.	Carlisle, Pa.	Carlisle, First, P.	28	2	352		7	17	360	25	00	138	133	62	63	104	1689	150
Charles M. Blake, Ch.	Washington City, D.C.																	
Thomas H. Robinson, P.	Harrisburgh, Pa.	Harrisburgh, First, P.	24	6	179		14	2	300	25	00	712	1167		21	622	2500	680
James Dickson, P.	Northumberland, "	N'thumberl'd, First, P.	1		75			5		10	00	19	19	8	10			
Alexander D. Moore, S. S.	Dauphin, "	Dauphin, First, S. S.	17	2	64		4	10	80	5	00	19	40	24	27		550	30
Henry E. Niles, P.	York, "	York, P.	47	8	183	9	5	8	300	25	00	430	530	100	50	75	2600	1028
John E. Long, S. S.—12.	Hublersburgh, "	Hublersburgh, S. S.			54	8		5	64	3	00	13			6	5	216	
		Spring Mills, S. S.	2		25			3	80	3	00	32			12	8	370	
Licentiates.																		
John L. Landis,	Pottstown, "																	
Hiram Baker, S. S.—2.	Harrisburgh, "	Harrisburgh, Second,		1	35	20			80			3	2				395	50
Candidates, 3.		[S. S.—9.																
			244	39	1293	40	79	60	1564	116	00	1466	1991	294	269	844	35,532	3686

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5. *Presb. of Dist. of Columbia.*																	
John Cross Smith, D.D., P.	Washington, D. C.	Washington, Fourth,	81	25	546	18	20	15	272	70 00		221		52		3186	
William McLain, D.D., Sec.	" "	[P.															
Mason Noble, Ch.	Williamstown, Mass.																
Byron Sunderland, D.D., P.	Washington, D. C.	Washington, First, P.	9	11	263	8	1	2	250	30 00	150	397	34	29	62	3723	1179
Halsey Dunning, P.	Baltimore, Md.	Balt., First Cons'l, P.	45	2	221	5	6	5	271	27 00	65	131				2475	233
Thaddeus Banks McFalls, P.	Washington, D. C.	Wash., Assembly's, P.	4	2	147			15	150	14 00	125	125				1450	137
John Neff Combs, P.	" "	" Western, P.	6	4	92		1	4	150	10 00	10	50				2500	
Henry Highland Garnet, P.	" "	" Fifteenth St., P.	6	3	112			5	300	11 00	40	20				2483	
George Hutchinson Smyth, P.	" "	" Sixth, P.	16	9	119		5	12	150	9 00	30					2296	30
[—9.		Harmony, V.			*30												
		Granite, V.—9.			*30												
Licentiate.																	
			167	56	1560	31	33	58	1543	171 00	420	944	24	81	62	16,213	1579
R. Randolph Gurley, Sec.—1.	Washington City, D.C.																
Candidates, 2.																	
IX. Synod of West-Penn.																	
1. *Presb. of Erie.*																	
George A. Lyon, D.D., P.	Erie, Pa.	Erie, P.	81	20	436		29	8	316	20 70	200	175	60	50	50	2700	600
Joseph Vance, P.	Belle Valley, "	Belle Valley, P.	13	4	67	5	8	3	60	3 06	24	21	9	13	11	635	119
James F. Read, D.D., W. C.	Union Mills, "																
George W. Cleaveland, P.	Moorheadville, "	Harbor Creek, P.	22	2	85	2	7	1	100	3 66	10	42	16	3	12	963	21

[illegible] Stephen W. Dana.—24.	[illegible]																				
Candidates, 21.																					
6. *Presb. of Brooklyn.*																					
Alfred W. Dashiell, D.D., W. C.	Brooklyn,	N. Y.																			
Samuel T. Spear, D.D., P.	"	"	Brooklyn, South, P.	81	40	650		24	15	350	40	00	850	157			23,631	750			
Silas Billings, W. C.	"	"																			
Lyman Gilbert, D.D., W. C.	"	"																			
Ramon B. S. Montsalvatgé, Ag.	Panama, C. A.																				
Hugh S. Carpenter, P.	Brooklyn,	N. Y.	" Westminster, P.			*181															
James N. Gloucester, W. C.	"	"																			
Henry J. Van Lennep, D.D., F.M.	Smyrna, Turkey.		[P.																		
Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D., P.	Brooklyn,	N. Y.	" La Fayette Ave.,	159	100	904		61	56	1000	40	00	1632	1371	429		12,000	11,734			
Parsons C. Hastings, W. C.	"	"																			
Amos N. Freeman, P.	"	"	" Siloam, P.			*85															
Benjamin B. Drake, W. C.	"	"																			
Thomas Thomas, W. C.	"	"																			
Benjamin F. Millard, Ag.	"	"																			
Elijah D. Murphy, P., Mar. Chh.	New-York City,	"																			
Charles S. Robinson, P.	Brooklyn,	"	" First, P.	25	49	578					50	00	2338	1574	419		18,765	3439			
Spencer Marsh, P.	Haverstraw,	"	Haverstraw, P.	1	1	139	11		5	70							1307	74			
William S. Karr, P.	Brooklyn,	"	Brooklyn, Third, P.	12	23	307	73	4	14	273	10	00	163	227			3453	174			
Seth B. Stone, F. M.	Stoutenburgh,	"									*18	90									
Tillman C. Trowbridge, F. M.	Constantinople,	Tur.																			

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Joseph H. Robinson, S. S.	Cornwall, N. Y.	Brooklyn, E.D., First,	8	16	287				625	10 00	12	63				5391	116
George W. Le Vere, H. M.—22.	Nashville, Tenn.	[S. S.—8.															
			284	229	3131	84	89	90	2318	168 90	4995	3392	848			64,547	16,287
Licentiates.																	
David Fitch,	Brooklyn, E. D., N. Y.																
Hamilton B. Holmes, S. S.	East-Hartford, Ct.																
John A. French.—3.																	
Candidate, 1.																	
7. *Presb. of Newark.*																	
Enos A. Osborne, C. M.	Newark, N. J.																
Abner Brundage, W. C.	Montclair, "																
Zenas Riggs, W. C.	Plainfield, "																
Daniel G. Sprague, W. C.	South-Orange, "																
Joel Parker, D.D., P.	Newark, "	Newark, Park, P.	8	10	214		1		345	15 00	167	135		25		4344	1046
Isaac N. Sprague, D.D., P.	Caldwell, "	Caldwell, P.	10	2	438		5	1	250	16 00	98	360			35	1600	556
Ebenezer Seymour,	Bloomfield, "																
William Bradley, Ag.	Orange, "																
Jonathan F. Stearns, D.D., P.	Newark, "	Newark, First, P.	11	10	469	20	4	8	560	36 00	565	733	127	153	195	4938	3287
James P. Wilson, D.D., P.	" "	Newark, South Park,	13	23	372	7	6	12	557	32 00	807	422	99		77	9804	1260
Christopher M. Nickels, DD, W.C.	" "	[P.															
Selah B. Treat, Sec.	Boston, Mass.																
Robert B. Campfield, S. S.	Newark, N. J.																
George H. Hulin, W. C.	Bloomfield, "																
Joseph S. Gallagher, Sec.	New-York City, N. Y.																

Daniel W. Poor, D.D., P.	"	"																
Joseph Fewsmith, D.D., P.	"	"																
James R. Keiser, Ag.	Plainfield,	"																
James Hoyt, P.	Orange,	"	Orange, First, P.	13	10	307	33	2	8	270	25	00	335	580	50	60		3992	3002	
Robert Aikman, P.	Elizabeth,	"	Elizabeth, Third, P.	12	13	205	7	2	3	150	15	00	30	50		10		2800	266	
Theodore S. Brown, P.	Plainfield,	"	Plainfield, Second, P.	2	19	234	5	2	4	200	15	00	141	125	75		96	3000	500	
Caleb C. Baldwin, F. M.	Fuh Chau, China.																			
George C. Goehring, W. C.																				
William W. Eddy, F. M.	Sidon, Syria.																			
Johann Ulrich Günther, P.	Newark, N. J.		Newark, Ger., First, P.	40		438			53	450	10	00	11	20	7		12	2003	116	
Ennals J. Adams, H. M.	Charleston, S. C.		Charleston, Col'd, S.S.	23	275	298														
Aaron R. Wolfe, Tea.	Montclair, N. J.																			
Albert Mandell, P.	Madison,	"	Madison, P.	1	7	245		1	5	200	15	00	101	289	22	27		3500	400	
Theodore L. Byington, F. M.	Eski Zaghra, W. Tur.																			
Charles H. Theberath, C. M.	Albany, N. Y.																			
Charles W. Seaman, P.	Paterson, N. J.		Paterson, Ger., 2d, P.	26	2	88			19	55	2	00	10	5		5		700		
Samuel R. Davis, Sec.	New-York City, N. Y.																			
Nelson Millard, P.	Montclair,	N. J.	West-Bloomfield, P.	9	15	299	7	4	9	200	21	00	334	395				4130	3720	
James H. Taylor, P.	Orange,	"	Orange, Second, P.	19	16	385		2	9	340	25	00	357	690	52	43	193	5497	2387	
Arthur Mitchell, P.	Morristown,	"	Morristown, South st.,	15	46	342	12	5	3	275	20	00	231	266	173			7870	162	
J. Allen Maxwell, P.	South-Orange,	"	South-Orange, P. [P.	1	2	184		1	9	190	15	00	70	681				3300	755	
Charles T. Haley, P.	Newark,	"	Roseville, P.	11	16	115		4	1	325	5	00	100	181	43	25			365	
Charles H. Thompson, P.	"	"	Newark, Plane st., P.	2	13	171	4	1	8	130	3	00	25					1150		
James M. Dickson, P.	"	"	Newark, Sixth, P.	28	12	206	17	12	9	258	8	00	80	74	20	30		2650	300	
William C. Scofield, P.	"	"	Newark Central, P.	14	26	300		6	7	290	20	00	173					7016	352	
Charles D. Shaw, P.	Paterson,	"	Paterson, Second, P.	8	15	153		1	8	150	8	00	68	68		36		5478	243	
James Robertson, S. S.	Amenia, N. Y.																			
Christian Wisner, P.	Bloomfield, N. J.		Bloomfield, Ger., P.	5		67	2		15	60	2	00	4	14				1000		
Charles E. Knox, P.	"	"	Bloomfield, P.	2	10	487		1	5	240	28	00	374	616	80	75	60	2425	2901	
Fergus L. Kenyon, P.	Newark,	"	East-Orange, P.	5	15	94		1	4	100	6	00		22		9		1525	69	
Samuel Murdock, P.	Craneville,	"	Craneville, P.		6	41			1				10							
Edwin H. Freeman, H. M.																				
John J. F. Brunow, P.—49.	Newark,	"	Newark, Ger., 2d, P.	14		106			17	147	2	00						1153	126	
			Newark, Ger., 3d, S.S.			*155				180	4	00								

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		Dover, S.S.	15	5	66		8		80	2 50	8		5			493	
		Morenci, V.	1	1	17				30	1 26	5	6		1		233	4
		Medina, V.	1		35	6			40	2 65	22	17	3	4		277	22
		Blissfield, V.	1		74			7	70	4 40	12	25	5		16	790	30
		Palmyra, S. S.			*60				50	3 40	6	6					
		Raisin, S. S.	1	6	42	5			40	1 80		21				100	
		West-Adrian, V.—17.			*17												
			45	60	1437	38	17	40	1260	77 22	371	570	95	113	16	18,947	557
3. *Presb. of Marshall.*																	
Calvin Clark, Ag.	Marshall,	Mich.															
Hosea Kittredge, S. S.	Mason,	"	Mason, S. S.	16		53				1 95	17	10	8	2		250	28
William U. Benedict, W. C.	Vermontville,	"															
Alfred Bryant, S. S.	Lansing,	"	Okemos, S. S.	10	1	30											
Loomis Chandler, S. S.	Parma,	"	Parma, S. S.	4	7	55			5	100	2 50	37	30			350	75
Bela Fancher, S. S.	Homer,	"	Concord, S. S.			*38					1 50						
James Walker, S. S.	Eckford,	"	Eckford, S. S.	11	1	54	1	3		100	3 00	41	28	6	4	3		76
J. Livingston Willard, P.	Marshall,	"	Marshall, P.			*236		1			13 00	58	94					
Evan L. Davies, S. S.	Battle Creek,	"	Battle Creek, S. S.	8	13	240	89	4	6	300	14 00	50	100	35	25		1600	175
Chester S. Armstrong, S. S.	Lansing,	"	Lansing, Second, S. S.			*40					3 00	12						
Joel Kennedy, S. S.	Howell,	"																
John Gerrish, S. S.	Homer,	"	Homer, S. S.	17	2	112	13	11	3	120	6 80	69	29	62	18		1105	8
J. Evarts Weed, P.	Lansing,	"	Lansing, First, P.	1	12	146				120	8 76	40	35	36	20	27	1752	262
Thomas Sherrard, S. S.—14.	Brooklyn,	"	Brooklyn, S. S.			*73		1	1		3 60	20		7	2			
			Springport, S. S.	7	1	42		2		80		38	23				400	25
Licentiate.			Tekonsha, S. S.	2	2	45	1		1		2 00	23	13	2	3	2		98
			Albion, P. E.	38	11	191		12	3		7 40	10						25
Alpheus W. Billings, Ag.—1.	Lansing,	"	Oneida, S. S.			18												

Elijah W. Stoddard, P.	Succasunna, N. J.	Succasunna, P.	6	8	95	10	4	9	130	6 00	92	93	18	17	63	1250	149
Robert S. Feagles, P.	Mendham, "	Mendham, Second, P.	1	6	122				50	9 00	152	153				1146	219
Peres B. Bonney, P.	Branchville, "	Frankford, P.		3	138	7			175	11 00						800	
Goodloe B. Bell.																	
Samuel C. Hay, S. S.	Delhi, N. Y.																
Fred. A. M. Brown, P.E., *In trans.*	Peotone, Ill.																
William E. Honeyman, S.S.—21.	Rockaway, N. J.	Rockaway, S. S.	2	4	187	30		2	200	15 00	45	62	23			2200	258
		Deckertown, S. S.	3	1	103				70	5 00	30					600	100
		Hardyston, S. S.	4		58	6			150	4 00		42	20			1615	
		Parsippany, S. S.	1		30			1		5 00		26				320	
		Berkshire Valley, S.S.			20											230	
Licentiate.		West-Milford, V.			80												
		Wantage, 2d, S.S.—20.			200				16								
John R. Jenkins.—1.																	
			46	57	2161	97	13	31	2051	134 84	742	978	284	126	63	18,471	1591
Candidates, 4.																	
9. *Presb. of Montrose.*																	
Edward Allen, S. S.	Harford, Pa.	Gibson, S. S.		1	25				35		7 00	15	15	4		126	22
Burr Baldwin, H. M.	Montrose, "																
Lyman Richardson, W. C.	Harford, "									*9 85							
Adam Miller, P.	" "	Harford, P.	3	3	225	15	1	7	200	10 36	25	21	16			700	100
Robert Crossett, S. S.	Hamlinton, "	Salem, S. S.		10	41				36		123					490	13
James B. Wilson, W. C.	New-Milford, "																
Samuel Schaffer, W. C.	Humphreysville, "																
Henry A. Riley, W. C.	Montrose, "																
Darius Williams, W. C.	Wysox, "																
James B. McCreary, W. C.	Washington, D. C.																
Henry Van Houten, W. C.	Hawley, Pa.																
Horatio Pattengill, S. S.	Susquehanna, "	Susquehanna, S. S.	22	15	121	12	6	8	150	5 66		35		15		1400	39
Clarendon F. Muzzy.																	
Albert R. Raymond, W. C.	Hamlinton, "																
Joseph O. Boswell, W. C.	Harford, "																

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Preston Taylor, W. C.	Schoolcraft, Mich.																
Manna Thompson, W. C.	Berrien Springs, "																
John G. Reichmann, D.D., S. S.	Kalamazoo, "	Kalamazoo, Ger., S. S.	6		71			12		5 00	5				5	1129	4
Milton Bradley, P.	Richland, "	Richland, P.	2	1	107	12	2	2	150	8 00	75	100				1145	266
William Fuller, S. S.	Buchanan, "	Buchanan, S. S.	6		60	7	1		100	4 00	10	7				895	96
Albert L. Payson, S. S.	La Salle, Ill.																
Albert H. Gaston, S. S.	Prairieville, Mich.	Prairieville, S. S.	1		17		1	2	170							600	50
Alexander Porter, S. S.	Edwardsburgh, "	Edwardsburgh, S. S.		2	94	19			50	7 00	25				5	600	75
T. Dwight Hunt, P.	Niles, "	Niles, P.	23	26	341	20	7	12	250	24 00	111	205	60			3166	598
J. Jerome Ward, S. S.	Decatur, "	Decatur, S. S.	1	2	60		1	2	80							823	99
Edwin J. Stewart, S. S.	Schoolcraft, "	Schoolcraft, S. S.		4	32				75	2 00	8					800	
John Sailor, P.	Allegan, "	Allegan, P.	3	3	133	15	1	5	170	9 00	96	50		15	16	2504	166
George Willard, W. C.	Battle Creek, "																
Job Pierson, P.	Kalamazoo, "	Kalamazoo, P.	10	22	307	30	2	3	450	24 00	200	572		31		3700	1856
Sjoaerd Osinga, S. S.	Plainwell, "	Alamo, S. S.	3		11				40		10	10	150			160	
Martin Post, S. S.	Sterling, Ill.																
Edward G. Bryant, S. S.	Hastings, Mich.	Hastings, S. S.			30				50	2 00	5					809	55
Albert E. Hastings, P.—20.	Paw Paw, "	Paw Paw, P.	14	21	112	4	5		100	5 00	9	7				900	40
		Cassopolis, V.			*110												
Licentiate.		Gun Plain, S. S.		1	26			2	50	2 00		14				150	4
		Barry, V.—16.			*18												
S. M. Burton.—1,	Kalamazoo, "																
			69	82	1529	107	20	40	1735	92 00	554	965	210	46	26	17,381	3309
Candidate, 1.																	
6. *Presb. of Coldwater.*																	
Hiram Smith, W. C.*	Hillsdale, Mich.																
Charles S. Adams, W. C.	" "																

		Lenoxville, V.—34.			16				20		90								
			221	77	2556	229	86	64	2529	151	05	1831	1318	192	104		23,769	2001	
VIII. Synod of Pennsylvania.																			
1. *Presb. of Wilmington.*																			
George Foot, W. C.	Odessa, Del.																		
John Patton, D.D., P.	Middletown, "	Forest, P.	3	3	64			5	86	4	00	13	12	43		7	1379		
George Hood, Tea.	Princeton, N. J.																		
D. Hopkins Emerson, P.	St. George's, Del.	St. George's, P.	1	3	199		1	8	335	12	00	311	26	103	58			21	
Heminway J. Gaylord, P.	Delaware City, Del.	Delaware City, P.		3	*103			2	138	6	00	92	68	10	33	11	800	300	
		Port Penn, P.	4		*104		2		72	6	00	33	104	25	26	10	575		
George F. Wiswell, P.	Wilmington, Del.	Wilmington, Cen., P.	75	6	451		37	25	783	23	00	1985	158	334	200		3300		
Henry R. Matthews, P.	Elkton, Md.	Elkton, P.	6		88	10	2	5		5	00	31	36	50	70		2000		
William Aikman, P.	Wilmington, Del.	Wilmington, Hanover [st., P.	22	6	356		6	7	558	20	00	1019	290	68	119	56	3237		
John W. Mears, Ed.	Philadelphia, Pa.																		
J. Garl'nd Hamner, P. E., *In trans.*	Philadelphia, "																		
Charles Holloway, Tea.	Middletown, Del.																		
Thomas M. Cann, Tea.—12.	Frederick, Md.																		
		Drawyers, S. S.			*86														
		Pencader, V.			*92														
		Christiana, S. S.	12	5	54		6	3	78				8	50					
		Chesapeake City, V.	1		28				68			10		9			93		
		Milford, V.			*40														
		Mispillion, V.			*22														
		Felton, V.			*16														
		Greensboro, V.			*10														

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		Newark, V.			10												
		Bridgeville, V.—17.			12												
			124	26	1735	10	54	55	2120	110 00	3495	703	693	507	147	11,374	321
2. *Presb. of Philadelphia, 3d.*																	
Joseph McCool, W. C.	Pottsville, Pa.																
Michael Burdett, W. C.																	
James M. Davis, W. C.																	
Charles A. Smith, D.D., Tea.	Philadelphia, "																
Charles Brown, Sec.	" "																
Beriah B. Hotchkin, P.	Haverford, "	Marple, P.	4	1	96	10	1	5	220	5 00	33	40			35	1150	300
Peter Parker, M.D., W. C.	Washington, D. C.																
William W. Taylor, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Phila., Olivet, P.	20	24	274	22	4	10	400		140	30	25	50		6661	45
Ezra E. Adams, D.D., P.	" "	" North-Broad st., [P.	40	33	441		10	17	750	30 00	1280	810	241	2200	181	35,511	9995
Marcus E. Cross, W. C.	" "																
John Crowell, W. C.	" "																
Leeds K. Berridge, W. C.	" "																
Nathaniel Frost, Ch.																	
Daniel March, D.D., P.	" "	" Clinton st., P.	12	3	363		8	5	465	30 00	288	508	208	70	66	6575	1015
William Ottinger, Tea.	Germantown, "																
David C. Meeker, P.	Wallace P. O., "	West-Nantmeal, P.	2	2	117	13	2	4	89	5 00	18	20	22		10	920	
John McLeod, P. & Sec.	Philadelphia, "	Phila.,So.-Western,P.	16	12	150			14	100		15	25	10	12	10	1650	
Alexander M. Stewart, P.	E. Whiteland, "	East Whiteland, P.		4	60				64		33	16	14	18		500	31
		Reeseville, P.	1		30				95		20	12	10	6		725	
John W. Dulles, Sec.	Philadelphia, "																
William E. Moore, P.	Westchester, "	Westchester, P.	49	14	327	30	25	20	292	15 00	57	226	46	25	22	6420	
Epaminondas J. Pierce, S. S.	Del. Water Gap, "																
J. Glentworth Butler, D.D., P.	W. Philadelphia, "	Phila., Walnut st., P.	14	14	252	36	6	4	450	30 00	554	569	115	359	165	4500	2500

Albert Henry Barnes, Tea.	Philadelphia, Pa.																	
Samuel W. Crittenden, Ag.	" "																	
Jonathan S. Willis, W. C.	" "																	
Joseph Ford Sutton, P.	" "	" Western, P.	26	3	176	45	12	3	100	15	00	130	75	40	393		2000	1000
George Van Deurs, S. S.	" "	" Tabor, S. S.	66	10	325		8	61	250			30	12	6	12	16	1354	79
H. Augustus Smith, P.	W. Phila., "	" Mantua, First, P.	21	7	218	14	1	3	267	15	00	75	120		55		2190	232
Frank L. Robbins, P.	Philadelphia, "	" Green Hill, P.	36	19	340		8	12	515	20	00	1175	300				6000	450
Richard A. Mallery, P.	" "	" Cedar st., P.	15	8	311	120	2	14	200	5	00	69	56		15	16	2000	100
J. Hervey Beale, S. S.	Christiana, Del.																	
Wolcott Calkins, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	" Calvary, P.	54	26	379	21	11	12	462	60	00	2395	2130	235	66	190	9508	78,098
Llewelyn Pratt, Prof.	Washington, D. C.																	
Isaac Riley, P.	Pottsville, Pa.	Pottsville, First, P.	21	10	174	43	2	9	244	5	00	68	29				1743	119
George G. Smith, H. M.	VirginiaCity, Mon. Ter.																	
William H. Thorne, P.	Kingsessing, Pa.	Darby, Second, P.	10	4	65		1	7	105			11					1200	
Martin P. Jones, P.—37.	Chester City, "	Chester City, P.			43				140									
		Phila., Logan Sq., V.	2		155		1		112	5	00						1000	
Licentiate.		Darby, First, S. S.			*60				80				20				600	80
		Mantua, Second, S. S.	4	12	42		1	1	183								500	
E. Clarence Smith.—1.		Unionville, V.			*17													
		Womelsdorf, V.—24.																
Candidates, 2.																		
			413	206	4415	354	103	201	5583	240	00	6391	4998	972	3281	711	92,707	94,044
3. *Presb. of Philadelphia, 4th.*										*16	99							
Albert Barnes, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Phila., First, P.	10	7	440		2	7		77	31	692	2997	239	66		9450	3032
Thomas Brainerd, D.D., P.	" "	" Third, P.	29	10	598		12	13	800	60	00	286	330		65		5000	14,000
David Malin, D.D., W. C.	" "																	
Jacob Helffenstein, D.D., P.	Germantown, "	Germantown, Market Sq., P.	8	7	340		2	10	160	15	00	50	80	40	24	45	2300	240
Charles Boyter, W. C.	Beverly, N. J.																	
Robert Adair, Sec.	Philadelphia, Pa.																	
Elias J. Richards, P.	Reading, "	Reading, First, P.	4	2	370		1	6		20	00	185	148			50		
Matthew Meigs, Tea.	Pottstown, "																	

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William T. Hart, S. S.—17.	Bellevue, Ohio.	Lyme, S. S.	22	6	100	7	6	3	120	5 00	11	36	21			871	133
Candidates, 3.		Olena, S. S.		2	65			2	78	4 00	20	13	12			335	65
		Huron, S. S.	1	4	69	7	1	7	75	4 00						800	
		Republic, S. S.		1	41				80	2 00						280	20
		Melmore, V.			*46												
		Greenfield, V.			*53												
		Margaretta, S. S.—15.			*28												
			186	67	1390	28	84	48	1818	76 50	336	501	205	26	80	18,459	1999
3. *Presb. of Trumbull.*																	
Ozias S. Eells, S. S.	Johnstonville, Ohio.	Johnston, S. S.	8	4	57		2	3	70	2 70		15	8		5	353	20
Isaac Winans, *In transitu.*	Garrettsville, "									*2 14							
Xenophon Betts, S. S.	Vienna, "	Vienna, S. S.			60	6		2	25	3 60	25	32	14		6	450	50
Henry B. Eldred, P.	Kinsman, "	Kinsman, P.	2	8	144	18	1	1	150	8 46	60	132	650				
Claudius B. Andrews, F. M.	Honolulu, Oahu.																
Benjamin Walker, S. S.	Warren, Ohio.	Champion, S. S.	3	2	41	3		2	50	2 65		28	6				50
Joseph H. Scott, W. C.	Windham, "																
Levi B. Wilson, P.	Youngstown, "	Youngstown, P.	35	18	251		9	20	174	12 72	58	92	33	15		27,500	645
William F. Millikan, P.	Mesopotamia, "	Mesopotamia, P.	6	5	78		3	1	145	4 44	63	49	30		10	560	167
		Farmington, P.			32	2		1	40	2 28	16	20	10		11	200	19
Augustus Cone, P. and S. S.	Newton Falls, "	Newton Falls, P.	6	3	65	2			125	3 85	13	17				650	50
		Braceville, S. S.		3	23					1 20	14					200	71
Benjamin F. Sharp, P.	Niles, "	Mineral Ridge, P.	9	17	65		2	4	325	3 30	36	55	31			1640	353
John Campbell, S. S.	Johnstonville, "	Mecca, S. S.	1		56	7			75	2 76		15			4	480	40
Henry B. Dye, P.	Gustavus, "	Gustavus, P.	8	4	55		2	3	60	2 88	10	5				500	50
Thomas Roberts, Tea.	Watertown, Tenn.																
Henry R. Hoisington, P.—15.	Warren, Ohio.	Warren, P.	43	13	241	6	18	4	156	12 84	64	87	15	12		2350	5687
		Ellsworth, S. S.	6	1	49		1	5	80	3 12	122	78				372	145

		Phil., Wharton st., S.S.	48	23	163		8	25	600	8 00	50	75	20	30		1500			
		Norristown, Centr'l, V.	21	11	180		8	5	200	10 00	43	43				110		15	
		Reading, Wash. st., V.	3	1	25			1	50	2 50									
		Phila., Af., Second, V.			30			1		2 50									
Licentiates.		Mountain, S. S.	4		64				80	2 50	46	50	5					100	
		Jeffersonville, S. S.—		7	51	16		5	70	3 00	10	4	2	2		520			
Mahlon Long, Tea.	Hartsville, Pa.	[30.																	
Alonzo P. Johnson, S. S.	Waukesha, Wis.		455	176	6454	495	151	269	6187	360 80	2134	5159	825	558	284	50,080	19,869		
Thomas A. Hamilton, Tea.—3.																			
Candidates, 10.																			
4. *Presb. of Harrisburgh.*																			
William R. De Witt, D.D., P.	Harrisburgh, Pa.																		
John W. Davis, Ch.	" "																		
Jeremiah Miller, Sec.	Philadelphia, "																		
William Sterling, P.	Williamsport, "	Williamsport, Second,	125	20	326	3	49	10	300	20 00	100	100	100	80	30	27,212	1748		
William Tracy, F. M.	Pasumalie, N. India.	[P.																	
Conway P. Wing, D.D., P.	Carlisle, Pa.	Carlisle, First, P.	28	2	352		7	17	360	25 00	138	133	62	63	104	1689	150		
Charles M. Blake, Ch.	Washington City, D.C.																		
Thomas H. Robinson, P.	Harrisburgh, Pa.	Harrisburgh, First, P.	24	6	179		14	2	300	25 00	712	1167		21	622	2500	680		
James Dickson, P.	Northumberland, "	N'thumberl'd, First, P.	1		75			5		10 00	19	19	8	10					
Alexander D. Moore, S. S.	Dauphin, "	Dauphin, First, S. S.	17	2	64		4	10	80	5 00	19	40	24	27		550	30		
Henry E. Niles, P.	York, "	York, P.	47	8	183	9	5	8	300	25 00	430	530	100	50	75	2600	1028		
John E. Long, S. S.—12.	Hublersburgh, "	Hublersburgh, S. S.			54	8		5	64	3 00	13			6	5	216			
		Spring Mills, S. S.	2		25			3	80	3 00	32			12	8	370			
Licentiates.																			
John L. Landis,	Pottstown, "																		
Hiram Baker, S. S.—2.	Harrisburgh, "	Harrisburgh, Second,		1	35	20			80		3	2				395	50		
Candidates, 3.		[S. S.—9.																	
			244	39	1293	40	79	60	1564	116 00	1466	1991	294	269	844	35,532	3686		

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Hiram Bingham, S. S.	Windham, Ohio.																
Horace Foot, W. C.	Indiana.																
William H. Goodrich, D.D., P.	Cleveland, Ohio.	Cleveland, First, P.	59	18	454	40	26	19	475	26 00	560	1329	160			7000	5250
Raymond H. Leonard, Sec.	" "																
Seth G. Clark, W. C.	Cass Co., Missouri.																
John B. Allen, S. S.	Brooklyn, Ohio.	Brooklyn, S. S.	5		40		3	1		2 00	19		14	10			
		Rockport, S. S.	1		31			2		2 00	10		20	10			
Theron H. Hawks, D.D., P.	Cleveland, "	Cleveland, Second, P.	30	11	447	26	17	13	650	30 00	1060	1380	92	153	66	5476	25,832
John G. Hall, S. S.	Ravenna, "																
Nehemiah Cobb, Ag.	Hudson, "																
Daniel Vrooman, F. M.	Canton, China.																
Nathan L. Lord, M.D., F. M.	Madura, India.																
Erastus Chester, W. C.	Cleveland, Ohio.																
Joseph E. Tinker, P.	Willoughby, "	Willoughby, P. [P.	5	9	56		2		40	3 00	16	21	5				
John Monteith, Jr., P.	Cleveland, "	Cleveland, Euclid st.,	27	13	189		7	4	267	11 00	295	324	279			5600	7000
William C. Turner, P.	Newburgh, "	Newburgh, P.	4	8	90			4		4 00				175		1200	13
Thomas Towler, S. S.	Brecksville, "	Brecksville, S. S.		1	76			1	50	4 56	23	20		74		1000	43
Nathaniel P. Bailey, W. C.	Painesville, "																
Jenkin D. Jenkins, S. S.	Huron, "																
George B. Pierce, S. S.	Mich.																
Albert W. Knowlton, S. S.	Strongsville, Ohio.	Strongsville, S. S.	4	3	52			1	120	3 00		12				963	44
Henry V. Hitchcock, S. S.	Streetsboro', "	Streetsboro', S. S.			24					2 00		13	25	117			
Aaron Peck, S. S.—45.	Cleveland, "																
Licentiates.																	
Jackson J. Bushnell, Prof.	Beloit, Wis.																
John A. De La Mater.—2.	Cleveland, Ohio.																
		Independence, S. S.			*50												
		Parma, S. S.			*28												

Harrison O. Howland, P.	Waterford,	"	Waterford, P.	12	7	90		8	7	70	9	10	10	11	1	1	12	700	90
Thomas T. Bradford, P.	Edinborough,	"																	
Eli W. Beebe, Ag.	"	"	Edinborough, P. [P.	12	5	120		7	2	100	6	60	12	18	6	6	11	960	
William Grassie, P.	Fairview,	"	Fairview & Manch'st'r,			112				80	7	20	9	48	12			800	75
Ambrose Dunn, P.	Wattsburgh,	"	Wattsburgh, P.	19		114		13	4	80	6	48	26	46	3	5		615	55
Francis V. Warren, P.	North-East,	"	North-East, P.	23	12	221		9	2	304	11	40	132	102			26	2065	98
Thomas B. Hudson, P.																			
Joseph D. Barstow, Ch.																			
Dwight K. Steele, S. S.	Wesleyville,	"	Greene, S. S.	9	2	40		3		40	2	94		10	3		5	295	
			Union, V.	2	4	56		1	3	70	3	60	8	13			6	831	
Samuel J. Jones, *In trans.*			Beaver Dam, S. S.	1	1	28	3	1		55	1	99			4	4	5	257	
Blackford Condit, *In trans.*—15.			Springfield, S. S.—13.			*90					5	40							
				194	63	1528	16	86	32	1400	82	15	489	516	120	88	149	11,924	1047
2. *Presb. of Meadville.*																			
George W. Hampson, P. E.	Woodcock, Pa.		Grave Run, P. E., and Cambridge, P. E.	4	2	156		1	14	120	6	00	18	8	6	10		350	78
Oliver N. Chapin, S. S.	Spartansburgh, Pa.		Sparta, S. S.	1		35	6	1	1	35	1	50	3	5	2				
William T. Dickson, P.	Wolf Creek, Pa.		Pinegrove, P.	7	2	61		3	2	60	3	15	29	22		6			17
Richard Craighead, P.	Meadville, Pa.		Meadville, P.	52	28	303		16	6	150	12	50	56	75	35			1200	350
John McMaster, S. S.	Pittsfield, Pa.		Pittsfield, S. S.		1	15					1	00	5	5		3		100	35
Whiting C. Birchard, S. S.	Cherry-Tree, Pa.		Cherry-Tree, S. S.		1	25		1		80	10	00	59	185	13	45		475	80
			Sunville, S. S.	40	2	133		14	4	80	8	00	9	17	10	3		460	105
Wm. Howell Taylor, P. E.	Titusville, Pa.		Oil Creek, P. E.	5	44	101			8	147								18,000	247
George H. Hammer, W. C.	Newville, Pa.																		
William C. Curtis, *In trans.*—9.																			
			Kerrs Hill, V.			38				32	2	50	10						88
			Garland, V.			*40													
			Tionesta, V.			*20													
			Centreville, V.—13.			*5													
Licentiate.				109	80	932	6	36	35	704	44	65	189	317	66	67		20,585	1000
David W. Rankin.—1.																			

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3. *Presb. of Pittsburgh.*																	
Samuel M. Sparks, P.	Mount Pleasant, Pa.	Mount Pleasant, P.	10	1	180	40	4	4	150	8 00	26	18	10	7		650	
		Pleasant Unity, P.	5		80					4 00	25	18	6	6		607	
A. B. Bradford, P.	Newcastle, "	Newcastle, P.			*100												
Joseph S. Travelli, Ag.	Pittsburgh, "																
Henry Kendall, D.D., Sec.	New-York City, N. Y.									*1 00							
Herrick Johnson, P.	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Pittsburgh, Third, P.	10	14	394	23	4	8	630	30 00	2110	15	1226			61,514	2628
Peter S. Davies, S. S.—6.	Buchanan, "	Birmingham, First, [S. S.—5.	2	4	85	4		4	200	5 00	20	9	7			800	200
Candidates, 3.			27	19	839	67	8	16	980	48 00	2181	1545	1249	14		63,571	2828
X. Synod of Michigan.																	
1. *Presb. of Detroit.*																	
Noah M. Wells, W. C.	Erie, Mich.																
George Duffield, D.D., P.	Detroit, "	Detroit, First, P.	12	7	232		3	4		17 60		260	140	160	64		1621
William A. McCorkle, C. P.	Detroit, "																
William P. Wastell, W. C.	Port Huron, "																
Norman Tucker, S. S.	White Lake, "	Springfield, S. S.	1	1	35		1		40	2 77	8	6				350	
Peter Boughton, Ag.	New-Orleans, La.																
Thomas S. Forster, S. S.	Southfield, Mich.	Southfield, S. S.		1	38				40	2 52	7	25	7	8		350	
William Hogarth, D.D., P.	Detroit, "	Detroit, Jeff. Av., P.	41	15	271		10	11		15 40	267	299	167				567
Henry Bissell, S. S.	Mt. Clemens, "	Mt. Clemens, S. S.	15	4	75	1	4	4	140	3 72	26	38				900	
Azariah Eldridge, D.D., S. S.	Paris, France.																
Chauncey Osborn, S. S.	Dearborn, Mich.	Dearborn, S. S.	3	2	32			2	40	1 55	19	15	5			250	83
Samuel N. Hill, S. S.	Birmingham, "	Birmingham, S. S.	6	1	80		2	3	60	2 40	20	62				540	119

Oliver W. Mather, W. C.	Windsor, Ct.																	
John L. King, W. C.	Savannah, Mo.																	
Lionel B. Hart, W. C.	Detroit, Mich.																	
James A. Veale, S. S.	White Lake, "	White Lake, S. S.	2	2	56	10	1				16							
Henry M. Swift, S. S.	Milford, "	Milford, S. S.			*60													
William H. McGiffert, P.—20.	Pontiac, "	Pontiac, P.	2	16	101		1		138	4	80							110
		Detroit, Fort st., S. S.	22	6	269		6			15	30	517	223	351	218			
		Holly, S. S.		5	70			3	52	7	63	12	15				878	12
		Erin, S. S.	2		*28			2		2	43							14
Licentiate.		Farmington, V.			*26													
		Wing Lake, S. S.	3	2	69			2		5	55	6	6	4			300	34
Solon Whitcomb.—1.		Canton, S. S.—15.	4	11	46		2	1										2
Candidates, 4.			110	73	1488	11	30	32	510	81	67	898	949	674	386		3568	2562
2. *Presb. of Monroe.*																		
John Walker, W. C.	Jersey City, N. J.																	
Erastus N. Nichols, W. C.	Metuchen, "																	
Isaac Crabb, W. C.	Fairfield, Mich.																	
Charles N. Mattoon, D.D., P.	Monroe, "	Monroe, P.	11	14	305		6	6	200	14	00	105	305	30			2850	110
Robert R. Salter, D.D., P.	La Salle, "	La Salle, P.			66	6		10	50	3	60						475	1
Erasmus J. Boyd, Prof.	Monroe, "																	
William S. Taylor, H. M.	Petersburgh, "	Petersburgh, S. S.			38			1	50	2	28	10	3	1	7		1545	12
Samuel Fleming, S. S.	Erie, "	Erie, S. S.	1	1	42				50	2	50		13		2		665	10
Horatio W. Shaw, H. M.	Clayton, "	Clayton, S. S.	1		29	5			20	1	25	7		2			185	6
Samuel E. Wishard, P.	Tecumseh, "	Tecumseh, P.	4	17	286	8		11	185	13	75	80	120		35		5641	200
William H. Webb, P.	Adrian, "	Adrian, P.	2	6	234	8	1	2	250	15	83	78	43	37	49		4140	139
Richard G. McCarthy, H.M.—12.	Manchester, "	Manchester, S. S.	5	3	80		2	3	80	5	00	21	11	10	9		1031	
		Ida, S. S.	2	4	17				20	1	00	7					174	9
Candidate, 1.		Deerfield, S. S.		3	29				50	2	00	10		1	6		348	14

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		Dover, S.S.	15	5	66		8		80	2 50	8		5			493	
		Morenci, V.	1	1	17				30	1 26	5	6		1		233	4
		Medina, V.	1		35	6			40	2 65	22	17	3	4		277	22
		Blissfield, V.	1		74			7	70	4 40	12	25	5		16	790	30
		Palmyra, S. S.			*60				50	3 40	6	6					
		Raisin, S. S.	1	6	42	5			40	1 80		21				100	
		West-Adrian, V.—17.			*17												
			45	60	1437	38	17	40	1260	77 22	371	570	95	113	16	18,947	557
3. Presb. of Marshall.																	
Calvin Clark, Ag.	Marshall,	Mich.															
Hosea Kittredge, S. S.	Mason,	"	Mason, S. S.	16		53				1 95	17	10	8	2		250	28
William U. Benedict, W. C.	Vermontville,	"															
Alfred Bryant, S. S.	Lansing,	"	Okemos, S. S.	10	1	30											
Loomis Chandler, S. S.	Parma,	"	Parma, S. S.	4	7	55			5	100	2 50	37	30			350	75
Bela Fancher, S. S.	Homer,	"	Concord, S. S.			*38					1 50						
James Walker, S. S.	Eckford,	"	Eckford, S. S.	11	1	54	1	3		100	3 00	41	28	6	4	3		76
J. Livingston Willard, P.	Marshall,	"	Marshall, P.			*236		1			13 00	58	94					
Evan L. Davies, S. S.	Battle Creek,	"	Battle Creek, S. S.	8	13	240	89	4	6	300	14 00	50	100	35	25		1600	175
Chester S. Armstrong, S. S.	Lansing,	"	Lansing, Second, S. S.			*40					3 00	12						
Joel Kennedy, S. S.	Howell,	"																
John Gerrish, S. S.	Homer,	"	Homer, S. S.	17	2	112	13	11	3	120	6 80	69	29	62	18		1105	8
J. Evarts Weed, P.	Lansing,	"	Lansing, First, P.	1	12	146				120	8 76	40	35	36	20	27	1752	262
Thomas Sherrard, S. S.—14.	Brooklyn,	"	Brooklyn, S. S.			*73		1	1		3 60	20		7	2			
Licentiate.			Springport, S. S.	7	1	42		2		80		38	23				400	25
			Tekonsha, S. S.	2	2	45	1		1		2 00	23	13	2	3	2		98
Alpheus W. Billings, Ag.—1.	Lansing,	"	Albion, P. E.	38	11	191		12	3		7 40	10						25
			Oneida, S. S.			18												

			Roxana, V.			13								3	3				
			Delhi, S. S.—19.	2		20													
				123	50	1444	104	31	22	780	68	81	424	377	165	75	32	5457	772
4. *Presb of Washtenaw.*																			
Rufus Nutting, W. C.	Saline,	Mich.																	
Ebenezer Cheever, W. C.	Ypsilanti,	"																	
Edward E. Gregory, S. S.	Corunna,	"																	
Charles G. Clark, W. C.	Ann Arbor,	"																	
Seth Hardy, W. C.	Ypsilanti,	"																	
Norman Kellogg, S. S.	"	"	Stony Creek, S. S.		2	90				120	7	00	36	47	20			1035	80
Benjamin Franklin, S. S.	Brighton,	"	Brighton, S. S.	4	1	55		3	1		2	40	20	24	5		14	405	51
David Torrey, D.D., P. E.	Ann Arbor,	"	Ann Arbor, P. E.	46	6	291		11		250	15	00	85	100	30	20		3500	97
Lucius D. Chapin, Prof.	Ann Arbor,	"																	
George P. Tindall, P.	Ypsilanti,	"	Ypsilanti, P.	24	23	369	63	11	17	300	25	00	105	115	40	33		2469	
James A. Marshall, S. S.	Saline,	"	Saline, S. S.	6	6	100		1	1	90	6	00	25	40				900	40
William J. G. Nutting, S. S.	Unadilla,	"	Unadilla, S. S.	4	3	54		2		100	2	00	7	18	17			350	
			Plainfield, S. S.			30	1			60	1	92	8	10	6			120	
Maltby Gelston, S. S.—13.	Ann Arbor,	"																	
			Howell, S. S.—8.	27	4	156		7	3	80	6	00						505	10
Licentiates.				111	45	1145	64	35	22	1000	85	32	286	354	118	53	14	9284	278
Elnathan A. Pitkin,	Ypsilanti,	Mich.																	
George W. Hood.—2.	Lodi,	"																	
Candidates, 3.																			
5. *Presb. of Kalamazoo.*																			
Seth Smalley, W. C.	Augusta,	Mich.																	
B. Foster Pratt, W. C.	Kalamazoo,	"																	

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Preston Taylor, W. C.	Schoolcraft, Mich.																
Manna Thompson, W. C.	Berrien Springs,"																
John G. Reichmann, D.D., S. S.	Kalamazoo, "	Kalamazoo, Ger., S. S.	6		71			12		5 00	5				5	1129	4
Milton Bradley, P.	Richland, "	Richland, P.	2	1	107	12	2	2	150	8 00	75	100				1145	266
William Fuller, S. S.	Buchanan, "	Buchanan, S. S.	6		60	7	1		100	4 00	10	7				895	96
Albert L. Payson, S. S.	La Salle, Ill.																
Albert H. Gaston, S. S.	Prairieville, Mich.	Prairieville, S. S.	1		17		1	2	170							600	50
Alexander Porter, S. S.	Edwardsburgh, "	Edwardsburgh, S. S.		2	94	19			50	7 00	25				5	600	75
T. Dwight Hunt, P.	Niles, "	Niles, P.	23	26	341	20	7	12	250	24 00	111	205	60			3166	598
J. Jerome Ward, S. S.	Decatur, "	Decatur, S. S.	1	2	60		1	2	80							823	99
Edwin J. Stewart, S. S.	Schoolcraft, "	Schoolcraft, S. S.		4	32				75	2 00	8					800	
John Sallor, P.	Allegan, "	Allegan, P.	3	3	133	15	1	5	170	9 00	96	50		15	16	2504	166
George Willard, W. C.	Battle Creek, "																
Job Pierson, P.	Kalamazoo, "	Kalamazoo, P.	10	22	307	30	2	3	450	24 00	200	572		31		3700	1856
Sjoaerd Osinga, S. S.	Plainwell, "	Alamo, S. S.	3		11				40		10	10	150			160	
Martin Post, S. S.	Sterling, Ill.																
Edward G. Bryant, S. S.	Hastings, Mich.	Hastings, S. S.			30				50	2 00	5					809	55
Albert E. Hastings, P.—20.	Paw Paw, "	Paw Paw, P.	14	21	112	4	5		100	5 00	9	7				900	40
		Cassopolis, V.			*110												
Licentiate.		Gun Plain, S. S.		1	26			2	50	2 00		14				150	4
		Barry, V.—16.			*18												
S. M. Burton.—1,	Kalamazoo, "																
			69	82	1529	107	20	40	1735	92 00	554	965	210	46	26	17,381	3309
Candidate, 1.																	
6. *Presb. of Coldwater.*																	
Hiram Smith, W. C.*	Hillsdale, Mich.																
Charles S. Adams, W. C.	" "																

William C. Clark, W. C.	Detroit, "																		
Timothy B. Jervis, S. S.	Pine Island, Minn	Burr Oak, S. S.	1	7	45	10		1	120	3	50	31	25					493	40
Oliver W. Norton, S. S.	Somerset, Mich.	Somerset, S. S.	2	3	25		2	2	50	1	54	10						456	
Gustavus L. Foster, P. E.	Bethel, Ct.																		
Joseph A. Ranney, P.	Three Rivers, Mich.	Three Rivers, P.	68	14	211	2	33	5	200	9	80	68	25	15	20	22		1100	82
Almond G. Martin, W. C.	Sturgis, "																		
Charles M. Temple, P.	White Pigeon, "	White Pigeon, P.	20	7	80		5	5	100	4	76	11	28					1000	20
Frederick R. Gallaher, S. S.	Hillsdale, "	Hillsdale, S. S.	28	9	212		15	4	235	12	95	58	148	31	50			1974	
Edwin W. Childs, S. S.—12.	Jonesville, "	Jonesville, S. S.	7	14	95		4		125	4	97	22	20					2375	100
		Quincy, V.	4	2	21				30	1	47		20			2		100	20
		Coldwater, S. S.	12	15	210		8	5	175	14	70	20	30					1355	95
		Gilead, V.	6	3	27				50	1	47	25						1000	
		Parkville, S. S.	12		45				70	3	15							215	
		Sturgis, S. S.—12.	1	9	72		1	1	100	5	18							1100	74
			162	83	1076	14	68	26	1285	65	94	245	306	46	70	24		11,326	456
7. Presb. of Saginaw.																			
Henry H. Northrop, P.	Flint, Mich.	Flint, P.	3	11	242			10	200	24	00	164	272	200	164			2025	110
George Winter, S. S.	Holly, "																		
Donald B. Campbell, S. S.	Wenona, "	Bangor, S. S.	2	18	20				30	2	00	24						1500	
Thomas Wright, Sec.	Fentonville, "																		
Justus B. Jewell, W. C.	Carson City, Nevada.																		
Jonathan A. Woodruff, S. S.	Allison, Mich.	Goodland, S. S.	23	2	52			11	80	2	00	14							
Alexander Trotter, S. S.	Vassar, "	Vassar, S. S.			46			2	141	4	00	16						918	125
J. Ambrose Wight, P.	Bay City, "	Bay City, P.	6	11	90			3	100	7	00	33	20					900	530
Edmund F. Waldo, S. S.	Linden, "	Linden, S. S.		17	17				50	1	00	6						307	
William T. Bartle, S. S.	Lapeer, "	Lapeer, S. S.	1	5	63			3	75	6	00	23	10					1281	80
Jesse W. Hough, P.	Saginaw City, "	Saginaw City, P.	2	14	72			1	110	4	00							1800	
Edward Dickinson, S. S.	Fentonville, "	Fentonville, S. S.	14	8	94		4	3	75	9	00	14	39	8	12			1100	129
Alanson Herrick, S. S.	Flint, "	Mundi, S. S.			*30														
Calvin P. Quick, W. C.—14.	Birmingham, "																		
		Fremont, V.			*20														

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William T. Hart, S. S.—17.	Bellevue, Ohio.	Lyme, S. S.	22	6	100	7	6	3	120	5 00	11	36	21			871	133
		Olena, S. S.		2	65			2	78	4 00	20	13	12			335	65
Candidates, 3.		Huron, S. S.	1	4	69	7	1	7	75	4 00						800	
		Republic, S. S.		1	41				80	2 00						280	20
		Melmore, V.			*46												
		Greenfield, V.			*53												
		Margaretta, S. S.—15.			*28												
			186	67	1390	28	84	48	1818	76 50	336	501	205	26	80	18,459	1999
3. *Presb. of Trumbull.*																	
Ozias S. Eells, S. S.	Johnstonville, Ohio.	Johnston, S. S.	8	4	57		2	3	70	2 70		15	8		5	353	20
Isaac Winans, *In transitu.*	Garrettsville, "									*2 14							
Xenophon Betts, S. S.	Vienna, "	Vienna, S. S.			60	6		2	25	3 60	25	32	14		6	450	50
Henry B. Eldred, P.	Kinsman, "	Kinsman, P.	2	8	144	18	1	1	150	8 46	60	132	650				
Claudius B. Andrews, F. M.	Honolulu, Oahu.																
Benjamin Walker, S. S.	Warren, Ohio.	Champion, S. S.	3	2	41	3		2	50	2 65		28	6				50
Joseph H. Scott, W. C.	Windham, "																
Levi B. Wilson, P.	Youngstown, "	Youngstown, P.	35	18	251		9	20	174	12 72	58	92	33	15		27,500	645
William F. Millikan, P.	Mesopotamia, "	Mesopotamia, P.	6	5	78		3	1	145	4 44	63	49	30		10	560	167
		Farmington, P.			32	2		1	40	2 28	16	20	10		11	200	19
Augustus Cone, P. and S. S.	Newton Falls, "	Newton Falls, P.	6	3	65	2			125	3 85	13	17				650	50
		Braceville, S. S.		3	23					1 20	14					200	71
Benjamin F. Sharp, P.	Niles, "	Mineral Ridge, P.	9	17	65		2	4	325	3 30	36	55	31			1640	353
John Campbell, S. S.	Johnstonville, "	Mecca, S. S.	1		56	7			75	2 76		15			4	480	40
Henry B. Dye, P.	Gustavus, "	Gustavus, P.	8	4	55		2	3	60	2 88	10	5				500	50
Thomas Roberts, Tea.	Watertown, Tenn.																
Henry R. Hoisington, P.—15.	Warren, Ohio.	Warren, P.	42	13	241	6	18	4	156	12 84	64	87	15	12		2350	5687
		Ellsworth, S. S.	6	1	49		1	5	80	3 12	122	78				372	145

			Southington, V.—16.			19			1		1 20								
Richard L. Williams,	Walnut Hills,	Ohio.																	
Howard W. Stratton.—2.	Warren,	"		127	81	1273	46	38	48	1475	70 14	481	629	797	27	36	35,255	6347
Candidate, 1.																			
4. *Presb. of Cleveland and Portage.*																			
John Keys, W. C.	Dover,	Ohio.																	
John Seward, W. C.	Tallmadge,	"																	
Chester Chapin, W. C.	Brecksville,	"																	
George E. Pierce, D.D., W. C.	Hudson,	"																	
Israel Shaler, W. C.	Richfield,	"																	
Samuel C. Aiken, D.D., P. Em.	Cleveland,	"																	
Stephen W. Burritt, W. C.	Cleveland,	"																	
Thomas Lee, W. C.	Brooklyn,	"																	
Samuel Bissell, Tea.	Twinsburgh,	"																	
Benjamin Fenn, P. C.	Nelson,	"																	
Joseph H. Breck, W. C.	Newburgh,	"																	
Asa Brainard, W. C.	Cleveland,	"																	
Alvan Nash, W. C.	"	"																	
William Day, W. C.	"	"																	
Daniel C. Blood, S. S.	Massillon,	"																	
James Shaw, D.D., P. C.	Windham,	"									*7 96								
Franklin Maginnis, P.	Collamer,	"	Euclid, P	2	9	116			4	85	7 42	44	50		116			23	
Anson Smyth, Tea.	Cleveland,	"																	
Henry L. Hitchcock, D.D., Pres. and P.	Hudson,	"	W. Reserve College, P.	8	10	53		2	2		3 00		32	31	35				2500
Anson Y. Tuttle, W. C.	Edinburgh,	"																	
Elias C. Sharpe, P.	Atwater,	"	Atwater, P.			*130				100									
Sam'l H. Whittlesey, M.D., W.C.	Galva, Ill.																		

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Hiram Bingham, S. S.	Windham, Ohio.																
Horace Foot, W. C.	Indiana.																
William H. Goodrich, D.D., P.	Cleveland, Ohio.	Cleveland, First, P.	59	18	454	40	26	19	475	26 00	560	1329	160			7000	5250
Raymond H. Leonard, Sec.	" "																
Seth G. Clark, W. C.	Cass Co., Missouri.																
John B. Allen, S. S.	Brooklyn, Ohio.	Brooklyn, S. S.	5		40		3	1		2 00	19		14	10			
		Rockport, S. S.	1		31			2		2 00	10		20	10			
Theron H. Hawks, D.D., P.	Cleveland, "	Cleveland, Second, P.	30	11	447	26	17	13	650	30 00	1060	1380	92	153	66	5476	25,832
John G. Hall, S. S.	Ravenna, "																
Nehemiah Cobb, Ag.	Hudson, "																
Daniel Vrooman, F. M.	Canton, China.																
Nathan L. Lord, M.D., F. M.	Madura, India.																
Erastus Chester, W. C.	Cleveland, Ohio.																
Joseph E. Tinker, P.	Willoughby, "	Willoughby, P. [P.	5	9	56		2		40	3 00	16	21	5				
John Monteith, Jr., P.	Cleveland, "	Cleveland, Euclid st.,	27	13	189		7	4	267	11 00	295	324	279			5600	7000
William C. Turner, P.	Newburgh, "	Newburgh, P.	4	8	90			4		4 00				175		1200	13
Thomas Towler, S. S.	Brecksville, "	Brecksville, S. S.		1	76			1	50	4 56	23	20		74		1000	43
Nathaniel P. Bailey, W. C.	Painesville, "																
Jenkin D. Jenkins, S. S.	Huron, "																
George B. Pierce, S. S.	Mich.																
Albert W. Knowlton, S. S.	Strongsville, Ohio.	Strongsville, S. S.	4	3	52			1	120	3 00		12				963	44
Henry V. Hitchcock, S. S.	Streetsboro', "	Streetsboro', S. S.			24					2 00		13	25	117			
Aaron Peck, S. S.—45.	Cleveland, "																
Licentiates.																	
Jackson J. Bushnell, Prof.	Beloit, Wis.																
John A. De La Mater.—2.	Cleveland, Ohio.	Independence, S. S.			*50												
		Parma, S. S.			*28												

		Solon, S. S.—18.	5	3	46		2	4		2 00								
			150	84	1842	66	59	55	1737	102 96	1994	3111	626	616	66	20,262	40,574
5. *Presb. of Elyria.*																		
John Monteith, W. C.	Elyria, Ohio.																	
Caleb Burbank, W. C.	Chatham, "																	
Marcus Palmer, W. C.	Fitchville, "																	
Daniel W. Lathrop, W. C.	Jackson, Mich.																	
Joel Talcott, W. C.	Wakeman, Ohio.																	
Eldad Barber, P.	Florence, "	Florence, P.	1	1	28				52	1 30		10				225	30	
Ansel R. Clark, S. S.	Huntington, "									1 00	16	50	10				31	
David A. Grosvenor, W. C.	Elyria, "									*12 73								
John McCutchan, P.	Ruggles, "	Ruggles, P.	23	1	67		12	1		5 00	41	160	13	117			85	
Madison Elliott, S. S.	Rochester, "	Grafton, S. S.	6	2	25		1	1		1 26		26		17				
James E. Vance, S. S.	Chatham, "	Chatham, S. S.	2		135		2			4 75	29	44	24				30	
Francis A. Wilbur, P.—12.	Elyria, "	Elyria, P.	4	10	149	14	2	3	180	9 06	180			5			230	
		Birmingham, S. S.		1	34			1	90	1 65		19				300	85	
		Brunswick, V.			*46													
		Hinkley, V.			*42													
		Vermillion, V.			*30													
		Wadsworth, V.			*22													
		Wellington, S.S.—11.			*16													
			36	15	594	14	17	6	322	36 75	266	309	47	139		525	491	
6. *Presb. of Maumee.*																		
Nathaniel T. Fay, P. C.	Prairie Depot, Ohio.									*5 85								
William W. Williams, P.	Toledo, "	Toledo, P.	19	23	262	4	4	11	500	25 00	37	508	1006	444	122	5068	396	
Charles Richards, S. S.	Maumee City, "	Maumee City, S. S.	1	5	56			1	163	3 00		45	8	100		550		
George A. Adams, S. S.	Perrysburgh, "	Perrysburgh, S. S.	6	6	77			6	60	3 00	25	25	20			1200	105	

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		Homer, S. S.	6	3	47		2		40	3 00	8	20	7	11		498	84
		Massillon, S. S.	7	1	95	1	3	3	117	4 00				87		2400	
		Bremen, S. S.			30												
		Cross-Roads, S. S.	17	1	35		8	2	50	2 00						99	
Candidate, 1.		New-Bethel, V.			*10												
		Baltimore, V.			*30								2				
		Coshocton, S. S.	4	1	60		2	3	70	3 00						1400	
		Roscoe, S. S.	2		16		1		75	1 00	10					560	
		Roseville, V.			*36								2				
		Unity, V.			*20												
		New-Lexington, V.			*13												
		Fairmound, S. S.	5		56			14	70	3 00				5		100	150
		Canal Dover, S. S.— [23.	8	16	39		2	1	120	1 00				24		310	56
			149	74	1549	48	42	47	1644	88 44	584	844	223	264	30	14,549	1649
3. *Presb. of Franklin.*																	
Henry Shedd, W. C.	Mt. Gilead, Ohio.																
Francis A. Griswold.																	
Henry Calhoun, W. C.	Circleville, "	Circleville, V.	1	3	114	3		12	140	7 50	40	117				2000	46
David M. Wilson, S. S.	Radnor, "	Delhi, S. S.	1		78	2	1	4	40	5 50	10	20	5	5		497	
John W. Thompson, P.	Constantia, "	Berlin, P.	24	5	105		9		60	5 50	50	40	10	10		483	18
Oren H. Newton, P.	Delaware, "	Delaware, Second, P.	31	11	235	10	11		149	13 00	45	88	31	20	15	1329	37
Walter Mitchell, S. S.	Marysville, "									*8 75							
Henry Bushnell, Tea.	Central College, "																
Edward D. Morris, D.D., P.	Columbus, "	Columbus, Second, P.	27	17	252	8	12	10	275	14 40	225	658	130			4500	470
n Martin, S. S.	Sunbury, "	Trenton, S. S.	1	1	55			2	40	4 00	13	25				384	
		Porter, S. S.	12	1	48		5	2	35	2 25	28	10				250	
McVay, P.	Reynoldsburgh, " Shelby,	Reynoldsburgh, P.	16	1	86		4	1	102	6 10	20	25	4			1072	4
Downey, W. C.																	

			Mt. Gilead, V.			*53												
			Central College, S. S.	2		37		1		90	2	30	40	38	10	20	290	
			Genoa, S. S.			*20												
			Ashley, V.			*30												
			Little Mill Creek, S.S.	11	3	75	6	1		47	3	70						
			Jefferson, S. S.			5												
			Lower Liberty, V.—[16.															
				126	42	1245	29	44	31	978	73	00	471	1021	185	55	15	9489	575
	Columbus, Ohio.																	
	Portsmouth,	Ohio.	Portsmouth, P.	55	11	324		15	18	480	18	00	642	745	190	91	61	6030	143
	Frankfort,	"	Frankfort, P.	9	2	50				80	1	00	31	30			12	400	28
	Urbana,	"																	
	Freestone,	"	Sandy Spring, S. S.	5		68		2	2	50	4	00	13	13	5	5	4	564	28
	Hanging Rock,	"	Hanging Rock and Pine Grove, S.S.	1	1	40		1	1	70	6	00	44		17			1181	
	Ironton,	"	Ironton, S. S.	4	7	138		4	11	300	8	00	175	165			23	5318	650
			Jackson, S. S.	3	6	63				70	2	00	17					288	52
			Rome, S. S.			12			4	50	1	00	2			5		25	25
			Madison, V.			23			4		1	00	3					35	
			Chillicothe, V.—9.			20					1	00							
				77	27	738		21	39	1100	42	00	927	953	212	101	100	13,841	920

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D. Howe Allen, D.D., Prof.	Walnut Hills, Ohio.																
William M. Thompson, D.D., F.M.	Beirut, Syria.																
Charles B. Boynton, D.D., Ch.	Washington, D. C.																
Elisha Ballantine, Prof.	Cincinnati, Ohio.																
George E. Day, D.D., Prof.	New-Haven, Ct.																
John F. Pogue, F. M.	Lahainaluna, S. Isl's.																
Albert Bushnell, F. M.	Gaboon, West-Africa.																
John E. Chandler, F. M.	Madura, India.																
Joseph Chester, P.	Cincinnati, Ohio.	Cin., Poplar st., P.	19	8	110		4	14	500	12 00	50	75	20	26	17	2358	20
Lucian C. Ford, W. C.	" "																
William D. Rosseter, Sec.	" "																
George M. Maxwell, D.D., Tea.	" "																
G. S. Raidt, S. S.	" "	Cin., Hollandish, S. S.			*70												
G. William Winnes, S. S.	" "	Cin., Ger., First, S. S.	31	1	210				300	2 00	25	73	32	6		2600	
William Van Vleck, W. C.	" "																
Henry Smith, D.D., Prof. & S. S.	Walnut Hills, "	Cin., Second, S. S.	7	4	440	30	3	8	204	40 00	430	860	438	184	178	8516	6101
Wilbur McKaig, P.	Cincinnati, "	Cin., Third, P.	15	5	315	9	7	11	513	30 00	155	408		49	100	5800	453
Llewelyn J. Evans, Prof.	Walnut Hills, "																
Osman A. Lyman, S. S.	" "	Lane Seminary, S. S.	4	9	154	10		4	130	25 00	233	562	89		86	8000	250
John L. French, S. S.	Batavia, "	Batavia, S. S.			46				150	1 00	9	10	5			380	
		Bantam, S. S.		2	34				40		5		7			3269	12
Luman A. Aldrich, P.	Cincinnati, "	Cincinnati, Sixth, P.	11	4	65	5	1		130			49	17			580	
William Andrews, W. C.	Newport, Ky.																
John Rankin, S. S.	New-Richmond, Ohio.	New-Richmond, S. S.	16	13	90		9	6	75	2 00						75	
Mark Williams, F. M.	North-China.																
Lycurgus Railsback, Ch.	Chattanooga, Tenn.																
James M. Anderson, Pres.	College Hill, Ohio.																
Adolphus S. Dudley, S. S.—29.	Logansport, Ind.	Sharonville, S. S.			*20												
		Morrow, V.			*22												
		Pleasant View, S. S.	1	4	20		1	1	92								64

Licentiates.			Moscow, V.—16.			8				1 00	1					
Elias Benzing,	Cleveland,	Ohio.		104	51	1032	60	26	55	2134	116 00	908	2037	608	265	381	28,509	6900
John G. Jones.—2.	Walnut Hills,	"																
Candidates, 3.																		
2. *Presb. of Ripley.*																		
Daniel E. Bierce, S. S.	Ripley,	Ohio.	Ripley, S. S.	69	10	223		20	3	225	11 50		55				200	60
Jesse H. Lockhart, P.	Russellville,	"	Russellville, P.	3	3	82		2	4	100	5 00	30						50
David Gould, W. C.	Ripley,	"																
Victor M. King, *In transitu.*	Central College,	"																
H. Vallett Warren, S. S.	Decatur,	"	Decatur, S. S.	9	13	109		1	3	125	6 53	75						50
Jonathan Finney, W. C.																		
David Van Dyke, P.—6.	Manchester,	"	Manchester, P.	25	3	120		11	5		6 00	15						30
			Red Oak, V.	3	3	75		2	6	100	3 75	60		12	50		20	
			Georgetown, V.	1	3	75	4			65	4 90	10			12		22	
			Felicity, V.															
			Cedron, V.															
			Higgensport, V.	5		22												
			Strait Creek, V.			*56					3 00							
			Sardinia, V.			*46					2 50							
			Winchester, V.			*30					2 00							
			North-Liberty, V.			*18												
			Huntington, V.—14.															
				115	35	856	4	36	21	615	45 18	190	55	12	62		242	190

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Morgan L. Wood, W. C.	Carrollton, Ill.																
Thomas H. Newton, W. C.	Carlinville, "																
Smith H. Hyde, P.	Carrollton, "	Carrollton, P.	1	5	67			4	100	5 00	47	45	28			1000	117
	Carlinville, "	Carlinville, S. S.	7	6	76		4		110	5 00	55						
William A. Hendrickson, S. S.	Winchester, "	Winchester, S. S.	6	3	75			5	75	4 00	25			12			20
J. Rogers Armstrong, S.S.—18.	Carrollton, "	Walnut Grove, S. S.	26	7	60		7			2 00				25		500	
	Greenfield, "	Greenfield, S. S.			15					1 00							
	Murraysville, "	Murraysville, V.			10					60							
	Maroa, "	Maroa, S. S.		19	36					1 50						150	1600
	Manchester, "	Manchester, S. S.	5	4	17				50	1 00	10	10					100
	Watson, "	Buffalo, S. S.	17	3	20		2	9	75	1 00	15	5					1200
	Chatham, "	Chatham, S. S.			50			1	105	3 00	47	17				600	54
	Mechanicsburgh, "	Mechanicsburgh, V.			20					1 00	10	5					
	Naples, "	Naples, S. S.			9					55							
		Spring Creek, V.—20.			12					1 00							
			168	94	1621		47	42	1305	93 00	953	1099	201	361		7000	1472
2. *Presb. of Schuyler.*																	
William C. Rankin, W. C.	Plymouth, Ill.																
Reuben K. McCoy, S. S.	Newtown, "	Horeb, S. S.			33				30	2 22							
Tapping S. Reeve, *In transitu*,	Lacon, "																
William H. Williams, S. S.	Perry, "	Perry, S. S.			*56			2									
Alexander Duncan, P.	Mount Sterling, "	Mt. Sterling, P.	7	8	94		4	1	150	4 00	65	106					507
William H. Whipple, S. S.	Clayton, "	Clayton, S. S.	3	5	112			2	60	8 00	45					150	50
Isaac F. Holton, Ed.	Boston, Mass.																
George I. King, D.D., P.	Quincy, Ill.	Quincy, P.	26	6	230		14	8	300	12 50	90	106	65			2200	350
John Rendall, F. M.	Madura, India.									*5 71							
George F. Davis, S. S.	Mounds, Ill.	Mt. Pleasant, S. S.		2	72				100	4 32	20	5					

		Mason, S. S.		5	40			1	125	2	40	10		7			400		
John Noble, Sec.—11.	Harrison Junction, "																		
		Lockland, S. S.	40	6	120					6	00								
Licentiate.		College Hill, S. S.—8.	5	6	150		3	2	180	12	00	78	275	31	25	10	3237	170	
Henry L. Brown.—1.	Oxford, Ohio.		116	33	714	5	31	13	575	43	60	518	495	90	105	25	4637	281	
XIV. Synod of Indiana.																			
1. *Presb. of Salem.*																			
Joseph M. Sadd, C. M.	Louisville, Ky.																		
Levi R. Booth, W. C.	Seymour, Ind.																		
Philip Bevan, S. S.	Jeffersonville, "																		
John G. Atterbury, D.D., P.	New-Albany, "	New-Albany, First, P.	11	5	227	27	3	7	486	13	92	292	401	95	50	59	4508	1029	
Charles Hutchinson, P.	" "	" Third, P.	19	9	209	2	6	12	320	11	22	55	216	25	26		8238	3060	
William H. McCarer, P.	Evansville, "	Evansville, First, P.	20	16	175		5	6	300			62	81	39	36		3316	800	
John M. Bishop, P.	Bloomington, "	Bloomington, Second,	4	8	93		3	5	120	5	82	22	108	21	7		1044		
Thomas A. Steele, P.	Mitchell, "	Mitchell, P. [P.	24	16	100		9	3	100	4	08	12	11	5			1300	250	
Irvin I. St. John, S. S.—9.	Salem, "	Salem, S. S.	5	3	50		1	2	182	3	85		50						
	Seymour, "	Seymour, S. S.	1	3	98		1	3	90	5	50			5					
	Greenville, "	Greenville, V.			29				30	1	96	3	6				70		
	Ireland P. O., "	Mount Zion, V.			4					1	00								
Candidates, 2.	Down Hilo P. O., "	Anderson, V.			14														
	Leavenworth, "	Leavenworth, S. S.			38					4	50								
		Lawrenceport, V.— [12.			5					*18	29								
			84	60	1042	29	28	38	1628	70	14	446	873	190	119	59	18,476	5139	

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2. Presb. of Madison.																	
Michael A. Remley, W. C.	Edinburgh, Ind.																
Henry Little, D. Sec.	Madison, "																
Amzi W. Freeman, P.	Aurora, "	Aurora, P.	10	6	97	26	3	9	90	5 60	46	172	27	22		3000	40
W. Wallace Atterbury, W. C.	Madison, "									*5 64							
Ninian S. Dickey, S. S.	Columbus, "	Columbus, S. S.	4	6	129	34		7	80	8 20	22	27	28			1650	30
Archibald S. Reid, S. S.	Rising Sun, "	Rising Sun, S. S.	11	3	91		1	1	100	4 80	34	25	22	4		610	14
		Pleasant Ridge, S. S.	4	1	43		1		65	2 75	5	3	3			93	5
Alexander Parker, S. S.	North-Madison, "	North-Madison, S. S.	1	1	20	4			75	2 45	10	5	3			481	
		Monroe, S. S.	13		32		2		30	1 20	21	10	5			90	
John P. Haire, W. C.	Elizabethtown, Ohio.																
Edwin C. Haskell, W. C.	Madison, Ind.																
Horace Bushnell, Jr., S. S.	St. Louis Crossings, "	St. Louis Cross'gs, S.S.	8	21	55		6	6	30	2 50	9	3	3	6		625	5
Henry P. Higley, S. S.	Vevay, "	Vevay, S. S.	14	12	110	10	4	2	70	5 45	16	10				2250	10
Henry S. Little, *In transitu.*	Terre Haute, "																
Thomas F. Chafer, W. C.—13.	Rising Sun, "																
	Madison, "	Madison, Second, V.	2	1	172			8	300	10 70	559	439		31			593
	New-Washington, "	Pisgah, V.	32		93	5	11	2	35	4 40	4	4	8			156	12
	Swanville, "	Sharon, V.	1	1	29	4			40	1 90	4	2				55	
	Allensville, "	Unity, V.			25	7			50	2 75						3	
	Patriot, "	Zoar, V.			19				25	1 40	10					7	
	" "	Palmetto, V.			*6					35							
	Oregon, "	Mt. Vernon, S. S.			*80												
Licentiates.	Otisco, "	Mt. Lebanon, S.S.—16.			*12												
James A. De La Vergne, S. S.	Clinton, Mo.		100	52	1013	90	28	35	990	60 00	740	700	99	63		9020	709
Zerah F. Blakely.—2.	Walnut Hills, Ohio.																
Candidates. 2.																	

Eliphalet Kent, W. C.	Shelbyville,	Ind.																	
Claiborne Young, W. C.	Thorntown,	"																	
Thornton A. Mills, Sec.	New-York City,	N. Y.																	
Philip Sidney Cleland, P.	Greenwood,	Ind.	Greenwood, P.	7	8	98		3	11	75	7 00	30	34				425	25	
John S. Craig, S. S.	Anderson,	"	Anderson, S. S. [S. S.		2	43				110	4 00			9				333	
	"	"	Madison Co., Second, [S. S.			12	2				1 00	7					30		
Isaac De La Mater, W. C.	Elizabethtown,	Ohio.																	
Charles H. Marshall, S. S.	Indianapolis,	Ind.	Indianapolis, Fourth,	29	23	159		4	2	100	10 00	60	89			19	3310	222	
John B. Logan, S. S.	Thorntown,	"	Thorntown, S. S.	27	17	144		15	4	130	8 00						6243	17	
Philander Anderson, W. C.	Zionsville,	"																	
George H. White, F. M.	Chester,	Vt.																	
Arthur T. Rankin, S. S.	Kingston,	Ind.	Kingston, S. S. [P.	3		135		3	2	125	9 00	20	81				1750	300	
Hanford A. Edson, P.	Indianapolis,	"	Indianapolis, Second,	27	26	278		16	6	280	12 00	254	756	871	45	50	17,012	303	
William L. S. Clark, S. S.—13.	Edinburgh,	"	Edinburgh, S. S.	12	5	29		8	1	65	1 00	6	5				735	3	
	Franklin,	"	New-Pisgah, S. S.			30				50	2 00	6					120	6	
	Thorntown,	"	Bethel, V.	2		36				50	2 50	5					60	17	
	Amity,	"	Highland, S. S.	1		10						3					50		
	Clarksburgh,	"	Clarksburgh, V. [V.			20					2 00					4	300	80	
	Connersville,	"	Connersville, Second,	31	1	110		17	6	90	6 00		25	80			600		
	Southport,	"	Southport, S. S.	1	5	50			2	45	4 00						275		
	Noblesville,	"	Noblesville, V.			*10													
	Laurel,	"	Laurel, V.			*10													
Licentiate.	Zionsville,	"	Zionsville, V.—17.			*8													
Joseph Swindt.—1.	Georgetown,	Ohio.		140	87	1182	2	66	34	1050	68 50	391	990	960	45	73	27,910	1306	
4. *Presb. of Green Castle.*																			
Ransom Hawley, W. C.	Putnamville,	Ind.									*4 52								
			Putnamville, V.	1	1	42			2	40	4 10	17	7					20	
John A. Tiffany, S. S.	Toronto,	"	Toronto, S. S.			12						3	3	3	4	5		10	

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		Clinton, S. S.			12			1			4	6	3	3	7		
Thomas S. Milligan, S. S.	Gosport, Ind.	Vandalia, S. S.	1	1	53			10	40	3 18	4	10					
		Bethany, S. S.		2	20			1		1 20	5	15					
		Hebron, S. S.		3	13					78	4	5					
		Poland, S. S.	2	1	17			2	40	1 05	2						
Henry A. Rosseter, S. S.	Greencastle, "	Greencastle, First, S.S.		8	101	8		6	70	5 60	68	59	23			1023	112
Henry L. Dickerson, P.	Danville, "	Danville, P.	14	2	139		2		100	6 80	68	68	40			75	515
		White Lick, S. S.	25	4	70		14			2 25						20	30
John Hawks, S. S.	Rockville, "	Rockville, Second, S.S.	2	2	120			6	150	7 80	61	101		15		1100	207
		New-Bethel, S. S.	12		33		9		50	1 60							120
William N. Stimson, W. C.—7.		[S. S.															
	Terre Haute, "	Terre Haute, Baldwin,	1	6	70					4 20	15	82	12			1150	67
	Brazil, "	Brazil, V.	11	6	35		3	6	42	84							49
		Bowling Green, V.			*13												
		Gosport, V.—16.			7												
			69	36	757	8	28	34	532	43 92	251	356	81	22	12	3368	1230
XV. Synod of Wabash.																	
1. *Presb. of Crawfordsville.*																	
James H. Johnston, P. M.	Crawfordsville, Ind.																
Edmund O. Hovey, Prof.	" "																
Caleb Mills, LL.D., Prof.	" "																
Moody Chase, W. C.	Parkersburgh, "																
Joseph F. Tuttle, D.D., Pres.	Crawfordsville, "	Crawfordsville, S. S.			*128					7 68							
Samuel S. Thomson, Prof.	" "																
Thomas Griffith, W. C.	Montezuma, "																
William R. Palmer, S. S.	Russell, Mass.									*8 63							

William N. Steele, S. S.	Williamport, Ind.	Williamsport, S. S.	2	5	52	2	1	2	70	3	18	10	45					
Samuel B. King, S. S.	Newtown, "	Newtown, S. S.	1	4	55			3	66	3	30		17					30
		Rob Roy, S. S.	4	5	36		1		50	2	20		17					35
Edward C. Johnston, S. S.	Bainbridge, "	Bainbridge, S. S.	2		76	3		2	60	4	74	8	12		4		561	
William Wilmer, S. S.—12.	Montezuma, "	Montezuma, S. S.	2	1	47		2		100	2	70							
		Brown's Valley, S. S.			*46													
Licentiate.		Parkersburgh, V.			*15													
		Attica, V.			*71					4	26							
Everett B. Thomson.—1.	Crawfordsville, "	Perrysville, V.			20					1	26							
		State Line, V.			4						30							
Candidate, 1.		Covington, V.—12.			*20					1	20							
			11	13	570	5	4	7	246	30	82	18	91		4		561	65
2. *Presb. of St. Joseph.*																		
Christopher Cory, W. C.	Lima, Ind.																	
Jacob Patch, S. S.	Orland, "	Orland, S. S.	6		92		3		90	5	37	23	30	7			500	96
Lewis Hamilton, Ch.	U. S. Army.	Brockville, V.			*11													
	Ontario, Ind.	Little Elkhart, V.			*15													
Edward Scofield, P.	Mishawaka, "	Mishawaka, P.	15	1	100	1	6	7	200	5	00	20	27	5	3	7	1100	200
George C. Noyes, P.	La Porte, "	La Porte, P.	50	8	245	3	22	9	325	11	58	116	235	100		22	2100	175
William C. Porter, S. S.	Coldwater, Mich.	Bourbon, V.			*19													
John E. Chapin, S. S.	Plymouth, Ind.	Plymouth, S. S.	10	6	79		6	1	175	4	20	22	38	12			1000	65
John B. Fowler, S. S.	Elkhart, "	Elkhart, S. S.	4	5	75	5	3		100	4	50	26	7				900	75
John Kelland, S. S.—9.	Omro, Wis.	Angola, S. S.			*25													
		Salem, S. S.			*30													
		Bristol, S. S.		3	30				30	1	80						300	20
		Lima, S. S.	5	4	70		4	2	80	4	20	30	30					60
		Van Buren, V.			*24													
		York, V.—14.			*20													
			90	27	835	9	44	19	1000	36	65	237	367	124	3	29	5900	691

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3. *Presb. of Logansport.*																	
James A. Carnahan, S. S.	Dayton, Ind.	Dayton, S. S.			*120												
		West-Point, S. S.			*17												
Martin M. Post, D.D., P.	Logansport, "	Logansport, P.	21	13	97					5 00	20	29	120			1250	90
		Union, S. S.			48			2	35	2 50						90	
Nathan L. Lord, S. S.	Rochester, "	Rochester, S. S.	2	6	25				50								
		Hopewell, S. S.			*31												
Daniel Rice, D. D., P.	La Fayette, "	La Fayette, Second, P.	47	19	208	4	19	11	200	9 60	329	439	82	125	40	3700	300
Hugh C. MacBride, S. S.	Reynoldsburgh, Ohio.																
Amos Jones, S. S.	Delphi, Ind.	Delphi, S. S.	14	1	74		10	6				46	60	46			10
		Pittsburgh, S. S.			*28												
		Rockfield, S. S.	15	11	26		12		35							1635	
Francis S. McCabe, S. S.	Peru, "	Peru, First, S. S.	20	7	130		5	11	225	5 75	60	40	30			1670	70
		New-Hope, S. S.	12		34		6	4	80	2 00						81	
William H. Edwards, S. S.—8.	Kirk's X Roads,"	Kirklin, S. S.	8	5	55		3	2	60	3 30	6					350	
		Monticello, V.	3	3	103				100		30					650	
		Monon, V.			*20												
Licentiate.		Reynolds, V.			*18												
		Oxford, V.			*29												
Luther Temple.—1.		Concord, V.			*37												
		New-Waverly, V.			9				50		4						19
Candidates, 4.		Pisgah, V.			*41												
		Rossville, V.—21.			*12												
			142	65	1162	4	55	36	835	28 15	449	554	292	171	40	9426	489

			Franklin, S. S.	1		19			1	35	1 00	3	1		2		100	
William J. Essick, P.	Wabash,	"	Wabash, First, P.	7	7	87			2	175	5 00	15	31	14	10		700	100
			La Gro, S. S.	1	3	30		1		65	1 00	2	2				1200	20
Arthur W. Sanford, S. S.	Marion,	"	Marion, S. S.			30				35	2 00	7					235	
George O. Little, S. S.—6.	Fort Wayne,	"	Ft. Wayne, Second,	27	9	163	15	13	7	185	12 00	42	33	10	20		2316	
			[S. S.—9.															
Candidate, 1.				78	26	526	15	31	16	750	31 00	125	77	28	45		6149	143
XVI. Synod of Illinois.																		
1. *Presb. of Illinois.*																		
William G. Gallaher, W. C.	Jacksonville,	Ill.																
Albert Hale, P.	Springfield,	"	Springfield, Second, P.	4	9	342			5	150	20 00	150	382					1980
John F. Brooks, Tea.	"	"																
Bilious Pond, W. C.	Richland,	"																
Josiah Porter, W. C.	Chatham,	"																
George C. Wood, P. M.	Jacksonville,	"																
Livingston M. Glover, D.D., P.	"	"	Jacksonville, First, P.	30	18	256		14	3	250	15 00	150	250	100	150		2500	10,000
John C. Downer, Ag.	Carlinville,	"																
William D. Sanders, D.D., Prof. and S. S.	Jacksonville,	"	Pisgah, S. S.	6	1	104		4	5	35	6 00	91	43		41		550	100
Rufus Nutting, Jr., Prof.	"	"	[P.															
David H. Hamilton, D.D., P.	"	"	Jacksonville, Westm.,	16	5	141		7	2	110	12 00	284	250	50	115			500
William L. Tarbet, P.	Virden,	"	Virden, P.	29	10	106		8	5	90	4 00	44	39	23	18		1100	71
Antonio De Mattas, P.	Jacksonville,	"	Jacksonville, Port., P.	15	4	129			3	125	6 00		53				500	40
			Springfield, Port., P.	6		86		1		30	4 00							39

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5. *Presb. of Bloomington.*																	
Wells Andrews, W. C.	Washington, Ill.																
Adam Johnston, S. S.	Pontiac, "	Pontiac, S. S.	5		87			2		5 10	95						540
James R. Dunn, W. C.	Normal, "																
Joseph Lowry, S. S.																	
John McLean, P.	Bloomington, "	Bloomington, First, P.	25	18	124		8		161	7 45		22	14			2260	50
T. Hempstead, S. S.	Fairbury, "	Fairbury, S. S. [P.			*19					1 15							
John W. Bailey, P.	Bloomington, "	Bloomington, Second,	67	34	300		31	8	200	13 00	50	68	25			4100	200
Charles H. Palmer, S. S.	Middleport, "	Middleport, S. S.	9	1	46		4	2		2 40	13			2			30
John H. Dillingham, S. S.	Belleville, "																
Martin P. Ormsby, S. S.—10.	Minonk, "	Minonk, S. S.	32	6	93		12	4	125	3 50	22	25	18			535	115
		Washington, S. S.		8	37					2 10							
		Wenona, V.	12	3	84		4	3	50	4 50	15	13	12	12		800	100
Candidate, 1.		Rantoul, V.			*21												
		Magnolia, V.			*15												
		Kappa, V.			*20												
		Jersey, S. S.			*30												
		Green Valley & Sand Prairie, S. S.			*30					2 00							
		Urbana, V.—14.			*20												
			150	70	926		59	19	536	41 10	195	128	69	14		7695	1035
XVIII. Synod of Wisconsin.																	
1. *Presb. of Milwaukee.*																	
George W. Elliott, W. C.	Milwaukee, Wis.									*4 90							
Alfred W. Gray, M.D., W. C.	" "																

William Herritt, Ag.	Augusta,	"																	
Matthew Waldenmeyer, S. S.	Nauvoo,	"	Nauvoo, S. S.			43				3	60		3		12				
Alfred L. Harrington, W. C.	Peru,	"																	
Edwin L. Hurd, P.	Augusta,	"	Augusta, P.	1	5	86	11		3	95	5	46	32	48		40		245	44
John G. Rankin, S. S.	Warsaw,	"	Warsaw, S. S.	19	8	94	15	3	4	200	3	50	15	19				460	58
Norman A. Prentice, W. C.	Warsaw,	"																	
Isaac T. Whittemore, S. S.—18.	Plymouth,	"	Plymouth, S. S.	11		44		5	1	70	2	10	20	10					25
			Brooklyn, S. S.	17		40		2	6	76	2	40	6			9	6		5
			Huntsville, S. S.									96		6			7		
Candidate, 1.			Appanoose, S. S.		1	32			5										
			Rushville, V.	2	1	148		1	16	150	10	00	52	85				865	207
			Newtown, S. S.	4		27		2	5		2	20	20						
			Liberty, S. S.	6		29													
			Big Neck, S. S.—18.	2		20		2	1	20	1	20	7					50	
				101	36	1186	26	34	54	1355	70	62	384	388	65	153	13	3970	1276
3. *Presb. of Wabash.*																			
Robert Rutherford, W. C.	Mattoon, Ill.																		
Joseph Butler, S. S.	Pauline, Minn.																		
Enoch Kingsbury, S. S.	Danville,	Ill.	Danville, P. E.		6	104			3	175	6	25	200	50	12	10	13	1700	350
George D. Miller, W. C.	Tuscola,	"																	
Joseph Wilson, S. S.	Neoga,	"	Pleasant Prairie, S. S.			43	6		3	75	2	58	20					130	58
Samuel Ward, S. S.	Vandalia, Ind.		Unity, S. S.	4	2	22		2	3	75	1	32	10	10				50	15
Joseph E. McMurray, W. C.	Cerro Gordo,	Ill.	Cerro Gordo, S. S.	4	2	60	2		2	80	3	60	10	28				400	70
James B. Sheldon, W. C.	Shelbyville,	"	Shelbyville, S. S.	2	11	83	11	2	3	180	4	32	12				10	1000	100
Friend A. Deming, W. C.	Mattoon,	"																	
J. Lewis Jones, P.	"	"	Mattoon, P.	6	28	78			9	150	3	24						1000	166
William M. Taylor, S. S.	Neesburgh,	"																	
Sanford R. Bissell, S. S.	Effingham,	"	Effingham, S. S.	2	5	12			3	140		75		19					
	Tuscola,	"	Tuscola, P. E.	27	25	86		9	6	175	2	34	11	57				1000	350
			Watson, S. S.	3		12				90		75	8			8		1500	
Thomas Spencer, S. S.	Sanford, Ind.		New-Providence, S. S.			42					2	15							

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Seth H. Waldo, Tea.	Geneseo, Ill.																
Spencer Baker, W. C.	Lodi, "																
Ira M. Weed, S. S.	Granville, "	Granville, S. S.			48					2 40							
George Marsh, S. S.	Brookfield, "	Brookfield, S. S.			*26												
Heman S. Colton, W. C.	Bristol, "																
James M. Clark, W. C.	Ottawa, "																
Charles H. Force, S. S.	Ottawa, "	Ottawa, S. S.			*52												
Levi P. Crawford, S. S.	Somonauk, "	Somonauk, S. S.	2	4	50	2	2		130	2 52	15	13				1326	50
Wellington W. Wells, S. S.	La Salle, "																
Amasa C. Lord, W. C.	Somonauk, "																
Alanson T. Wood, S. S.	Oskaloosa, Iowa.																
G. H. Robertson, P.	Sandwich, Ill.	Sandwich, P.	2	14	82		1	4	110	3 36	108	110				1665	23
Rodolph Floto, S. S.—15.	Matteson, "																
		Gardiner, V.			*16					*9 21							
		Vienna, V.			*22												
		Waltham, S. S.	28	11	172		5	4	150	8 00	45					7000	200
		Kendal, V.—9.		2	53			2		3 41	39	75				700	
			32	31	521	2	8	10	390	26 50	207	198				11,291	273
2. *Presb. of Knox.*																	
Solomon S. Miles, W. C.	Gilson, Ill.																
William Y. Miller, W. C.	Knoxville, "																
Edwards Marsh, S. S.	Washington, "																
Samuel Wyckoff, P.	Knoxville, "	Knoxville, P.	21	5	166	7	12	3	130	8 50	35	70	30	20		1494	249
William S. Curtis, D.D., Pres.	Galesburgh, "																
Sanford Richardson, F. M.	Angora, W. Asia.																
James Quick, F. M.	Panditeripo, Ceylon.																

Henry Bergen, W. C.	Galesburgh,																		
Willis J. Beecher, Prof.—12.	"	"																	
			Rock Island, S. S.	7	6	48				125	2	88	19	37				2300	150
Licentiate.			Lacon, S. S.	38	3	104	6	16	6	175	7	50	58					2367	357
			Sparland, V.—6.			26					1	50							
Samuel W. Duffield.—1.	Galesburgh, Ill.			136	64	1131	34	54	23	880	43	38	303	361	130	57		12,961	1386
Candidates, 7.																			
3. *Presb. of Galena and Belvidere.*																			
Aratus Kent, S. S.	Galena,	Ill.																	
Phineas Camp, W. C.	Dixon,	"																	
Hutchins Taylor, W. C.	Belvidere,	"																	
Calvin Gray, W. C.	Polo,	"																	
Silas Jessup, W. C.	Rockton,	"																	
Benjamin Folts, W. C.	Rockford,	"																	
Edwards A. Beach, W. C.	Beloit, Wis.																		
Lemuel Hall, W. C.	Geneva, "																		
John W. Cunningham, P. M.	Naperville,	Ill.																	
Erasmus D. Willis, S. S.	Rockford,	"																	
Lemuel Clark, S. S.	Lawrence,	"	Lawrence, S. S.	8	3	41		3	11	50	2	00	16					182	
			Alden, S. S.	1		29				42	1	00	24					168	
James R. Smith, S. S.	Elizabeth,	"																	
Josiah Leonard, P. E.	Fulton,	"	Fulton, S. S.	4	8	47	1	6		100	2	00	54	35		7		717	
			Garden Plain, S. S.			29					1	00	12	2		2			
Daniel Clark, W. C.	Galesburgh,	"																	
Addison K. Strong, *In trans.*	Syracuse, N. Y.																		
Charles A. Williams, P. E.	Rockford,	Ill.	Rockford, P. E.	8	12	180		2	6	171	9	00	54	57	7	7		1000	36

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James H. Baldwin, W. C.	Lake Forest, Ill.									*23 30							
Isaac E. Carey, S. S.	Freeport, "	Freeport, S. S.	4	11	156		1	12	400	8 00	161	160	16	13	18	2286	294
William Kendrick, Ag.	Spring Hill, "																
Eugene H. Avery, P.	Warren, "	Warren, P.	14	17	54		5		100	2 00	47	22				940	8
David R. Eddy, P.	Belvidere, "	Belvidere, P.	13	12	319		8	11	200	19 00	142	142				2500	
J. L. Emery, S. S.	Durand, "	Durand, S. S.			*17												
Peter A. Maybie, W. C.																	
E. C. H. Willoughby, W. C.—24.																	
		Elizabeth, V.			*35												
		Galena, V.	32	8	258		4	12	325	13 00	150	185				2552	152
		Sharon, V.			*21												
		Lena, S. S.	4	4	75		3	4	100	4 00	20	5				862	
		Mt. Carroll, S. S.		1	62				62	4 00	31					660	
Candidates, 2.		Ridgefield, S. S.		1	46				70	2 00						286	74
		Apple River, S. S.	1	1	34			2		2 00	40					2982	
		Foreston, V.			*21												
		Scales Mound, V.			*12												
		Winslow, S. S.	2	5	20					1 00							
		Orangeville, S. S.			*15												
		Elk Horn Grove, V.								*							
		[—21.															
			91	83	1466		27	64	1621	93 30	751	608	23	29	18	15,135	564
4. *Presb. of Chicago.*																	
Baxter Dickinson, D.D., W. C.	Lake Forest, Ill.																
David H. Kingsley, P. C.	Dunton, "																
Jonathan G. Porter, S. S.	Wilmington, "	Chicago, Second, P.	8	10	393		1	10	700	24 50	960	1203	30			9000	3704
Robert W. Patterson, D.D., W. C.	Chicago.																

Zephaniah M. Humphrey, D.D., P.	Chicago,	Ill.	Chicago,	First, P.	39	35	507	20	12	9	1900	30	85	419	402	183	120		11,200	4677
Arthur Swazey, P.	"	"	"	Third, P.	3	28	350	85	1	7	700	17	50						13,100	
Alfred Eddy, P.	"	"	"	Olivet, P.	4	18	100	7	1	2	150	7	50	64	129				30,989	262
Edward A. Pierce, P.	"	"	"	Calvary, P.	2	38	163			16	250	10	00	375	73	64			4600	242
James T. Matthews, P.	"	"	"	Eighth, P.	8	26	59		2	16	235	3	50	75	116				2000	165
James H. Trowbridge, D. Sec.	"	"	"Westminster, S.S.		6	13	120		4	6	160	6	00	200	100	75			2500	560
Glen Wood, D. Sec.	"	"	"	Seventh, S.S.			*133													
Abner W. Henderson, Ch.	U. S. Army.																			
Luman C. Gilbert,	Princeton, Minn.																			
Royal Reed, W. C.	Chicago,	Ill.																		
Charles L. Bartlett, W. C.	Lake Forest,	"																		
C. Rufus Clarke, W. C.	Leroy, N. Y.																			
Hiram Wasson, S. S.	West-Creek, Ind.																			
Stephen N. Manning, Ag.	Kankakee, Ill.																			
Charles J. Hutchings, W. C.																				
William R. Downs, W. C.	Chicago,	Ill.																		
John C. Dumpser, Col.	Elgin,	"																		
John Kidd, W. C.	Joliet,	"																		
William C. Dickinson, P.	Lake Forest,	"	Lake Forest,	P.	1	17	71			4	110	4	25		305	76			1875	594
Edwin G. Moore, S. S.	Wilmington,	"	Wilmington,	S. S.			*126													
Ellsworth J. Hill, S. S.	Thornton Station,	"	Thornton Station,	S.S.		3	19	3		1	89	1	00	7	11				421	12
John V. Downs, W. C.	Chicago,	"																		
Robinson S. Lockwood, W. C.																				
Newton Barrett, P.	Dunton,	"	Dunton,	P.		3	91	6		4	140	4	00	52	39		4		1263	112
Joseph L. Morton, P.	Waukegan,	"	Waukegan,	P.	9	15	97	2	4	8	153	5	82						2789	108
Bradford Y. Averill, P.—30.	Hyde Park,	"	Hyde Park,	P.	1	8	32		1	8	87			2	15				943	64
			Joliet,	V.	6	4	194	23	4	14	75			9					2050	2236
			Will,	V.—16.		3	19				35								2425	28
Licentiate.					87	221	2474	96	30	105	4784	111	80	2163	2393	428	124		85,155	12,762
Charles E. Rider.—1.																				
Candidates, 6.																				

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		Shunem, S. S.			66												
		Olivet, V.			35												
		Carmel, S. S.			19												
		West-Grove, S. S.			29												
		Unionville, V.—7.			17												
					315												
6. *Presb. of Cedar Rapids.*																	
Hiram H. Kellogg, P.	Marshalltown, Iowa.	Marshalltown, P.	2	32	85		2	7	100	5 00	35	41	15				
Samuel Newbury, W. C.	Dubuque, "																
James Knox, P.	Cedar Rapids, "	Cedar Rapids, First, P.	3	27	98	6	2	9	120	4 50	30	83				1070	147
George D. Young, S. S.	Camanche, "	Camanche, S. S.	10	3	30		4		80	1 26	15	4				360	40
Miles Doolittle, Ag.	Cedar Rapids, "																
Charles W. Treadwell, S. S.	Wheatland, "	Wheatland, S. S.		5	20			2	75	90	21	15		12		424	72
		Clarence, S. S.	1	7	28		1	5	60	1 32	8	6		5		140	25
George R. Moore, Pres.	Lyons, "																
Hannibal L. Stanley, P.	Lyons, "	Lyons, P.		6	56	9		4	60	4 50	15	15	10	5	5	527	1
Orin D. W. White, S. S.	Clinton, "	Clinton, S. S.	1	5	40			1	95	4 00	40	20	1			900	45
George E. W. Leonard, S. S.	Cedar Rapids, "	Pleasant Prairie and Centre Point, S. S.	8	4	78	7	5	8	250	4 44	30	10			7	400	75
George R. Carroll, S. S.	Wyoming, "	Wyoming, S. S.	7	10	66	1	3	5	75	3 60	19	5				700	50
Isaiah Reid, S. S.—12.	Nevada, "	Nevada, S. S.	7	10	33		4	2		1 05	23					550	50
		Iowa Centre, S. S.			*6												
Candidate, 1.		Boone, V.			9												
		Mount Vernon, V.—[14.			*20												
			39	109	569	23	21	43	915	30 57	236	199	26	22	12	5071	505

XX. Synod of Minnesota.																			
1. *Presb. of Dakota.*																			
Samuel G. Lowry, W. C.	Sumner, Minn.																		
James Thomson, W. C.	Red Wing, "																		
Jenkin Jenkins, S. S.	Butternut Valley, "	Butternut Valley, S.S.	6	6	26			5	53	1	50	10					150	30	
		South-Bend, S. S.	2		22			4	60								150	60	
Thos. S. Williamson, M.D., F.M.	Saint Peter, "	Washte Ricidopi, S. S.	21	34	55	18	17												
Stephen R. Riggs, F. M.	Beloit, Wis.	Davenport Prison, S.S.	4		176	2	8	100	9	00		12							
Theophilus Lowry, W. C.	Sumner, Minn.																		
Jacob E. Conrad, S. S.	Sterling, "	Blue Earth City, S. S.	6	5	32	4	2	30	1	50	13	5	5	5			1200	20	
		Winnebago City, S. S.			15			20			3							25	
John F. Aiton, W. C.	Saint Peter, "																		
Moses N. Adams, Ag.	Saint Peter, "								*1	59									
John P. Williamson, F. M.	Niabara, N. Ter.	Niabara, Pilgrim, S.S.	58	1	236	26	53	150	14	44		10						15	
Thomas Marshall, P.	Mankato, Minn.	Mankato, First, P.	25	25	109	12	30	174	3	25	50	22	5	10	5		1750	60	
John B. Renville, F. M.—12.	Fort Ridgely, "	Scout's Camp, S. S.	20		41	16	23	35	2	52									
		Trav. des Sioux, S. S.	2		31			50	2	40	7	10						12	
Candidate, 1.		Henderson, S. S.			*2														
		Le Seure, S. S.—12.	14	8	22	2													
			158	79	767	80	142	672	36	20	83	59	10	15	5		3250	222	
2. *Presb. of Minnesota.*																			
Edward D. Neill, W. C.	Washington, D. C.																		
Joseph C. Whitney, W. C.	Minneapolis, Minn.																		
Gideon H. Pond, P.	Bloomington, "	Oak Grove, P.	17		50			100	2	67	15	29					850	34	
John Mattocks, P.	St. Paul, "	St. Paul, First, P.	7	8	123	1		300	7	38	75	75					100	900	
Samuel W. Pond, S. S.	Shakopee, "	Shakopee, First, S. S.			21	2		80	1	26		12					100	50	
Frederick A. Noble, P.	St. Paul, "	St. Paul, H. of Hope, P.	5	9	101	1	5	160	6	06	76	173	75	60				3000	
Jesse L. Howell, S. S.	Stillwater, "	Stillwater, First, S. S.	11	5	49	8		113	2	95	20	15	7	2			1425	120	
Albert G. Ruliffson, D. Sec.	St. Paul, "																		
Chauncy Hall, S. S.	Trav. des Sioux, "																		
Alvan B. Goodale, M.D., S. S.	Belle Plain, "	Belle Plain, S. S.	17	3	32	3		100			5	10						35	

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Henry Ward, S. S.—11.	Minneapolis, Minn.	Minneapolis, S. S.	8	9	38		3	5	70	2 28						23	
		Sunrise City, S. S.	11	1	12		2		35								
		Taylor's Falls, S. S.		12	12												
		St. Cr'x Falls, S. S.—10.	4	8	12		1		50								
			80	55	450		19		1008	22 00	293	314	83	62		2498	4039
3. *Presb. of Winona.*																	
Gardiner K. Clark, S. S.	Saratoga, Minn.																
	Chatfield, "	Chatfield, V.	15	6	76		7	1	95	3 42	18	30				728	29
Charles S. Le Duc, S. S.	Hastings, "	Hastings, S. S.	4	2	46	7	1	2	100	2 50	25					645	26
Joseph W. Hancock, S. S.	Red Wing, "	Florence, S. S.			*8					48							
		Goodhue, S. S.			*7					42							
Porter H. Snow, W. C.	Madison, Wis.																
	Red Wing, Minn.	Red Wing, V.	5	9	101		3	7	130	5 00						900	
David L. Kiehle, H. M.—5.	Preston, "	Preston, S. S.—6.	22	6	28		1	1	150	1 48	5					441	50
			46	23	266	7	12	11	475	13 30	48	30				2714	105
XXI. Synod of Missouri.																	
1. *Presb. of St. Louis.*																	
Edmund Wright, D. Sec.	St. Louis, Mo.																
Henry A. Nelson, D.D., P.	St. Louis, "	St. Louis, First, P.	18	17	345		4	17	320	20 00	880	999	329	100		5000	2194
Benjamin Mills, P.	Rock Hill, "	Rock Hill, P.	10	7	58	13	1	4	117	4 00	154				60	1915	6
Frederick Starr, Jr., P.	St. Louis, "	St. Louis, North, P.	7	22	95	40	2	5	350	4 00				80		3200	10,725
Shepard Wells, D. Sec.	St. Louis, "																
Samuel Blair Shaw, S. S.	Cuba, "																
J. Addison Whitaker, S. S.	Jefferson City, "	Jefferson City, S. S.			12												
William S. Post, D.D., S. S.—8.	Sulphur Springs, "	Sulphur Springs, S. S.			8												

		Webster Groves, V.			29													
		Rolla, S. S.			16													
		Hillsborough, S. S.			12													
		Lake Spring, V.—10.			14													
			35	46	579	53	7	26	787	28	00	1034	999	329	180	60	10,115	12,925
2. *Presb. of Northern Missouri.*																		
Latten W. Dunlap, S. S.	La Grange, Mo.	La Grange, S. S.	9		36		1		60	2	75	19	6					
James A. Darrah, P.	West-Ely, "	West-Ely, P.	1		40		1		30	2	85	17	17					
		Palmyra, S. S.			11				40	1	50		12					50
Jacob R. Winters, W. C.	Palmyra, "																	
Thomas H. Tatlow, P.	Newark, "	Newark, P.	4	3	55		2	4	60	2	75	18	15				50	30
James J. Wilson, S. S.—5.	Newark, "	Carmel, S. S.			6								8	3				
		Canton, S. S.			9						55	12	4					
		Edina, S. S.		1	7						35	12	10					
		Kirksville, S. S.			16													
		Callao, V.			15													
		New-Providence, V.—[10.		2	71	5		1	40	4	25	10	12				15	26
			14	6	266	5	4	5	230	15	00	88	84	3			65	106
3. *Presb. of Lexington.*																		
Timothy Morgan, H. M.	Gentryville, Mo.																	
Elisha B. Sherwood, H. M.	Weston, "	Weston, S. S.	8	10	30		2	9	65	1	80	18			35		500	
Elijah A. Carson, W. C.	Savannah, "																	
Benjamin B. Parsons, D.D., P.	St. Joseph, "	St. Joseph, P.	5	12	17	53	3	6	62	3	20	29	72	25	36		2735	
Timothy Hill, S. S.	Kansas City, "	Kansas City, S. S.	1	24	25			2		1	50							
Franklin E. Sheldon, H. M.	Troy, Kansas.																	
George W. Goodale, Prof.—7.																		
		Savannah, V.		6	31	28		2		1	86	40			50		200	200
		Mount Zion, V.—5.			24					2	00	22						18
			14	52	127	81	5	19	127	10	36	109	72	25	121		3435	218

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2. *Presb. of Keokuk.*																	
Harvey H. Hayes, D.D.																	
Ashbel S. Wells, W. C.	Fairfield, Iowa.									1 00							
Erastus J. Gillette, D.D., Pres.	Keokuk, "																
Gamaliel C. Beaman, S. S.	Croton, "	Croton, S. S.	1	1	27	7	1	1	80	1 50	5	5					18
		Union, S. S.			8	2			66	2 45	1						20
Aaron Thompson, S. S.	Montrose, "	Montrose, S. S.	8	2	71		3	3	100	6 66	12					225	3
I. Norton Crittenden, S. S.—6.	Keokuk, "	Keokuk, S. S.		1	42	29		2	325	4 80	38	100				800	100
		Yellow Springs, S. S. [—5.	5	4	131	10		4	100	8 50	54	45				700	138
			14	8	279	48	4	10	671	24 91	110	150				1725	279
3. *Presb. of Iowa City.*																	
Abner D. Chapman, S. S.	Malcolm, Iowa.	[S. S. Brooklyn & Malcolm,	4	11	47				60	4 00	11	6					36
S. Storrs Howe, Sec.	Iowa City, "																
William Porterfield, W. C.																	
Alexander Fairley, W. C.	Washington, D. C.																
John Glass, S. S.	Iowa City, Iowa.	Scott, S. S.			*11				30	2 00	4						12
George D. A. Hebard, S. S.	Iowa City, "	Iowa City, S. S.	6	8	102	7	1	3	200	6 00	102			33		1378	57
John Gibson, W. C.	Washington, "																
Samuel J. Mills, Ag.	Iowa City, "																
Lewis B. Rogers, S. S.	Burr Oak, Mich.																
Benjamin Talbot, Tea.	Iowa City, Iowa.																
Isaac W. Atherton, S. S.	Brimfield, Ill.																
Wilberforce K. Boggs, W. C.	Ottumwa, Iowa.	Marengo, S. S.	10	4	77	1	1	2	60	5 00	12		8			734	23
Franklin L. Arnold, S. S.	Marengo, Ill.																

William Fithian, Ag.—15.	Quincy Ill.																
		West-Liberty, V.			9				75	1 00							
		Atallssa, V.—8.	2	1	15		1		40	2 00	6				133		
			25	26	277	8	4	9	465	21 00	137	6	14	33	2237	128	
4. *Presb. of Dubuque.*																	
James Harrison, W. C.	Waterloo, Iowa.																
Linus H. Fellows, W. C.	Vinton, "																
Henry B. Holmes, P.	Dubuque, "	Dubuque, Second, P.	1	5	99	7	1	17	200	5 00	50	50	15	13	5800	543	
Nelson C. Robinson, P.	Vinton, "	Vinton, P.	3	11	108		1	6	125	5 00	28	25	31		1380	77	
		Yankee Grove, P.			18			2	25	1 00	7				40		
John Summers, S. S.	Shellsburgh, "	Benton, S. S.			*69												
Charles R. French, S. S.	Clermont, "	Clermont, S. S.			*17												
Louis Boisot, W. C.	Dubuque, "																
David Blakely, S. S.	Steamboat Rock, "	Steamboat Rock, S.S.			*17												
Benjamin F. Stuart, Ag.										*17 90							
Stephen Phelps, P. E.	Waterloo, "	Waterloo, P. E.	24	11	81	11	10		75	4 00	15	23			450	250	
Albert True, S. S.—11.	Cedar Falls, "	Cedar Falls, S. S.		4	37	3			118		22				900	100	
		Council Hill, V.			*21												
Licentiate.																	
		Union, V.			*26												
John M. Peebles, S. S.—1.	Janesville, Wis.	Iowa Falls, V.			*32												
		Maysville, V.			*13												
Candidates, 2.		Point Pleasant, V.			*37												
		Cedar Valley, V.			*8												
		Janesville, V.—15.	4	2	69			10	60	3 00	9				3650		
			32	33	652	21	12	35	603	35 90	131	98	46	13	12,220	970	
5. *Presb. of Chariton.**																	
Benjamin O. Springer, W. C.	Decatur City, Iowa.																
John Fisher, S. S.	Centreville, "	Centreville, S. S.			64												
Milton H. Dysart, S. S.—3.	Troy, "	Troy, S. S.			85												

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		South-Bend, S. S.	2		22			4	60								150	60
Thos. S. Williamson, M.D., F.M.	Saint Peter, "	Washte Ricidopi, S. S.	21	34	55		18	17										
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Theophilus Lowry, W. C.	Sumner, Minn.																	
Jacob E. Conrad, S. S.	Sterling, "	Blue Earth City, S. S.	6	5	32		4	2	30	1	50	13	5	5	5		1200	20
		Winnebago City, S. S.			15				20			3						25
John F. Aiton, W. C.	Saint Peter, "																	
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John B. Renville, F. M.—12.	Fort Ridgely, "	Scout's Camp, S. S.	20		41		16	23	35	2	52							
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Samuel W. Pond, S. S.	Shakopee, "	Shakopee, First, S. S.			21	2			80	1	26		12				100	50
Frederick A. Noble, P.	St. Paul, "	St. Paul, H. of Hope, P.	5	9	101		1	5	160	6	06	76	173	75	60			3000
Jesse L. Howell, S. S.	Stillwater, "	Stillwater, First, S. S.	11	5	49		8		113	2	95	20	15	7	2		1425	120
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Chauncy Hall, S. S.	Trav. des Sioux, "																	
Alvan B. Goodale, M.D., S. S.	Belle Plain, "	Belle Plain, S. S.	17	3	32		3		100			5	10					35

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4. *Presb. of Osage.**																	
John M. Brown, S. S.	Warsaw, Mo.	Warsaw, S. S.			30												
William J. Messmer, S. S.	Springfield, "	Springfield, S. S.			36												
A. G. Taylor, P. M.—3.	Walnut Grove, "																
		Mount Zion, S. S.			79												
		Clinton, S. S.—4.															
Licentiate.																	
					145												
Enos M. Albert, S. S.—1.	Cross Timbers, Mo.																
5. *Presb. of Kansas.*																	
Isaac C. Beach, S. S.	Olathe, Kan.																
		Baldwin City, S. S.			*13												
		Black Jack, S. S.			*13												
Michael Hummer, W. C.																	
William H. Smith, S. S.	De Soto, "	De Soto, S. S.		3	14			1		84	7						
		Olathe, V.			*7			1									
Ira Blackford, W. C.	Baldwin City, "																
Frank L. Nash, *In transitu.*																	
George F. Chapin, P.—6.	Lawrence, "	Lawrence, P.	1	7	28			2	60	1 75		27					750
		Irving, S. S.	2	3	14	1	1		40	5 00	10					100	
		Troy, S. S.	30	4	*50		15	12		3 00							
Licentiates.		Seneca, V.			*16												
C. C. Moore, M.D., W. C.	Auburn, Kan.	Fall River, S. S.			8					50							
Henry Mattice.—2.		Marion, V.			*13					1 00							

			Auburn, V.—13.			*5				1 00									
				33	17	206		16	17	100	13 09	17	27				100	750	
XXII. Synod of Tennessee.																			
1. *Presb. of Union.*																			
William Harrison, W. C.	New-Market,	Tenn.																	
Ralph E. Tedford, W. C.	Maryville,	"																	
Nathaniel Hood, W. C.	Knoxville,	"	Knoxville, Second, V.			*75													
Henry Cherry, S. S.	Maryville,	"	Rockford, S. S.			41			1	51	5 00								
	Maryville,	"	Eusebia, S. S.	1		70					5 00								
James Harvey Smith, S. S.	Russellville,	"	St. Paul, S. S.	1	1	81		1			5 00								
Thomas J. Lamar, S. S.	Maryville,	"	Forest Hill, S. S.	19	3	78		6	9		5 00								
	Maryville,	"	Clover Hill, S. S.	10	2	54		1	14		5 00								
Peter J. H. Myers, S. S.	Dandridge,	"	Hopewell, S. S.			129				107	5 00								
James A. Griffes, S. S.	New-Market,	"	New-Market, S. S.	20	6	176		9	6	210	5 00								
	Russellville,	"	Bethesda, S. S.			45				40	5 00								
	StrawberryPlains,	"	StrawberryPlains,S.S.			80					5 00								
William H. Lyle, S. S.	Mossy Creek,	"	Mt. Horeb, S. S.	52		208		10	5	40	5 00								
	Morristown,	"	Westminster, S. S.			50					5 00								
	Maryville,	"	New-Providence, S. S.	8	2	50		1	9	75	5 00								
	Louisville,	"	Louisville, S. S.			25					5 00								
	McMillan's Stat'n,	"	Washington, S. S.	5	8	189					5 00								
	" "	"	Spring Place, S. S.	16		80					5 00								
	Knoxville,	"	New-Prospect, V.			*25													
	Maryville,	"	Unitia, V.			*40					5 00								
	StrawberryPlains,	"	Caledonia, V.			*80													
	" "	"	Concord, V. [S. S.			*30													
George W. Le Vere, S. S.—10.	Knoxville,	"	Knoxville, First Col.,	23	3	40													
	Newport,	"	Pisgah, V.			40													
Candidates, 2.	Rutledge,	"	Rutledge, V.			20					3 50								

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3. *Presb. of San José.*																	
John Sessions, D.D., W. C.	Oakland, Cal.																
Edward B. Walsworth, Pres.	Oakland, "																
William Wallace Brier, W. C.	Alvarado, "																
Eli Corwin, P. C.	Honolulu, S'wich Ils.																
Laurentine Hamilton, P.	Oakland, Cal.	Oakland, P.	22	21	43						100	25					35
George Pierson, M.D., S. S.	Brooklyn, "	Brooklyn, S. S.	13	1	29		6	2	60			16					39
Philander G. Buchanan, P. C.	Stockton, "																
James McLaughlin, Tea.	Red Bluff, "																
Henry S. Huntington, S. S.	Watsonville, "	Watsonville, S. S.	6	1	20			7	50								
Lemuel P. Webber, S. S.	Santa Clara, "	Santa Clara, S. S.	1	2	26												
James M. Alexander, S. S.—11.	San Leandro, "	San Leandro, S. S.	3	17	20							10					
		Gilroy, S. S.		1	11			2			9	9					41
		Centreville, S. S.	3	1	33		2	2									
		Alvarado, S. S.		1	16			4									
		San José, S. S.—9.			*118												
			48	45	316		8	17	110		109	60					115
4. *Presb. of Washoe.**																	
Albert F. White, P.	Carson City, Nevada.	Carson City, P.			26												
William M. Martin, P.	Virginia City, "	Virginia City, P.			20												
Hiram Hill, *In transitu*,	Watertown, N. Y.																
William F. B. Lynch, S. S.—4.	Ophir, Nevada.																
		Gold Hill, S. S.			7												
		Austin, S. S.—4.			10												
					63												

VI. Summary of the Schedules.

I. OF THE SYNODS AND THEIR PRESBYTERIES.

SYNODS AND PRESBYTERIES.	Date.	Presbyte's.	Ministers.	Licentiates.	Candidates.	Churches.	COMMUNICANTS. Added on Exam.	Added on Certif.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	BAPTISMS. Adults.	Infants.	S. S. Membership.	FUNDS. General Ass'mbly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.	STATED CLERKS.
I. Synod of Albany,	1803	5	79	1	11	67	334	167	8115	1130	126	101	6246	395 67	3480	4027	345	203	42	126,005	7553	*A. Bordman Lambert, D.D.*
1. Champlain,	1814		24		4	18	101	38	2253	455	35	26	1908	65 00	768	1033	114			19,973	1938	Jonathan Copeland.
2. Troy,	1820		25	1	4	18	44	31	2284	525	17	31	1514	115 89	1023	1263	158			25,389	2392	A. Bordman Lambert, D.D.
3. Albany,	1791		13		1	11	96	57	1514	15	36	16	1555	97 10	785	696	12	52	5	67,047	326	Stephen Bush.
4. Columbia,	1802		6			6	48	13	825	122	22	10	470	48 86	165	477	37	25	37	6610	974	William S. Leavitt.
5. Catskill,	1851		11		2	14	45	28	1239	13	16	18	799	68 82	739	558	24	126		6436	1923	Alvin Cooper.
II. Synod of Utica,	1829	4	84	3	3	68	260	213	6544	85	96	95	4474	356 15	7274	5010	1461	4040	86	41,466	10,508	*William E. Knox, D.D.*
1. St. Lawrence,	1818		9		1	8	34	26	778	9	10	13	500	43 44	344	564	5	776	18	2198	844	Baruch B. Beckwith.
2. Watertown,	1822		23		2	18	59	51	1598	54	25	19	1288	103 26	426	737	115	318	18	23,367	2376	Richard G. Keyes.
3. Oswego,	1823		9			10	38	22	904	22	11	5	887	13 00	669	451	195			6456	1162	J. Niles Hubbard.
4. Utica,	1842		43	3		32	129	114	3264		50	58	1799	196 45	5835	3258	1146	2946		9445	6126	Samuel W. Brace.
III. Synod of Onondaga,	1855	4	91	17	14	71	674	269	8465	148	299	111	5534	473 67	4588	5832	4068	1101	158	54,847	6237	*Lewis H. Reid.*
1. Onondaga,	1810		23			21	212	66	2334		88	31	1235	119 00	1139	1379	334	129	53	9829	2246	John F. Kendall.
2. Cayuga,	1810		35	16	14	28	86	96	2660		26	54	1700	160 92	1862	2239	3319	282	105	21,781	2129	Charles Hawley, D.D.
3. Cortland,	1825		11			16	86	44	1658	97	46	9	1355	102 30	599	1282	279	69		11,813	1196	
4. Tioga,	1829		22	1		11	290	63	1813	51	139	17	1244	91 45	988	932	136	621		11,924	666	T. Dwight Walker.
IV. Synod of Geneva,	1812	6	110	5	10	90	303	212	8722	375	123	97	7358	517 59	3577	3734	665	676	21	57,971	7176	*Benjamin M. Goldsmith.*
1. Geneva,	1805		40	1		18	46	42	2493	186	15	21	2293	153 06	1113	1253	120	92	10	19,929	2376	Benjamin M. Goldsmith.
2. Steuben,	1817		16		2	18	138	52	1488	112	61	19	1300	67 63	415	301	15	64	2	12,101	2020	William A. Niles.
3. Chemung,	1836		18		1	16	19	37	1345		10	27	1135	83 22	1172	765	245	269		1790	678	Charles C. Carr.

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4. Ithaca,	1839		8	1	4	9	17	12	1029	43	5	7	877	74 10	528	691	36	150	9	8400	866	Warren Mayo.
5. Wellsborough,	1845		12	1		13	16	9	552	3	12	1	181	32 00		18	34	2		25		Samuel J. McCullough.
6. Lyons,	1856		16	2	3	16	67	60	1815	81	20	22	1567	107 58	849	706	215	99		15,726	1241	Arunah H. Lilly.
V. Synod of Susquehanna,	1853	3	37		1	41	215	91	3513	105	60	38	2405	229 25	934	1608	658	415	150	16,118	2360	*Willard M. Hoyt.*
1. Otsego,	1820		17			18	82	38	1445	90	31	18	1066	100 05	350	839	154	118	67	9711	1726	Charles Gillette.
2. Chenango,	1826		9			12	61	32	1209		24	9	260	79 70	366	628	334	263	31	4850	170	Willard M. Hoyt.
3. Delaware,	1831		11		1	11	72	21	859	15	5	11	1079	49 50	209	141	170	34	52	1557	464	Leonard E. Richards.
VI. Synod of Genesee,	1821	6	134	6	12	103	403	388	13,112	580	155	166	12,852	600 94	9746	7355	1106	710	288	105,015	23,876	*Timothy Stillman, D.D.*
1. Buffalo,	1817		40	3	6	28	74	113	3626	121	29	41	2612	216 20	4447	2574	356	253	8	37,101	5118	Timothy Stillman, D.D.
2. Ontario,	1817		18		2	12	35	38	1557	74	10	27	1174	82 25	622	673	206	234	80	11,438	1188	John Barnard, D.D.
3. Rochester,	1819		27	3	1	17	76	73	3224	23	26	41	3283	*20 25	2290	2512	294	15	75	27,470	10,748	Charles E. Furman.
4. Genesee,	1819		14		3	16	58	43	1398	89	25	14	1547	88 70	758	790	180	116	102	14,692	2478	Charles F. Mussey.
5. Niagara,	1823		20			16	85	60	2165	165	29	24	2690	132 54	1084	650	18	83	18	1799	1786	William G. Hubbard.
6. Genesee Valley,	1828		15			14	75	61	1142	108	36	19	1546	66 00	595	356	52	9	5	12,515	2070	Isaac G. Ogden.
VII. Synod of N. Y. and N. J.,	1788	9	280	44	68	165	1616	1670	30,509	1444	504	774	29,668	1772 63	31,221	40,596	7466	2607	1892	500,265	103,542	*Obadiah M. Johnson.*
1. Hudson,	1797		17		4	12	81	84	1652		17	38	870	102 50	800	543	112	27	10	6273	2253	Obadiah M. Johnson.
2. North River,	1819		23	2	1	17	93	26	1898	78	58	27	1372	119 50	387	556	61	37	99	15,559	1468	Elisha G. Cobb.
3. Long Island,	1791		8			6	26	9	690	6	11	8	644	41 60	109	246	32	32		8235	573	Epher Whitaker.
4. New-York, Third,	1831		60	8	23	23	372	394	6957	398	93	240	8092	416 00	7996	11,435	2199	1005	511	89,964	31,352	Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D.
5. New-York, Fourth,	1845		48	24	21	15	219	272	4064	413	67	86	4835	228 24	10,109	15,826	2933	726	541	175,982	28,327	John Spaulding, D.D.
6. Brooklyn,	1838		22	8	1	8	284	229	3131	84	89	90	2318	168 90	4995	3392	848			64,547	16,267	William S. Karr.
7. Newark,	1824		49	5	11	30	324	572	7400	139	70	190	6957	410 00	4752	6902	805	550	668	97,465	24,690	James Hoyt.
8. Rockaway,	1839		21	1	4	20	46	57	2161	97	13	31	2051	134 84	742	978	284	126	63	18,471	1591	Burtis C. Megie.
9. Montrose,	1832		32	1	3	34	221	77	2556	229	86	64	2229	151 05	1831	1818	192	104		28,769	2001	Adam Miller.
VIII. Synod of Pennsylvania,	1838	5	108	7	17	89	1403	503	15,457	930	420	643	16,997	997 80	13,906	13,795	2808	4696	2048	205,906	119,499	*William E. Moore.*
1. Wilmington,	1833		12			17	124	26	1735	10	54	55	2120	110 00	3495	703	693	507	147	11,874	221	William Aikman.
2. Philadelphia, Third,	1832		37	1	2	24	413	206	4415	354	103	201	5583	240 00	6391	4998	972	3281	711	92,707	94,044	J. Glentworth Butler, D.D.
3. Philadelphia, Fourth,	1845		38	3	10	30	455	176	6454	495	151	269	6187	360 80	2184	5159	825	558	584	50,080	19,869	Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D.
4. Harrisburgh,	1839		12	2	3	9	244	39	1293	40	79	60	1564	116 00	1466	1991	204	209	844	35,582	8696	Conway P. Wing, D.D.
5. District of Columbia,	1851									31	33	58	1543	171 00	420	944	24	81	62	16,218	1579	William McLain, D.D.

IX. Synod of West-Penn.,	1843	3	80	1	3	31	330	162	3299	89	130	83	3084	174	80	2309	2373	1425	169	149	96,080	4815	*George A. Lyon, D.D.*
1. Erie,	1801		15			18	194	68	1528	16	86	32	1400	82	15	489	516	120	88	149	11,924	1047	Joseph Vance.
2. Meadville,	1842		9	1		18	109	80	982	6	36	35	704	44	65	189	317	66	67		20,585	1000	Richard Craighead.
3. Pittsburgh,	1839		6		3	5	27	19	839	67	8	16	980	48	00	2181	1545	1249	14		63,571	2828	Samuel M. Sparks.
X. Synod of Michigan,	1834	8	117	5	12	113	703	546	9497	341	217	223	8085	565	71	3148	8988	1532	938	136	79,459	9025	*William S. Taylor.*
1. Detroit,	1826		20	1	4	15	110	73	1488	11	30	32	510	81	67	898	949	674	386		3568	2562	
2. Monroe,	1833		12		1	17	45	60	1437	38	17	40	1260	77	22	371	570	95	118	16	18,947	557	William S. Taylor.
3. Marshall,	1838		14	1	1	19	128	50	1444	104	31	22	780	68	81	424	377	165	75	32	5457	772	Loomis Chandler.
4. Washtenaw,	1838		18	2	3	8	111	45	1145	64	35	22	1000	85	82	286	354	118	53	14	9284	278	Lucius D. Chapin.
5. Kalamazoo,	1838		20	1	1	16	69	82	1529	107	20	40	1785	92	00	554	965	210	46	26	17,381	3509	Job Pierson.
6. Coldwater,	1856		12			12	162	83	1076	14	68	26	1285	65	94	245	306	46	70	24	11,326	456	Joseph A. Ranney.
7. Saginaw,	1856		14			16	62	109	891		5	37	1031	69	00	311	331	208	172		10,699	999	Henry H. Northrop.
8. Grand River Valley,	1857		12		2	10	21	44	487	8	11	4	434	25	75	59	86	16	23	24	2797	92	George Ransom.
XI. Synod of W. Reserve,	1825	6	103	4	16	77	574	405	6806	162	218	192	6570	354	54	3309	5266	2709	1594	304	98,389	50,487	*Xenophon Betts.*
1. Grand River,	1814		7			5	9	21	439			7		26	34	97	121		5			516	Dexter Witter.
2. Huron,	1823		17		3	15	186	67	1390	28	84	48	1818	76	50	336	501	205	26	80	18,459	1999	Alfred Newton, D.D.
3. Trumbull,	1827		15	2	1	16	127	81	1278	46	88	48	1475	70	14	481	624	797	27	86	35,255	6347	Xenophon Betts.
4. Cleveland and Portage,	1830		45	2	10	18	150	84	1842	66	59	55	1737	102	96	1994	3111	629	616	66	20,262	40,574	James Shaw, D.D.
5. Elyria,	1842		12			11	36	15	594	14	17	6	322	36	75	266	309	47	139		525	91	Ansel R. Clark.
6. Maumee,	1842		7		2	12	66	137	765	8	20	28	1218	41	85	135	595	1084	781	122	18,888	560	Perry C. Baldwin.
XII. Synod of Ohio,	1814	4	51	3	8	65	441	257	4355	87	127	162	4047	249	52	2065	3142	668	455	145	38,879	13,041	*Addison Kingsbury, D.D.*
1. Athens,	1822		16	2	7	17	89	114	823	10	20	45	825	46	08	108	324	48	25		1000	9897	Charles C. Hart.
2. Pataskala,	1809		16		1	23	149	74	1549	48	42	47	1644	88	44	584	844	223	264	30	14,549	1649	Timothy W. Howe.
3. Franklin,	1885		13	1		16	126	42	1245	29	44	31	978	73	00	471	1021	185	55	15	9489	575	Oren H. Newton.
4. Scioto,	1815		6			9	77	27	788		21	39	1100	42	00	927	958	212	101	100	13,841	920	Eli P. Adams.
XIII. Synod of Cincinnati,	1829	4	55	3	3	48	397	146	3446	111	119	115	4779	263	08	2178	3164	821	432	406	43,828	8428	*William M. Cheever.*
1. Cincinnati,	1828		29	2	3	16	104	51	1032	60	26	55	2184	116	00	908	2037	608	265	881	28,509	6900	Joseph Chester.
2. Ripley,	1838		6			14	115	35	856	4	36	21	615	45	18	190	55	12	62		242	190	Jesse H. Lockhart.
3. Dayton,	1838		9			10	62	27	844	42	26	26	1458	58	30	562	577	111			10,440	1057	William M. Cheever.
4. Hamilton,	1846		11	1		8	116	33	714	5	31	13	575	43	60	518	495	90	105	25	4637	281	John Hussey.
XIV. Synod of Indiana,	1826	4	42	3	4	61	393	235	3994	129	150	141	4200	242	56	1828	2919	1380	249	144	58,774	8384	*John M. Bishop.*
1. Salem,	1828		9		2	12	84	60	1042	29	28	38	1628	70	14	446	878	190	119	59	18,476	5139	John M. Bishop.
2. Madison,	1825		13	2	2	16	100	52	1018	90	28	35	990	60	00	740	700	99	68		9020	709	Archibald S. Reid.
3. Indianapolis,	1830		13	1		17	140	87	1182	2	66	34	1	50	68	50	891	990	969	45	73	27,910	1306	Philip S. Cleland.
4. Green Castle,	1850		7			16	69	36	757	8	28	34	582	43	92	251	856	81	22	12	3868	1230	Thomas S. Milligan.

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XV. Synod of Wabash,	1851	4	35	2	6	56	321	131	3093	33	134	78	2831	126 62	829	1089	444	223	69	22,036	1388	*Francis S. McCabe.*
1. Crawfordsville,	1825		12	1	1	12	11	13	570	5	4	7	246	30 82	18	91		4		561	65	William N. Steele.
2. St. Joseph,	1833		9			14	90	27	835	9	44	19	1000	36 65	237	367	124	3	29	5900	691	John B. Fowler.
3. Logansport,	1835		8	1	4	21	142	65	1162	4	55	86	835	28 15	449	554	292	171	40	9426	489	Francis S. McCabe.
4. Fort Wayne,	1845		6		1	9	78	26	526	15	31	16	750	31 00	125	77	28	45		6149	143	William J. Essick.
XVI. Synod of Illinois,	1831	4	84		1	89	458	378	5049	144	129	190	6006	292 42	2990	2037	375	585	70	40,459	6244	*George C. Wood.*
1. Illinois,	1828		18			20	168	94	1621		47	42	1205	93 60	953	1059	201	361		7000	1472	George C. Wood.
2. Schuyler,	1833		18		1	18	101	36	1186	26	34	54	1355	70 62	384	388	65	158	13	3970	1276	George I. King, D.D.
3. Wabash,	1833		16			14	68	98	667	19	19	35	1325	33 20	279	171	12	18	29	7655	1173	Enoch Kingsbury.
4. Alton,	1836		32			37	121	155	1575	99	29	59	2021	95 60	1374	379	97	58	28	21,834	2823	Augustus T. Norton.
XVII. Synod of Peoria,	1843	5	91	2	16	66	496	469	6518	132	178	221	8211	316 08	3619	3688	650	224	18	132,237	16,020	*Zephan. M. Humphrey, D.D.*
1. Ottawa,	1834		15			9	32	31	521	2	8	10	390	26 50	207	198				11,291	273	Nahum Gould.
2. Knox,	1836		12	1	7	6	136	64	1131	34	54	23	880	43 38	303	361	130	57		12,961	1386	Samuel Wyckoff.
3. Galena and Belvidere,	1842		24		2	21	91	83	1466		27	64	1621	93 30	751	608	23	29	18	15,135	564	Isaac E. Carey.
4. Chicago,	1847		30	1	6	16	87	221	2474	96	30	105	4784	111 80	2168	2393	428	124		85,155	12,702	Edward A. Pierce.
5. Bloomington,	1847		10		1	14	150	70	926		59	19	536	41 10	195	128	69	14		7695	1035	John W. Bailey.
XVIII. Synod of Wisconsin,	1857	4	44		2	33	108	73	1564	29	15	44	1955	96 90	509	258	20	7	41	15,114	1124	*Benjamin G. Riley.*
1. Milwaukee,	1851		14			9	1	8	646	2		10	915	41 00	219	49				7806	666	George W. Elliott.
2. Fox River,	1851		11			8	62	24	381	7	5	14	280	9 50	148	26				1650	218	Silas H. Ashmun.
3. Columbus,	1857		14		1	12	28	27	442	20	6	16	690	28 20	102	94		7		4198	143	Benjamin G. Riley.
4. Lake Superior,	1857		5		1	4	17	14	95		4	4	120	6 20	40	89	20		41	1460	102	Cicero B. Stevens.
XIX. Synod of Iowa,	1858	6	55	1	5	59	179	202	2429	101	67	110	3154	128 58	705	526	96	92	12	28,036	2337	*Hannibal L. Stanley.*
1. Des Moines,	1845		8		2	10	69	26	337	1	26	13	500	16 20	91	73	10	24		6783	455	Thompson Bird.
2. Keokuk,	1852		6			5	14	8	279	48	4	10	671	24 91	110	150				1725	279	Gamaliel C. Beaman.
3. Iowa City,	1852		15			8	25	26	277	8	4	9	465	21 00	137	6	14	33		2237	128	George D. A. Hebard.
4. Dubuque,	1855		11	1	2	15	32	33	652	21	12	35	698	35 90	131	98	46	13		12,220	970	Stephen Phelps.
5. Charlton,*	1857		3			7			315													
6. Cedar Rapids,	1865		12		1	14	39	109	709	25	21	43	915	30 57	236	199	26	22	12	5071	505	James Knox.

XX. SYNOD OF MINNESOTA,	1858	3	28		4	28	284	191	1433	7	111	136	2155	71	90	424	403	93	71	5	8462	4866	*Charles S. Le Duc.*
1. Dakota,	1846		12		1	12	158	79	767		80	142	672	36	20	88	59	10	15	5	3250	222	Moses N. Adams.
2. Minnesota,	1850		11			10	80	55	450		19		1008	22	00	293	314	83	62		2498	4039	John Mattocks.
3. Winona,	1857		5			6	46	28	266	7	12	11	475	13	30	48	30				2714	105	Joseph W. Hancock.
XXI. SYNOD OF MISSOURI,	1832	5	29	3		42	96	121	1323	139	32	67	1244	66	45	1248	1182	357	301	60	13,715	13,999	*Henry A. Nelson, D.D.*
1. St. Louis,	1831		8			10	35	46	579	53	7	26	787	28	00	1034	999	329	180	60	10,115	12,925	Edmund Wright.
2. Northern Missouri,	1845		5			10	14	6	266	5	4	5	230	15	00	88	84	3			65	106	Elijah A. Carson.
3. Lexington,	1842		7			5	14	52	127	81	5	19	127	10	36	109	72	25	121		3435	218	James A. Darrah.
4. Osage,*	1845		3	1		4			145														
5. Kansas,	1859		6	2		13	33	17	206		16	17	100	13	09	17	27				100	750	William H. Smith.
XXII. SYNOD OF TENNESSEE,	1817	8	23		2	46	208	38	2722	40	30	47	674	104	20						965		*Thomas J. Lamar.*
1. Union,	1797		10		2	25	160	30	1746		28	42	523	83	50								William H. Lyle.
2. Kingston,*	1838		4			10			415														William B. Brown.
3. Holston,	1865		9			11	48	8	561	40	2	5	151	20	70						965		Samuel V. McCorkle.
XXIII. SYNOD OF A. CALIFORNIA,	1857	4	29			20	98	116	886	16	15	82	1165			355	175				9440	735	*Edward B. Walsworth.*
1. San Francisco,	1849		9			3	31	59	311		3	36	570			156	75					220	Samuel H. Willey.
2. Sierra Nevada,	1857		5			4	14	12	196	16	4	29	485			90	40				9440	400	Charles C. Wallace.
3. San José,	1857		11			9	48	45	316		8	17	110			109	60					115	George Pierson, M.D.
4. Washoe,*	1863		4			4			63														Albert F. White.

II. OF THE SYNODS.

SYNODS.	Date.	Presbyteries.	Ministers.	Licentiates.	Candidates.	Churches.	COMMUNICANTS. Added on Exam.	Added on Certif.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	BAPTISMS. Adults.	Infants.	S. S. Membership.	FUNDS. General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Educat'n.	Public'n.	Min. Rel'f.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
1. ALBANY,	1803	5	79	1	11	67	334	167	8115	1130	126	101	6246	395 67	348(	4027	345	203	42	126,005	7553
2. UTICA,	1829	4	84	3	3	68	260	213	6544	85	96	95	4474	356 15	7274	5010	1461	4040	36	41,466	10,508
3. ONONDAGA,	1855	4	91	17	14	71	674	269	8465	148	299	111	5534	473 67	4588	5832	4068	1101	158	54,847	6237
4. GENEVA,	1812	6	110	5	10	90	303	212	8722	375	123	97	7353	517 59	3577	3734	665	676	21	57,971	7176
5. SUSQUEHANNA,	1853	3	37		1	41	215	91	3513	105	60	38	2405	229 25	934	1608	658	415	150	16,118	2360
6. GENESEE,	1821	6	134	6	12	103	403	388	13,112	580	155	166	12,852	600 94	9746	7555	1106	710	288	108,015	23,378
7. N. YORK AND N. JER.	1788	9	280	44	68	165	1616	1670	30,509	1444	504	774	29,668	1772 68	31,221	40,596	7466	2607	1892	300,265	103,542
8. PENNSYLVANIA,	1838	5	108	7	17	89	1403	503	15,457	930	420	643	16,997	997 80	13,906	13,795	2808	4696	2048	205,906	119,492
9. WEST-PENNSYLVANIA,	1843	3	30	1	3	31	330	162	3299	89	130	83	3084	174 80	2859	2378	1435	169	149	96,080	4875
10. MICHIGAN,	1834	8	117	5	12	113	703	546	9497	341	217	223	8035	565 71	3148	3938	1532	938	136	79,459	9025
11. WESTERN RESERVE,	1825	6	103	4	16	77	574	405	6306	162	218	192	6570	354 54	3309	5266	2709	1594	304	93,389	50,487
12. OHIO,	1814	4	51	3	8	65	441	257	4355	87	127	162	4047	249 52	2085	3142	668	455	145	38,879	13,041
13. CINCINNATI,	1829	4	55	3	3	48	397	146	3446	111	119	115	4779	263 08	2178	3164	821	432	406	43,828	8428
14. INDIANA,	1826	4	42	3	4	61	393	235	3994	129	150	141	4200	242 56	1828	2919	1330	249	144	58,774	8384
15. WABASH,	1851	4	35	2	6	56	321	131	3093	33	134	78	2831	126 62	829	1089	444	223	69	22,036	1388
16. ILLINOIS,	1831	4	84		1	89	458	378	5049	144	129	190	6006	292 42	2990	2037	375	585	70	40,459	6244
17. PEORIA,	1843	5	91	2	16	66	496	469	6518	132	178	221	8211	316 08	3619	3688	650	224	18	132,237	16,020
18. WISCONSIN,	1857	4	44		2	33	108	73	1564	29	15	44	1955	96 90	509	258	20	7	41	15,114	1124
19. IOWA,	1853	6	55	1	5	59	179	202	2429	101	67	110	3154	128 58	705	526	96	92	12	28,036	2337
20. MINNESOTA,	1858	3	28		1	28	284	157	1483	7	111	153	2155	71 50	424	403	93	77	5	8462	4366
21. MISSOURI,	1832	5	29	3		42	96	121	1323	139	32	67	1244	66 45	1248	1182	357	301	60	13,715	13,999
22. TENNESSEE,	1817	3	23		2	46	208	38	2722	40	30	47	674	104 20						965	
23. ALTA CALIFORNIA,	1857	4	29			20	93	116	886	16	15	82	1165		355	175				9440	735
		109	1789	110	215	1528	10,289	6949	150,401	6357	3455	3933	143,639	8896 66	100,812	112,822	29,107	19,794	6194	1,788,466	420,706

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1840,	" "	58	29	87
1843,	" "	73	41	114
1846,	" "	87	55	142
1849,	" "	86	39	125
1850,	Detroit, Mich.	88	54	142
1851,	Utica, N. Y.	99	55	154
1852,	Washington, D. C.	108	73	181
1853,	Buffalo, N. Y.	115	85	200
1854,	Philadelphia, Pa.	120	80	200
1855,	St. Louis, Mo.	101	63	164
1856,	New-York, N. Y.	116	90	206
1857,	Cleveland, Ohio.	125	100	225
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1858,	Chicago, Ill.	108	91	199
1859,	Wilmington, Del.	109	78	187
1860,	Pittsburgh, Pa.	114	90	204
1861,	Syracuse, N. Y.	114	79	193
1862,	Cincinnati, Ohio.	116	93	209
1863,	Philadelphia, Pa.	120	99	219
1864,	Dayton, Ohio.	117	86	203
1865,	Brooklyn, N. Y.	120	109	229
1866,	St. Louis, Mo.	119	99	218
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After the sermon, the Assembly was constituted with prayer.

The Committee of Arrangements reported, recommending that the sessions of the Assembly be opened at 8½ o'clock A.M. and 3 o'clock P.M.; that they close at 12 M. and 5½ o'clock P.M.; that the evening services commence at 7½ o'clock; and that the daily morning prayer-meeting commence at the opening, and continue one hour. The report was adopted.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

THURSDAY, May 16th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

On the report of the Committee on Commissions, the following persons were enrolled as duly appointed Commissioners of this General Assembly:

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3. *Delaware*,	George W. McMillan,	Orrin S. Penfield.
	VI. SYNOD OF GENESEE.	
1. *Buffalo*,	Joel F. Bingham,	Alpheus Moore,
	William L. Hyde,	Noah H. Gardner.
2. *Ontario*,	Dwight Scovel,	Solomon Taintor, M.D.
3. *Rochester*,	Sam. M. Campbell, D.D.,	Frederick Starr,
	Alex. McA. Thorburn,	Truman A. Newton.
4. *Genesee*,	Charles C. Kimball,	William Bradley.
5. *Niagara*,	William C. Wisner, D.D.,	Asa Howard.
6. *Genesee Valley*,	Charles M. Livingston,	Moses Lockhart.

PRESBYTERIES.	MINISTERS.	ELDERS.
VII. SYNOD OF NEW-YORK AND NEW-JERSEY.		
1. *Hudson*,	Thomas Nichols,	Jirah I. Foote.
2. *North River*,	Francis B. Wheeler,	Joseph Bartlett.
3. *Long Island*,	James T. Hamlin,	Walter R. Havens.
4. *New-York, 3d*,	Dwight M. Seward, D.D.,	Joseph Ditto,
	James Morton,	John Anderson.
	Edward W. Hitchcock,	
5. *New-York, 4th*,	William Adams, D.D.,	John P. Crosby,
	Erskine N. White,	George W. Lane.
6. *Brooklyn*,	Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D.,	Fisher Howe,
	Chas. S. Robinson, D.D.,	Nathan Lane.
7. *Newark*,	Isaac N. Sprague, D.D.,	Zenas C. Crane,
	John Ulrich Guenther,	Moses W. Dodd.
8. *Rockaway*,	Burtis C. Megie,	Hon. John Hill,
	O. H. Perry Deyo,	Titus Berry.
9. *Montrose*,	Henry J. Crane,	William H. Jessup,
	James B. Wilson,	Stephen Torrey.
VIII. SYNOD OF PENNSYLVANIA.		
1. *Wilmington*,	William Aikman,	Jacob Y. Foulk.
2. *Philadelphia, 3d*,	William W. Taylor,	William E. Tenbrook,
	H. Augustus Smith,	Henry P. M. Birkinbine.
3. *Philadelphia, 4th*,	James W. Wood,	John C. Farr,
	Cornelius Earle,	Joseph F. Jaggers.
4. *Harrisburgh*,	Henry E. Niles,	James W. Kerr, M.D.
5. *Dist. of Columbia*,	George H. Smyth,	John P. Ammidon.
IX. SYNOD OF WEST-PENNSYLVANIA.		
1. *Erie*,	George A. Lyon, D.D.,	Hiram Johnson.
2. *Meadville*,	W. Howell Taylor,	Samuel Axtell.
3. *Pittsburgh*,	Herrick Johnson,	Hon. H. W. Williams, LL.D.
X. SYNOD OF MICHIGAN.		
1. *Detroit*,	W. Henry McGiffert,	Alfred B. Gully.
2. *Monroe*,	William S. Taylor.	
3. *Marshall*,	Calvin Clark,	Henry H. Barnes. (3)
4. *Washtenaw*,	Charles G. Clark,	Joseph M. Holden.
5. *Kalamazoo*,	Job Pierson.	
6. *Coldwater*,	Alanson Scofield,	James R. Davies.
7. *Saginaw*,	Thomas Wright,	Benjamin Bangs.
8. *Grand River Val.*,	Daniel H. Evans,	Sarell Wood.
9. *Lansing*,	Alfred Bryant,	John R. Price. (4)
XI. SYNOD OF WESTERN RESERVE.		
1. *Grand River*,	Joseph N. McGiffert,	Orramel H. Fitch.
2. *Huron*,	John H. Walter,	Jonathan M. Drury.
3. *Trumbull*,	Benjamin F. Sharp,	Elias Lyman.
4. *Cleveland and Portage*,	Henry L. Hitchcock, D.D.,	George H. Ely,
	Wm. H. Goodrich, D.D.,	Hon. Truman P. Handy.
5. *Maumee*,	Henry M. Bacon,	Harry Chase.

PRESBYTERIES.	MINISTERS.	ELDERS.
	XII. SYNOD OF OHIO.	
1. *Athens,*	Hugh B. Scott,	Marcus Bosworth.
2. *Pataskala,*	George A. Little,	Timothy M. Rose.
3. *Franklin,*	Oren H. Newton.	
4. *Scioto,*	John H. Young,	William Hamilton.
	XIII. SYNOD OF CINCINNATI.	
1. *Cincinnati,*	Osman A. Lyman,	Asa B. Waters,
	William D. Rosseter,	George Harvey, M.D. (10
2. *Ripley,*	David Vandyke.	
3. *Dayton,*	Benjamin Graves,	Hon. Peter Odlin.
4. *Hamilton,*	John Noble,	Waldo F. Brown.
	XIV. SYNOD OF INDIANA.	
1. *Salem,*	Irvin I. St. John.	
2. *Madison,*	Archibald S. Reid,	John T. Whitlock.
3. *Indianapolis,*	Arthur T. Rankin,	William N. Jackson. (5)
4. *Green Castle,*	Henry L. Dickerson,	Curtis J. Ripley.
	XV. SYNOD OF WABASH.	
1. *Crawfordsville,*	William N. Steele,	William Vandervolgen.
2. *St. Joseph,*	John E. Chapin,	Amos Davis.
3. *Logansport,*	James A. Carnahan,	Richard Brown.
4. *Fort Wayne,*	William C. Smith.	
	XVI. SYNOD OF ILLINOIS.	
1. *Illinois,*	Livingston M. Glover, D.D.	
2. *Schuyler,*	Edwin L. Hurd,	Samuel Crawford.
3. *Wabash,*	Edwin Black,	Samuel Daggy, M.D.
4. *Alton,*	Thomas Lippincott,	Russell Hinckley,
	Eli W. Taylor,	George E. Warren.
	XVII. SYNOD OF PEORIA.	
1. *Ottawa,*	John Kidd,	Charles Merwin.
2. *Knox,*	Asahel L. Brooks,	Alfred Beasley, M.D.
3. *Galena & Belvidere,*	Erasmus D. Willis,	Manley Rogers,
	Isaac E. Carey,	John Yourt.
4. *Chicago,*	James H. Trowbridge,	Royal E. Barber,
	David Swing,	Samuel D. Ward.
5. *Bloomington,*	Martin P. Ormsby,	Luman W. Capen.
	XVIII. SYNOD OF WISCONSIN.	
1. *Milwaukee,*	William J. Stoutenburg,	Harvey Curtis.
2. *Fox River,*	Silas H. Ashmun,	Wilson Holt.
3. *Columbus,*	James A. Laurie,	Alanson Hughson.
4. *Lake Superior,*	Thomas R. Easterday,	Philetus S. Church.
	XIX. SYNOD OF IOWA.	
1. *Des Moines,*	James M. Phillips,	George J. North.
2. *Keokuk,*	Immer N. Crittenden,	George B. Smythe.
3. *Iowa City,*	Franklin L. Arnold,	Alexander Danskin.
4. *Dubuque,*	Stephen Phelps,	John Maclay.
5. *Chariton.*		
6. *Cedar Rapids,*	James Knox,	John F. Ely, M.D.

PRESBYTERIES.	MINISTERS.	ELDERS.
XX. SYNOD OF MINNESOTA.		
1. *Dakota,*	Thomas Marshall,	George C. Clapp.
2. *Minnesota,*	Henry Ward,	Daniel W. Ingersoll.
3. *Winona,*	Joseph W. Hancock,	Caleb J. F. Smith.
XXI. SYNOD OF MISSOURI.		
1. *St. Louis,*	Henry A. Nelson, D.D.,	Theophilus W. Guy.
2. *Northern Missouri,*	James A. Darrah.	
3. *Lexington,*	Elisha B. Sherwood,	Willis M. Sherwood.
4. *Osage.*		
5. *Kansas,*	Andrew Parsons.	
XXII. SYNOD OF TENNESSEE.		
1. *Union,*	William H. Lyle,	Benjamin A. Blackburn.
2. *Kingston,*	Wallace W. Thorpe.	
3. *Holston,*	Francis A. McCorkle.	
XXIII. SYNOD OF ALTA CALIFORNIA.		
1. *San Francisco.*		
2. *Sierra Nevada,*	D. Henry Palmer.	
3. *San José,*	Henry S. Huntington,	John A. Perkins.
4. *Washoe,*	John B. Pinney, LL.D.	

CORRESPONDING BODIES.

1. *General Assembly of the other Branch,*	E. A. Raymond, Esq.
2. *General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.*	
3. *General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America,*	Robert Audley Browne, D.D.
4. *General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland,*	Patrick Fairbairn, D.D., Rev. James Wells.
5. *General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland,*	James Denham, D.D., John Hall, D.D.
6. *General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America,*	John C. F. Hoes, D.D.
7. *General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America.*	
8. *General Synod of the German Reformed Church in the United States.*	
9. *General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States.*	

10. *General Conference of the Congregational Churches of Maine.*	
11. *General Association of New-Hampshire,*	Rev. Ebenezer G. Parsons.
12. *General Convention of Vermont.*	
13. *General Association of Massachusetts.*	
14. *General Association of Connecticut,*	Robert G. Vermilye, D.D.
15. *Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin.*	
16. *Union of Evangelical Churches of France.*	

The Rev. HENRY A. NELSON, D.D., of the Presbytery of St. Louis, was elected Moderator, and inducted into office.

The Rev. WILLIAM S. TAYLOR, of the Presbytery of Monroe, and the Rev. ALVIN COOPER, of the Presbytery of Catskill, were chosen Temporary Clerks.

The docket of business was read by the Stated Clerk.

The General Rules for Judicatories, contained in the Appendix to the Constitution, were adopted as the rules of this Assembly.

The reception of the Synodical Records, and of all papers intended for the Assembly, was made the first order of the day for to-morrow morning.

Ordered, That the usual number of copies of the Roll be printed, under the direction of the Stated Clerk.

The Annual Report of the Treasurer of the General Assembly was read, and referred to Mr. John P. Crosby and Hon. Henry W. Williams, LL.D., as an Auditing Committee.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

FRIDAY, May 17th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and occupied the opening hour with devotional exercises.

The roll was called, and the minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Moderator announced the following Standing Committees:

1. JUDICIAL COMMITTEE:

Ministers—Sherman B. Canfield, D.D., James A. Carnahan, Dwight M. Seward, D.D., Elisha B. Sherwood, Erasmus D. Willis, Burtis C. Megie. *Elders*—Hon. Henry W. Williams, LL.D., John P. Crosby, Giles B. Kellogg, John C. Farr, Luman W. Capen.

3. BILLS AND OVERTURES:

Ministers—William Adams, D.D., Livingston M. Glover, D.D., James Knox, Thomas Wright, James A. Darrah, William L. Hyde. *Elders*—Hon. Henry W. Williams, George J. North, George H. Ely, Alpheus Moore, Orrin S. Penfield.

4. POLITY OF THE CHURCH:

Ministers—George A. Lyon, D.D., Charles Hawley, D.D., Francis B. Wheeler, John B. Richardson, James H. Trowbridge, Benjamin F. Sharp. *Elders*—George W. Lane, John F. Ely, M.D., Russell Hinckley, Wilson Holt, Richard Brown.

5. FOREIGN MISSIONS:

Ministers—William Aikman, Calvin Clark, Joel F. Bingham, William W. Taylor, Stephen Phelps, Wallace W. Thorpe. *Elders*—Richard Steel, Joseph Bartlett, William H. Jessup, Marcus Bosworth, John T. Whitlock.

6. EDUCATION:

Ministers—Henry L. Hitchcock, D.D., David Swing, Marvin R. Vincent, Osman A. Lyman, Andrew Parsons, Cornelius Earle. *Elders*—Fisher Howe, Samuel Anable, Solomon Taintor, M.D., John Yourt, Timothy M. Rose.

7. HOME MISSIONS:

Ministers—Henry Darling, D.D., Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D., Francis A. McCorkle, Edwin L. Hurd, Franklin L. Arnold, Job Pierson. *Elders*—Hon. Truman P. Handy, Daniel W. Ingersoll, Philetus S. Church, William E. Tenbrook, Samuel Daggy, M.D.

8. CHURCH ERECTION:

Ministers—William H. Goodrich, D.D., Asahel L. Brooks, Erskine N. White, James F. Calkins, Henry E. Niles, Thomas Marshall. *Elders*—Theophilus W. Guy, Samuel B. Specs, Stephen Torrey, Asa B. Waters, Caleb J. F. Smith.

9. PUBLICATION:

Ministers—William C. Wisner, D.D., Herrick Johnson, James W. Wood, James M. Phillips, Henry Ward, James A. Laurie. *Elders*—Daniel Nolton, Noah H. Gardner, Calvin W. Bradley, Zenas C. Crane, Orramel H. Fitch.

9. SABBATH-SCHOOLS:

Ministers—Charles S. Robinson, D.D., Thomas Lippincott, Albert Erdman, Joseph N. McGiffert, Edward W. Hitchcock, George H. Smyth. *Elders*—Hon. John Hill, Sidney L. Benedict, George Rodgers, George B. Smythe, Henry P. M. Birkinbine.

10. MINISTERIAL RELIEF:

Ministers—Isaac N. Sprague, D.D., Peleg R. Kinne, Andrew J. Fennel, Eleroy Curtis, Silas H. Ashmun, Arthur T. Rankin. *Elders*—Ezra Botsford, Robert Rorison, Alexander Danskin, Royal E. Barber, Jonathan M. Drury.

11. NARRATIVE OF RELIGION:

Ministers—Isaac E. Carey, Henry M. Bacon, Thomas A. Weed, George N. Todd, David F. Judson, Charles C. Kimball. *Elders*—Joseph Ditto, Franklin Edgerton, Reuben Sours, Hiram Johnson, Benjamin Bangs.

12. MILEAGE OF COMMISSIONERS:

Elders—Nathan Lane, Moses W. Dodd, Sarell Wood.

13. DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES:

Ministers—Samuel M. Campbell, D.D., Alexander McA. Thorburn, W. Howell Taylor, George W. McMillan, William Young, W. Henry McGiffert. *Elders*—Frederick Starr, John P. Ammidon, James R. Davies, Elias Lyman, William Vandervolgen.

14. LEAVE OF ABSENCE:

Ministers—Baruch B. Beckwith, John H. Walter, James Morton, John Kidd, Benjamin Graves, George A. Little. *Elders*—Henry Chase, William Hamilton, Waldo F. Brown, Jacob Y. Foulk, Truman A. Newton.

COMMITTEES ON SYNODICAL RECORDS.

1. SYNOD OF ALBANY. *Ministers*—Henry E. Niles, William S. Taylor, Benjamin F. Sharp. *Elders*—Samuel Axtell, Alfred B. Gully.

2. SYNOD OF UTICA. *Ministers*—William D. Rosseter, Hugh B. Scott, Irvin I. St. John. *Elders*—Amos Davis, Samuel Crawford.

3. SYNOD OF ONONDAGA. *Ministers*—Erasmus D. Willis, William Stoutenburg, D. Henry Palmer. *Elders*—Willis M. Sherwood, Manley Rogers.

SYNOD OF GENEVA. *Ministers*—Job Pierson, John Noble, Martin P. Ormsby. *Elders*—Curtis J. Ripley, Joseph M. Holden.

SYNOD OF SUSQUEHANNA. *Ministers*—Dwight Scovel, Thomas Nichols, Charles G. Clark. *Elders*—Luman W. Capen, Samuel Smith.

SYNOD OF GENESEE. *Ministers*—James T. Hamlin, H. Augustus Smith, Alanson Scofield. *Elders*—John C. Farr, Philetus S. Church.

SYNOD OF NEW-YORK AND NEW-JERSEY. *Ministers*—Joseph W. Hancock, Francis A. McCorkle, Andrew Parsons. *Elders*—John F. Ely, M.D., Charles Merwin.

SYNOD OF PENNSYLVANIA. *Ministers*—Oren H. Newton, David Van Dyke, James A. Laurie. *Elders*—Theophilus W. Guy, Alexander Danskin.

SYNOD OF WEST-PENNSYLVANIA. *Ministers*—Henry M. Bacon, John H. Young, Thomas R. Easterday. *Elders*—Samuel Daggy, M.D., Richard Brown.

SYNOD OF MICHIGAN. *Ministers*—Samuel L. Merrell, Charles C. Kimball, John U. Guenther. *Elders*—Richard Steel, Samuel Anable.

SYNOD OF WESTERN RESERVE. *Ministers*—O. H. Perry Deyo, Cornelius Earle, Charles S. Robinson, D.D. *Elders*—Daniel Nolton, John Hatmaker, M.D.

SYNOD OF OHIO. *Ministers*—Burtis C. Megie, Edwin Black, Henry L. Dickerson. *Elders*—Alfred Beasley, M.D., Willis M. Sherwood.

SYNOD OF CINCINNATI. *Ministers*—James A. Darrah, Alanson D. Barber, Benjamin F. Willoughby. *Elders*—George W. Burnham, William Bradley.

SYNOD OF INDIANA. *Ministers*—Eli W. Taylor, Ariel McMaster, William C. Wisner, D.D. *Elders*—Reuben Sours, Walter R. Havens.

SYNOD OF WABASH. *Ministers*—Marvin R. Vincent, John V. C. Nellis, Harry E. Woodcock. *Elders*—John P. Crosby, Titus Berry.

SYNOD OF ILLINOIS. *Ministers*—Eleroy Curtis, John McVey, Henry J. Crane. *Elders*—Joseph M. Holden, Jacob Y. Foulk.

SYNOD OF PEORIA. *Ministers*—William C. Smith, Daniel H. Evans, James B. Wilson. *Elders*—Zenas C. Crane, Alpheus Moore.

SYNOD OF WISCONSIN. *Ministers*—Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D., James A. Carnahan, Alfred Bryant. *Elders*—Harry Chase, Stephen Torrey.

19. SYNOD OF IOWA. *Ministers*—Albert Erdman, William Aikman, John B. Pinney, LL.D. *Elders*—James R. Davies, Samuel Anable.

20. SYNOD OF MINNESOTA. *Ministers*—John B. Richardson, Peleg R. Kinne, Henry Darling, D.D. *Elders*—Ezra Botsford, John F. Ely, M.D.

21. SYNOD OF MISSOURI. *Ministers*—Andrew J. Fennel, Thomas A. Weed, George N. Todd. *Elders*—William D. Terbell, M.D., Caleb J. F. Smith.

22. SYNOD OF TENNESSEE. *Ministers*—Immer N. Crittenden, Charles Hawley, D.D., Calvin Clark. *Elders*—Charles Merwin, Jirah I. Foote.

23. SYNOD OF ALTA CALIFORNIA. *Ministers*—James F. Calkins, Samuel M. Campbell, D.D., Edward W. Hitchcock. *Elders*—John Anderson, Asa Howard.

The Records of the Synods, the Narratives, the Statistical Reports, the Overtures, and other papers from the Presbyteries were received and appropriately referred.

The Auditing Committee reported that they had examined the accounts of the Treasurer, with the vouchers, and found them correct; and they recommended that the account current be approved, and printed in the Appendix to the Minutes. The report was adopted.

The Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Foreign Missions was read, and referred to the appropriate Standing Committee.

Pending the reading of the Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Education,

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

FRIDAY, May 17th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The reading of the Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Education was completed, and referred to the Standing Committee on Education.

The Annual Report of the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions was presented and read. That portion of the Report referring to the work among the Freedmen was referred to a Special Committee, consisting of the Rev. Messrs. Herrick Johnson, George A. Little, and Joel F. Bingham, with Messrs. Samuel D. Ward and George E. Warren. The remainder of the Report was referred to the Standing Committee on Home Missions.

The Annual Reports of the Presbyterian Publication Committee and of the Trustees of the Presbyterian House were read, and referred to the Standing Committee on Publication.

The Annual Report of the Executive Committee of the Ministerial Relief Fund was read, and referred to the appropriate Standing Committee.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported Overture No. 1, from the Presbytery of Watertown, expressing its "gratification in the prospect of a speedy Reünion of the two great branches of our beloved Church," and recommended that the paper be put on file. The report was adopted.

The same Committee reported Overture No. 2, being a memorial from the Synod of Wabash respecting a Sustentation Fund, with a recommendation. The report was accepted, and placed upon the docket. The same Committee reported Overture No. 3, from the Presbytery of Niagara, asking the General Assembly to change the plan of Assessment for the expenses of the body; with the recommendation, that it is inexpedient and unnecessary to make any change in the mode of assessment. The report was adopted.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

SATURDAY, May 18th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met and occupied the opening hour with devotional exercises.

The roll was called, and the minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Committee of Conference on Reünion with the other Branch of the Presbyterian Church presented their report. The report was accepted, and referred to a Special Committee, consisting of Charles Hawley, D.D., George A. Lyon, D.D., William C. Wisner, D.D., Livingston M. Glover, D.D., and Rev. James A. Carnahan, with Messrs. John C. Farr, Fisher Howe, Luman W. Capen, and Daniel W. Ingersoll, who were directed to report next Wednesday morning.

The Annual Reports of the Trustees of the Church Erection Fund, and of the Permanent Committee on Sabbath-Schools, were read, and referred to the appropriate Standing Committees.

Adjourned until Monday, at 8½ o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 20th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and occupied the opening hour with devotional exercises.

The calling of the roll was dispensed with until the closing session of the Assembly.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The following Resolution was unanimously adopted, and directed to be communicated immediately by telegraph:

Resolved, That this General Assembly sends fraternal and Christian salutations to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church holding its sessions in the City of Cincinnati, desiring and praying for the presence and benediction of the Head of the Church in all their deliberations and deliverances.

The Rev. Ennals J. Adams, of Charleston, S. C., by invitation, addressed the Assembly in relation to the position and needs of the Freedmen.

The Judicial Committee reported an appeal of Silas Miller from a decision of the Synod of Illinois as being in order, with the recommendation that it be taken up by the Assembly. The report was accepted, and action upon the case made the second order for this afternoon.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported an Overture, respecting the appointment of the fifteenth day of April as a national Fast-Day, with the recommendation, that the Assembly take no action thereupon. The report was adopted.

The same Committee reported a communication from the Young Men's Christian Association of New-York City, and recommended that the same be printed in the Minutes. The report was adopted. The communication is as follows:

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION,
161 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW-YORK,
April 29, 1867.

REV. EDWIN F. HATFIELD, D.D., ROCHESTER, N. Y.:

REVEREND AND DEAR SIR: Feeling, as we do, the great temptations to which young men are exposed, who come as strangers to New-York, we beg to ask your coöperation in our efforts to reach this class.

We may say, it is not our wish to invite young men to this city; for there is too often an excessive influx, which is the cause of much misery as well as vice. But, if they resolve to come, when found here, we desire, in all practicable ways, to direct and assist them.

The Association presents many attractions and offers many advantages to them. Our end is essentially the same as that of the Church; yet we believe our Association occupies a field, the wants of which no individual church can supply.

May we ask you to bring the object, and the working of the Association, before the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, which meets in Rochester on the 16th proximo?

We would suggest that clergymen give letters to young men who may be coming to this city, introducing them to the Association, so that they may be surrounded by Christian friends, and saved, it may be, from the many dangers to which they are constantly exposed in this city.

Very respectfully yours,

JAMES I. BARR,

Corresponding Sec. Invitation Committee."

The same Committee reported the following Overture from the Trustees of the Church Erection Fund, and the Permanent Committees of Education, Home Missions, Publication, and Ministerial Relief:

To the Venerable, the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States:

We beg leave to call the attention of the General Assembly to the following statements with respect to the Benevolent operations of the Church:

1. The various departments of Christian Benevolence which have been undertaken by our Church are the most important objects within the whole range of charitable duties; not because they have been adopted by the General Assembly, but that they have been thus adopted because of their intrinsic importance.

The Divine plan is to save the world by the preaching of the Gospel and the extension of the Church. The Church is ordained of God; whatever promotes its growth and gives it power is to that extent worthy of confidence. So, whatever promotes the preaching of the Gospel in its purity, and brings it to bear on the greatest number of people, is entitled to generous support.

The cause of Foreign Missions aims to give the Gospel to all the destitute in foreign lands; that of Home Missions, to the destitute in our own land; that of Education, to prepare men to preach the Gospel; the Church Erection Board, to provide houses to preach in; and the Ministerial Relief Committee, to secure a comfortable support for the aged in their declining years, and for the disabled and their families; the Publication Committee, to supplement the work of the ministry by the aid of a Sanctified Literature; and the Sabbath-School Committee, to bring the Gospel to bear on the rising generation. These all constitute one simple, grand, and powerful whole, all centering in God's method of saving men. His plan must be the wisest and best possible. Organizations that propose to themselves some lower aim, or even such as aim to preach the Gospel to specific classes, as the outcasts, the papists, the sailors, the Jews, the foreigners, or the freedmen, may be praiseworthy in themselves, but must, of necessity, occupy a secondary place.

2. The Church has lost much power over men, by allowing her benefactions to pass into the hands of other organizations, in which the Church is not recognized, and by which she obtains no credit, throwing away power which she should have wielded for her own growth. Hence, while the Church was never more liberal or active than now, the world sees it not, and infidels claim that she has lost her hold on the respect and confidence of men.

3. Our Church is endeavoring to prosecute her benevolent operations at the least possible expense for management and direction. The Education, Church Erection, Ministerial Relief, and Publication Committees employ only one Secretary each, and no Agents. If voluntary and subordinate Societies abound in Agents, and keep the Causes which they represent fresh and uppermost in the minds of pastors, and Presbyteries, and churches, they have a manifest advantage over our own Causes, unless the pastors and Presbyteries will adopt the latter as theirs, and seek their advancement as such, and with special zeal. If *they* neglect them, there is no help. If *they* fail to espouse them heartily, present their claims systematically, earnestly, and clearly, how can they have the generous aid which they deserve? The Cause of Church Erection does not belong to its Board of Trustees; or those of Education, Home Missions, Publication, and Ministerial Reliefs to their respective Committees; they all belong to the Church, of which every Presbytery is a constituent part, and every Session the organic and authorized Agents. Shall all these Causes, and all those that belong to us, knock at the doors of our Presbyteries as strangers and aliens, and their claims be admitted to attention by reluctant sufferance? Or shall they be adopted by the Presbyteries as their own, and welcomed as children in their Father's house?

We invoke the wisdom of the Assembly to devise methods to impress on the Presbyteries the measure of their obligation, as organizations, to foster, favor, and promote our own Causes of benevolence, on account of their intrinsic importance; and because, through their agency, they can all be worked most economically and effectively, and in a manner to reflect great credit on the Church of God.

The Committee, in answer to the above Overture, recommended the adoption of a Preamble and Resolutions, as follows:

Whereas, The General Assembly has organized several Boards and Committees for evangelic action;

Whereas, In the prosecution of this, its proper work, the Church, unlike voluntary organizations, employs no Agents to visit the churches and solicit funds; and,

Whereas, We have occasion to thank the Great Head of the Church for the amount which has already been accomplished through the spontaneous action of the churches in behalf of these several methods of Christian aggression;

Therefore, *Resolved*, 1. That all pastors and Sessions be re-

quested to arrange for systematic contributions in their respective churches once in a year, in aid of the several objects represented by the Boards and Committees, to the end that, so far as practicable, there may be uniformity of action throughout the entire body.

2. That the General Assembly, fully apprised of their incompetence to legislate authoritatively in any way in regard to that benevolence which is free-born, and emphatically disclaiming any policy which is rigidly narrow and sectarian, would respectfully request and advise all Presbyteries and churches to give the priority, so far as any distinction shall in any case be necessary, to those channels and agencies of Christian charity which the Church itself has organized; it being understood that the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions is included among them, as the organization for foreign evangelism which the General Assembly has adopted.

The report was adopted.

On the recommendation of the same Committee, it was

Resolved, That the several Permanent Committees and Boards of the Church be required to record, and report annually to the Assembly, the number of meetings which each member of said Committees and Boards has attended during the year.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 20th, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Standing Committee on Foreign Missions presented their report, which, after a brief discussion, was recommitted.

The appeal of Silas Miller from a decision of the Synod of Illinois, previously reported by the Judicial Committee, was taken up. Pending the consideration of the regularity of the appeal,

Adjourned until to-morrow, at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

TUESDAY, May 21st, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and occupied the opening hour with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The following communication was received from the other General Assembly:

"The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church holding its sessions in Cincinnati return fraternal and Christian salutations to the General Assembly holding its sessions in Rochester, praying and hoping for the presence of the Head of the Church in their midst, and the guidance of the Divine Spirit in all their deliberations and deliverances."

The Rev. James Denham, D.D., and the Rev. John Hall, D.D., duly accredited Delegates of the last General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, addressed the Assembly, and were responded to by the Moderator.

The Committee of the last Assembly to appoint Delegates to the next General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland reported the appointment of the Rev. Ezra E. Adams, D.D., of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Third, and the Rev. Henry M. Field, D.D, of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, as such Delegates; and further reported that they had requested the same brethren to serve as Delegates to the next General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. The report was adopted, and the action of the Committee confirmed.

The Rev. Robert A. Browne, D.D., the Delegate of the last General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America, addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.
Concluded with prayer.

TUESDAY, May 21st, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Reports of the Standing Committees on Church Erection, and on Home Missions, were presented in connection and accepted.

The Report of the Committee on Church Erection was adopted, and is as follows:

A change of plan, in the administration of any great Christian enterprise, is like a change of strategy in the midst of a campaign. It is sometimes necessary. It is generally difficult. It may be critical.

The last General Assembly gave to the Church Erection Board a new and broader commission, and put the Cause itself to a new trial. The event has justified the change, and has amply proved the wisdom of the Assembly's action. The depression, amounting to despair, which caused not a few of our frontier churches to fold their hands in apathy, was broken, and they began to struggle once more to lay the foundations of a house for the Lord, in the confidence that help would come to them in their

extremity. Others, further advanced in their efforts at church building, instead of sending out their pastors with a roving commission to solicit assistance in our chief cities, turned directly to this new source of aid, which expressed the sympathy and fellowship of the whole Church toward its suffering members.

The number of applications made immediately upon the announcement of the new Plan, and constantly increasing, is itself evidence that the need of this provision was most urgent, and that it was made not one moment too soon. The fact that one hundred churches of our name are houseless to-day calls on us, as a denomination, to follow the action of the last year with a yet stronger support of the Board, and a more earnest appeal to our congregations in its behalf. Having developed the need of our new and struggling churches, and having revived their hope, it behooves us to "prove the sincerity of our love;" "that as there was a readiness to will, so there may be a performance also out of that which we have."

The actual receipts for Church Erection during the past year have fallen short of the aim of the Board, and far short of the necessities of the churches: but they have, nevertheless, reached an amount which affords positive encouragement of success. The fact that $20,000 have been contributed within six months, for a substantially new enterprise, imperfectly appreciated, with no agencies, no appeals to sympathy, no influence whatever except the plain statement of facts touching the needs of the Kingdom, this, in the view of your Committee, is a substantial guarantee, that the Church will ultimately meet the full demands of this most Christian Cause.

It is difficult to introduce a new claim upon our Christian benevolence. It is more difficult to take up and make effective one which has suffered from prejudice as well as neglect. Many of our most liberal churches have been preoccupied by local enterprises, which tasked them to the utmost, and from which it was impossible to turn aside. Others had already engaged in schemes of church extension, through Synodical or other agencies, closely allied with this, and could not immediately adjust their plans to ours. The sum received by the Church Erection Board does not probably represent one third of the energy and devotion of the Church to this Cause. Twice twenty thousand dollars, unreported by this Board, has doubtless been freely contributed by the strong among us for the building of churches and chapels for the weak. It can only be a question of time whether all these gifts for Church Erection shall flow through the safer, wiser, and more economical agency of the Assembly's Board. To have raised even so much, without any loss in expense, as a separate offering, at the outset of this new endeavor, appears to us to have been a marked success.

It is greatly to be desired, however, that the process of concentration, in this form of benevolence, should go forward as rapidly as possible. We are one body. No member can say to another,

"I have no need of thee." No part of the Church, widely scattered as it is, can be faithful to fellow-disciples while working independently, and only for near results. Justice to those themselves who give, justice to those who are in need, justice to those called to administer this important trust, requires that all our sympathies and aid should flow impartially to the points of utmost want, the Church over, and be distributed with a comprehensive equity. The sooner this more generous method is accepted and made universal among us, the sooner will the burdens of our poorer brethren be lifted off, and every household of faith have a home and an altar of its own.

Your Committee would especially recommend that, in all cases in which churches or chapels are being built by private Presbyterial or Synodical aid, such property be made inalienable from the uses of Presbyterian worship, or its reversion secured to the Trustees of the Church Erection Fund.

It seems worthy of distinct suggestion, that the elders of our Church should give to this Cause of Church Erection a particular attention. First, for the general reason that many pastors are hampered while they stand alone in the presentation of new objects, however urgent, by a fear lest they overburden their churches by these demands of benevolence. The Cause often passes into neglect, through the (modest) diffidence of ministers, when one hearty, zealous word in its behalf, from an office-bearer or member of the Church, would give it at once its just prominence and full acceptance with the people.

There is another reason why our elders should inform and interest themselves in behalf of Church Erection. Of all our enterprises it is the one which commends itself to the sound sense of business men. It has no pathetic side. It affords no affecting incidents such as move in their recital the sympathies of an audience. Its strength is in its bare necessity. Its appeal is to the good judgment of men. Its demand is that of common prudence. Its value is found in the stability and permanence which it gives to church extension in every form. It is the end of waste. It is the beginning of order and firm growth. Men of sense easily perceive that the labors of the best home missionary must be in large part thrown away, until the people to whom he ministers have a house of worship of their own. Again and again have congregations been gathered at great expense and toil, only to be scattered afterward for want of some fixed and attractive dwelling place. It is a question whether it would not be a wise rule in the management of Home Missions, to commission no minister to labor statedly in our new settlements, who could not go forth with the pledge that one third of the cost of a church building should be provided for the people that he should gather, so soon as they themselves should provide the other two thirds. All experience shows that liberal and prompt outlay judiciously ma[illegible] is the best economy. It is difficult to say which is most unwi[illegible]is and wasteful; to expect the preacher to plant Christian insti[illegible]tu

tions without a church, or to leave a church once built without a ministry. It should be borne in mind that means contributed to this work become immediately an investment, and bring early and large returns. They act partly as a help, and partly as a stimulus. Five hundred dollars donated by this Board calls forth perhaps five times that amount from the church itself which receives this aid. In most benevolent enterprises, there is a clear outlay for all that is accomplished. So much cost for so much done. Here the result is cumulative. It may be threefold or fivefold as great as the expenditure. The Congregational denomination of this country have contributed, first and last, about two hundred thousand dollars for Church Erection; and for this they already show a property in church buildings, thus erected, of a million and a half of dollars. Those sister denominations, which have spent in the State of Missouri alone $23,000 for Church Erection the past year—more in that one commonwealth than we have contributed for all the country—have been wise in their generation. When the practical men of our churches treat this, their Cause, with the same sound judgment which they use in the affairs of this world, it will require little presentation from the pulpit. It needs only to be fairly looked at in its relations to the whole work of evangelization in the land, to receive the strong assent and ready support of every just and Christian man among us.

Your Standing Committee would suggest that the admirable report of the Assembly's Board be as widely circulated as possible among our churches, and that the best sympathies and energies of the members of this present Assembly be pledged, to the maintenance and advancement of this enterprise of the Church, at this most critical period of its history. To suffer this Cause to flag would be to impede and embarrass the whole work of Home Evangelization. To multiply its resources and power is to invigorate every Christian institution, and change hopes and promises and obligations into permanent realities of blessing.

Your Committee submit the following resolutions, covering the special subjects of interest in the Annual Report, and recommend their adoption.

In view of the fact, that one hundred churches in connection with this Assembly are now without any houses of worship of their own, while new churches equally destitute are continually being formed by the labors of our Home Missionaries,

1. *Resolved*, That it is our duty as a Christian denomination to contribute to the Cause of Church Erection the sum of one hundred thousand dollars during the year now opened.

2. *Resolved*, That the pastor, or stated supply, of each church connected with this General Assembly be earnestly desired, to present the subject of Church Erection distinctly to his congregation in a discourse, and to take up a collection in behalf of this Cause, on the second Sabbath of December next, or on the nearest possible Sabbath to that date.

3. *Resolved*, That this Cause be especially commended to the

attention of the elders of the churches, some of whom, in the absence of pastors, are peculiarly responsible for the welfare of these enterprises of the Church, and all of whom have it in their power to encourage their ministers in urging the new claims of this Cause upon those congregations which are not yet aware of its critical necessities.

4. *Resolved*, That, as an encouragement to churches which have unpaid loans from the Permanent Fund to discharge their indebtedness, the Trustees of the Church Erection Fund be authorized to change such outstanding loans to donations in part, as was done prior to August, 1866.

5. *Resolved*, That the vacancies now occurring in the Board of Trustees of the Church Erection Fund be filled by the election of the following persons:

Messrs. George W. Lane, Nathan Lane, and John P. Crosby, Esq.

Mr. William A. Booth having tendered his resignation as a member of the Board of Trustees, we recommend to the Assembly that his resignation be not accepted.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

WEDNESDAY, May 22d, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and occupied the opening hour with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Communications were received from the Rev. J. George Butler, Delegate of the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States; from the Rev. George A. Tewksbury, Delegate of the General Conference of the Congregational Churches of Maine; from the Rev. Aldace Walker, Delegate of the General Convention of Vermont; and from the Rev. Solo A. Dwinnell, Delegate of the Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin.

The Rev. Ebenezer G. Parsons, Delegate of the General Association of New-Hampshire, and the Rev. Robert G. Vermilye, D.D., Delegate of the General Association of Connecticut, addressed the Assembly, and were responded to by the Moderator.

The Special Committee, to whom was referred the Report of the Committee of Conference on Reünion with the other Branch of the Presbyterian Church, presented their report, which was accepted and unanimously adopted.

The Report of the Committee of Conference is as follows:

The Committee, appointed by the last General Assembly to confer with a similar Committee of the other Assembly on the

desirableness and practicability of reüniting the bodies which they severally represent, would respectfully report:

That, in the discharge of the duty assigned them, the two Committees assembled in the City of New-York, Wednesday, the 20th of February, 1867, and, after organizing in their respective places of appointment, met in joint session for conference and prayer.

Their meetings continued to a late hour on Friday evening, February 22d, when the Committees adjourned to meet again, in the same city, on the first day of May.

Reässembling at that time, they continued their conferences till Tuesday the 7th of May, when they finally adjourned. The circumstances, in which the Committees held their first meeting, were so peculiar as to demand a special mention, as they were fitted to produce an unusual sobriety.

The Chairmen of both Committees as originally constituted were absent; one, the Rev. Dr. Brainerd, had been translated to that world, where all the distinctions of Christian discipleship which exist on the earth are lost in the harmony of Heaven. The other, the Rev. Dr. Krebs, was disabled by severe illness from all participation in our conferences, waiting for that change to come which will unite him to the great company of Christian Ministers in the Kingdom of God.

All the meetings of the Committees were distinguished by a degree of courtesy and unanimity, which was more than common. Composed of men of decided individuality, representing divers interests and sections, they have discussed every question, many of them of admitted delicacy and difficulty, with the utmost frankness, without one word or expression of any kind ever to be regretted by Christian brethren who felt the grave responsibilities of their position.

The result of their conferences is contained in the following document, adopted in Joint Committee with remarkable unanimity.

PROPOSED TERMS OF REÜNION BETWEEN THE TWO BRANCHES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

The Joint Committee of the two General Assemblies of the Presbyterian Church, appointed for the purpose of conferring on the desirableness and practicability of uniting these two bodies, deeply impressed with the responsibility of the work assigned us, and having earnestly sought Divine guidance, and patiently devoted ourselves to the investigation of the questions involved, agree in presenting the following for the consideration, and, if they see fit, for the adoption, of the two General Assemblies:

Believing that the interests of the Redeemer's kingdom would be promoted by healing our divisions; that practical union would greatly augment the efficiency of the whole Church for the accomplishment of its divinely-appointed work; that the main

causes producing division have either wholly passed away, or become in a great degree inoperative; and that two bodies, bearing the same name, adopting the same Constitution, and claiming the same corporate rights, cannot be justified by any but the most imperative reasons in maintaining separate and, in some respects, rival organizations; and regarding it as both just and proper that a Reünion should be effected by the two Churches, as independent bodies and on equal terms; we propose the following terms and recommendations, as suited to meet the demands of the case:

1. The Reünion shall be effected on the doctrinal and ecclesiastical basis of our common standards; the Confession of Faith shall continue to be sincerely received and adopted "as containing the system of doctrine taught in the Holy Scriptures;" and its fair, historical sense, as it is accepted by the two bodies in opposition to Antinomianism and Fatalism on the one hand, and to Arminianism and Pelagianism on the other, shall be regarded as the sense in which it is received and adopted; and the Government and Discipline of the Presbyterian Church in the United States shall continue to be approved as containing the principles and rule of our polity.

2. All the ministers and churches embraced in the two bodies shall be admitted to the same standing in the united body which they may hold in their respective connections up to the consummation of the Union; and all the churches connected with the united body, not thoroughly Presbyterian in their organization, shall be advised to perfect their organization as soon as is permitted by the highest interests to be consulted; no other such churches shall be received; and such persons alone shall be chosen Commissioners to the General Assembly as are eligible according to the Constitution of the Church.

3. The boundaries of the several Presbyteries and Synods shall be adjusted by the General Assembly of the united Church.

4. The official records of the two Branches of the Church for the period of separation shall be preserved and held as making up the one history of the Church, and no rule or precedent which does not stand approved by both the bodies shall be of any authority until reëstablished in the united body.

5. The corporate rights, now held by the two General Assemblies and by their Boards and Committees, shall, as far as practicable, be consolidated and applied for their several objects as defined by law.

6. There shall be one set of Committees or Boards for Home and Foreign Missions, and the other religious enterprises of the Church, which the churches shall be encouraged to sustain, though left free to cast their contributions into other channels, if they desire to do so.

7. As soon as practicable after the Union shall be effected, the General Assembly shall reconstruct and consolidate the several Permanent Committees and Boards which now belong to the two Assemblies, in such a manner as to represent, as far as

possible, with impartiality, the views and wishes of the two bodies constituting the united Church.

8. When it shall be ascertained that the requisite number of Presbyteries of the two bodies have approved the terms of Union as hereinafter provided for, the two General Assemblies shall each appoint a Committee of seven, none of them having an official relation to either the Board or the Committee of Publication, who shall constitute a Joint Committee, whose duty it shall be to revise the Catalogues of the existing publications of the two Churches, and to make out a list from them of such books and tracts as shall be issued by the united Church; and any Catalogue thus made out, in order to its adoption, shall be approved by at least five members of each Committee.

9. If, at any time after the Union has been effected, any of the Theological Seminaries, under the care and control of the General Assembly, shall desire to put themselves under Synodical control, they shall be permitted to do so at the request of their Boards of direction; and those Seminaries which are independent in their organization shall have the privilege of putting themselves under ecclesiastical control, to the end that, if practicable, a system of ecclesiastical supervision of such Institutions may ultimately prevail through the entire united Church.

10. It shall be regarded as the duty of all our judicatories, ministers, and people in the united Church to study the things which make for peace, and to guard against all needless and offensive references to the causes that have divided us; and, in order to avoid the revival of past issues by the continuance of any usage in either Branch of the Church that has grown out of our former conflicts, it is earnestly recommended to the lower judicatories of the Church, that they conform their practice in relation to all such usages, as far as consistent with their convictions of duty, to the general custom of the Church prior to the controversies that resulted in the separation.

11. The terms of the Reünion shall be of binding force, if they shall be ratified by three fourths of the Presbyteries connected with each Branch of the Church within one year after they shall have been submitted to them for approval.

12. The terms of the Reünion shall be published by direction of the General Assemblies of 1867, for the deliberate examination of both Branches of the Church, and the Joint Committee shall report to the General Assemblies of 1868 any modification of them they may deem desirable, in view of any new light that may have been received during the year.

13. It is recommended that the Hon. DANIEL HAINES, and the Hon. HENRY W. GREEN, LL.D., of New-Jersey, DANIEL LORD, LL.D., and THEODORE W. DWIGHT, LL.D., of New-York, and Hon. WILLIAM STRONG and Hon. GEORGE SHARSWOOD, LL.D., of Pennsylvania, be appointed by the General Assemblies a Committee to investigate all questions of property and of vested rights, as they may stand related to the matter of Reünion, and

this Committee shall report to the Joint Committee as early as the first of January, 1868.

14. It is evident that, in order to adapt our ecclesiastical system to the necessities and circumstances of the united Church as a greatly enlarged and widely extended body, some changes in the Constitution will be required. The Joint Committee, therefore, request the two General Assemblies to instruct them in regard to the preparation of an additional article on this subject, to be reported to the Assemblies of 1868.

Signed by order of the Joint Committee,

CHARLES C. BEATTY, *Chairman.*

EDWIN F. HATFIELD, *Secretary.*

NEW-YORK, May 7th, 1867.

Leaving their Report with the General Assemblies and the ministers and churches of their denomination throughout the land, your Committee cannot disregard the Providential auspices under which their recommendations await decision. The present is thought to be a favorable time, now that many questions of former controversy have lost their interest, for adopting a magnanimous policy suited to the necessities of our country and the world. The Presbyterian Church has a history of great renown. It has been intimately associated with civil and religious liberty in both hemispheres. Its republican and representative character, the parity of its clergy, the simplicity of its order, the equity of its administration, its sympathy with our institutions, its ardent patriotism in all stages of our history, its flexible adaptation to our heterogeneous population, its liberal support of schools, colleges, and seminaries designed for general education and theological culture, its firm and steadfast faith in the extension of the Redeemer's Kingdom, and that by means of revealed truth and the special effusions of the Holy Spirit in distinction from all trust in human arts and devices, all unite to promise, if we are wise and faithful, a future for the Presbyterian Church in these United States greater and better than all the past. Amid the changes which have occurred around us, we are confident that nothing true and good will ever recede or decay; and it becomes all those who love the same faith, order, and worship, abounding in love and hope, to pray that God would count them worthy of their calling, that they may fulfil all the good pleasure of His goodness and the work of faith with power, that the name of our Lord Jesus Christ may be glorified in them, and they in Him, according to the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Signed by order of the Committee,

WILLIAM ADAMS, *Chairman.*

NEW-YORK, May 7th, 1867.

The report of the Special Committee to whom the above Report was referred is as follows:

The Committee, to whom was referred the Report of the Special Committee, appointed by the last General Assembly to confer with a similar Committee on the desirableness and practicability of reüniting the bodies which they severally represent, would respectfully report:

That they have given the document committed to them a careful consideration, in view of its grave importance, and the manifold interests it involves in its relations to our own Church and the progress of the Kingdom of Christ in the earth. It presents a basis for the proposed Reünion, which, if the two Assemblies so order, is to be submitted to the deliberate examination of both Branches of the Church for one year, subject to such modifications as may appear necessary or desirable within that period. It leaves the General Assemblies of 1868 free to act with reference to these terms of Reünion, in whole or in part, as providential signs may indicate; and, if advisable, to submit them to the constitutional and final action of the Presbyteries. Ample opportunity is thus afforded for a full and deliberate consideration of the whole subject, in all its bearings, as they shall affect local interests or the well-being of the entire Church.

For this and kindred reasons, your Committee conclude it was not the intention of this body, in referring to them this proposed basis of Reünion, that its several articles should be discussed at this time and place; and yet they cannot withhold their conviction, expressed in these general terms, that results have already been reached full of promise and hope; that, whatever concessions have been made, they only indicate how near the two parts of the divided Church have approached each other; that nothing more and nothing less than Christian charity would dictate has been yielded; and that, in the adjustment of any difficulties or differences, a proper regard has been preserved for the honor and rights of the respective bodies, to which the work of their Joint Committee is now submitted. The remarkable unanimity with which these initiatory proceedings have been concluded, after a thorough and frank discussion of the basis of Union, is full of encouragement; and whatever may be the ultimate result, much has already been accomplished for the healing of our divisions, and the promotion of peace and good-will in the Presbyterian body.

Impressed with these considerations, and gratefully recognizing therein the guiding providence of God in the successive stages of this work of concord, and especially the spirit of wisdom and love given to His servants in their several conferences, we do recommend, that this Assembly approve of the whole action of its Special Committee as declared in their Report, and that the same Committee be continued for the purposes for which it was constituted.

There is a single point on which the Joint Committee ask instructions from the two General Assemblies. It relates to the changes in representation, etc., which will be required to adapt

our ecclesiastical system to the necessities and circumstances of the united Church. We would recommend, that it be left to the Joint Committee to examine carefully the whole subject, and suggest such changes in the Constitution as in their wisdom they may deem requisite.

It is further recommended, that the report of the Joint Committee be published under the authority of the General Assembly, for general distribution among our ministers and churches.

It is also recommended, that the Assembly appoint the several gentlemen designated by the Joint Committee as legal advisers, and that, in case of the inability of any one of them to serve, the Committee have power to fill his place.

It is indicative, we would believe, of the temper of this Assembly, the largest during our history of thirty years since the separation, that your Committee, though representing the extremes of our territory, and even the lingering memories of the conflict which culminated in the division, are of one mind in desiring the speedy and permanent Reünion of our beloved Church. It is but reasonable to anticipate, that the same spirit will characterize the action of the other Assembly, in the recollection of the fraternal, not to say magnanimous, advances made one year ago, and which gave rise to present measures for Reunion, and the hope increasingly and fondly cherished in the great Presbyterian household. Other members of that renowned family, than those represented in the two Assemblies now in session, at home and across the sea, are stirred in sympathy at the goodly prospect. The friends of Christian Union everywhere claim an interest in the completion of our work, so happily begun, as another sign of the predicted day when all Christ's people shall be one, keeping the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace.

The report of the Standing Committee on Home Missions was taken up. Pending its consideration,

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

WEDNESDAY, May 22d, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Messrs. George W. Lane, Nathan Lane, and John P. Crosby, Esq., were duly elected, by ballot, Trustees of the Church Erection Fund, to serve for three years.

The Rev. Patrick Fairbairn, D.D., and the Rev. James Wells, the Delegates, duly accredited, of the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland, addressed the Assembly, and were responded to by the Moderator.

A communication was received from the Rev. Edward D. Yeomans, D.D., one of the Delegates of the General Assembly of the other Branch of the Presbyterian Church. E. A. Raymond, Esq., the other Delegate, addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

THURSDAY, May 23d, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and occupied the opening hour with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Standing Committee on Publication presented their report, which was amended, adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee, to whom were referred the Fifteenth Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Publication, and the Thirteenth Annual Report of the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, having carefully examined these documents, would respectfully report, that the progress which is indicated by the report of the Publication Committee, in the work to which they were assigned, is truly gratifying and encouraging.

From being an experiment of somewhat doubtful success, it has become a fixed and permanent fact, and has been relieved of certain limitations previously imposed, so that the Committee may now issue religious books and tracts of any character, which may be demanded by the pastors and members of our churches, and by our Sabbath-Schools. Thus the way is prepared for it to become the source of supply of the religious literature demanded by our denomination. We should aim to make it, in the largest possible sense, the *Publication House of the Presbyterian Church.* To this end it should receive the patronage and support of our ministers and laymen. From it clergymen, as far as possible, should replenish their libraries, and our lay brethren furnish religious reading for their families. In this way it should be sustained and encouraged and enlarged in its operation.

While we are much gratified with the valuable additions it has been enabled to make to its published works during the past year, we trust that this work has only just begun, and that, in a short time, it will be enabled to add to its list such a number and variety of works, and to afford them at such prices, as will be an inducement to those belonging to our Branch of the Church, and to many without, to purchase from that source their needed or coveted supply.

This Publication House is a child of our own creating, and we are under the most imperative obligations, as Christian men, adequately to sustain it and provide for its future development.

It should be enabled to keep a reasonably large and well-assorted stock of publications on hand, not only for sale to its patrons, but also for gratuitous distribution to those who are unable to purchase. Its tracts and standard volumes should be sown broadcast among the poor of our churches. For this, means must be had, money must be provided; and your Committee see no way in which this can be done, but by giving diligent heed to our collections for this purpose. Notwithstanding all that previous Assemblies have said on this subject, these collections continue to be entirely too small, and many of our churches do not take them at all. This condition of things must be remedied, or this vital interest of our Church must prove comparatively a failure. Will not pastors and elders see to it that an annual collection is taken in their churches for this purpose?

So, also, we must look to this same source for a complete and perfected literature for our Sabbath-Schools. This is a necessity greatly felt by our churches, and for the lack of which we have been subjected to the grossest impositions, by which hundreds of volumes have found their way into our Sabbath-School libraries which are entirely unfit for perusal by our children and youth. This can only be remedied by furnishing the right kind of literature for ourselves; and we are gratified to know that our Committee stand ready, from their own publications, and from carefully selected publications of other houses, to fill orders to any amount for books for Sabbath-School libraries. It seems to us that our own churches should be instructed and exhorted to look in this direction for their supply of Sabbath-School books.

We are gratified to learn that the attention of our Committee has been turned to the wants of our German population, and we have no doubt that they are prepared to do all that, under the circumstances of the case, is wise and best upon the subject.

The Report before us refers to our *Presbyterian Monthly*, and asks what directions the Assembly will give concerning it? It seems that its circulation is exceedingly limited, and its cost far exceeds the receipts from its patrons. Shall it be discontinued, or shall it be modified?

It was established in accordance with a felt need by our ministers and churches; and, in the opinion of your Committee, that need is as great now as it was then. We believe the principal difficulty with this Magazine to be, that those who conduct it have attempted to make it accomplish too much, and thus have failed to popularize it. A pamphlet of only twenty-four pages cannot successfully serve as a monthly organ for six of our Permanent Committees. The little, that can be crowded into the space allotted to each Committee, cannot continue to gain the attention and excite the interest of the churches. Such an arrangement produces a small fragmentary pamphlet, without unity of design or symmetry of execution. Nor is there any necessity that this should be the case. What need is there that our Foreign Missionary Committee should occupy any considerable portion of this

Magazine? Is it necessary that the *Missionary Herald* should be supplemented with four meagre pages in the *Presbyterian Monthly?* The *Missionary Herald* is our organ for the Foreign Missionary work, and our Foreign Missionary Committee in their report urge its increased circulation; and why not concentrate our efforts in that direction, instead of attempting to thrust upon our churches a duplicate of four pages in our *Presbyterian Monthly?*

We need a *Monthly* mainly for our work of Home Evangelization, which should be under the control of a single mind, and filled with materials of the deepest and most thrilling interest, gathered, according to the discretion of the editor, from the several departments of our home work.

A monthly periodical, in order to be sustained, must interest its readers, and to this end it must be filled with facts and incidents tersely and vividly stated, so that they may affect the heart as well as inform the mind. Prosy essays and sermonic exhortations should be scrupulously rejected—they will kill any periodical.

We recommend that our *Presbyterian Monthly* be put into the hands of our Publication Committee, to be edited and conducted substantially upon the principles herein indicated—that it be numbered with their publications for which they are responsible, and that we pledge ourselves to sustain them in this work.

Your Committee would suggest that it be afforded as cheaply as possible, and that every inducement and facility be held out to secure its circulation.

It is probably too much to expect that such a periodical will sustain itself; but we believe it will make up the deficiency a hundred-fold by the increased liberality of our churches.

We are gratified to learn that the *Church Psalmist* still maintains a firm hold upon the affections of the churches, as is evinced by its introduction into new congregations and the sale during the past year of nearly nine thousand copies.

We also rejoice at the success of our *Social Hymn and Tune Book.* It is fast becoming a great favorite with our churches. In those excellent qualities which eminently fit it for the use it was intended to subserve, it is unsurpassed by any similar work.

It is also recommended that the following members of the Permanent Committee, whose term expires the present month, be reëlected, namely: Rev. N. S. S. Beman, D.D., Rev. Albert Barnes, Mr. Alexander Whilldin, Mr. Frank L. Bodine, and Rev. George F. Wiswell, D.D.

Your Committee most heartily approve of the doings of the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, as set forth in their Report.

They would recommend the reëlection of the following Trustees, whose term of office expires during the present sessions of the Assembly, namely: John C. Farr, Esq.; Charles S. Wurts, M.D.; Rev. Daniel March, D.D.; Rev. William T. Eva, and Rev. Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D.

They would also recommend that Rev. Albert Barnes and Mr. Alexander Whilldin be elected Trustees, to serve the unexpired

term, one year from this time, of Rev. Thomas Brainerd, DD., and Matthias W. Baldwin, Esq., deceased.

The Special Committee on the work among the Freedmen presented their report, which was accepted and placed upon the docket.

The Standing Committee on Home Missions, to whom was referred an Overture from the Synod of Cincinnati, asking the Assembly "to direct the Permanent Committee of Home Missions to continue the appropriation (under certain specified conditions) made for the support of ministers, in all cases where they are entitled to such support, after the relation of such ministers and the churches they are serving are dissolved," report, recommending that the Overture be answered in the negative.

The plan proposed requires a radical change in the Constitution of the Committee, and in its modes of operation.

The Committee are instructed to aid the feeble churches as such, and not to support the missionaries.

Should any missionary, however, leave his field of labor before the expiration of the term for which he has been commissioned, and enter upon another, he can be commissioned again by the same method, and on the same principles as at the first.

The report was adopted.

Adjourned until 3 o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

THURSDAY, May 23d, 3 o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Standing Committee on Sabbath-Schools presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Sabbath-Schools, having carefully considered the subjects assigned to them by the General Assembly, would respectfully report as follows:

There can be no doubt that, in the multiplicity of absorbing interests demanding the notice of the churches, a Cause, requiring so much patience in its consideration, and so much wisdom in its management, as the Sabbath-School Cause, might easily be passed by, with the indifference of those who are not intelligent concerning its need and its power, and with the indolence of those who are.

The instruction of children is the last attainment and the high est reach of Christian grace. Never, until the Church has com- to leisure for serious study, and to advanced spirituality in experience, can those who are its natural leaders be prevailed upon candidly to estimate and provide for the wants of the little ones

in the fold. The best proof of high civilization is found in the toy of a child. Not one has ever been discovered in the excavations of Rome; not one was ever found among the ruins of Pompeii. It has been reserved for the glory of the Christian Church to seek the happiness and the spiritual good of the babes and sucklings, out of whose mouth God has ordained praise. And yet, so little is this appreciated, that its utterance even now is likely to fall on many of our best minds as the mere extravagance of a harmless enthusiasm; not to be rebuked, indeed, for it is so amiable; but not to be heeded as a philosophical fact, for it is considered extreme.

We mark with much pleasure the endeavors made by our Permanent Committee, during this first year of its existence, in the direction of the literature which is passing into the hands of the youth of our congregations. The criticisms published in the Monthly Magazine are very valuable, and, if continued, will be of essential help to those who are commissioned to select books for our libraries.

The columns of statistics in the printed Minutes are already so crowded, that it seems impossible to grant their request for additional space, in reporting teachers and officers as distinct from pupils. We hope that it will be understood among the congregations, that the annual reports are intended to include all the legitimate members of the schools, officers, teachers, and scholars of both Church and Mission Schools.

No one can fail to observe the disabilities under which the Permanent Committee has been laboring during the past twelve months. It has had no Secretary to act as its medium of intercourse with the churches, and no positive constituency whatever to extend to it countenance, or furnish it decorous support. These brethren seem to us to merit praise for having had the courage even to attempt to accomplish any thing whatever in such circumstances.

But surely it cannot be expected, that any organization like this can hold its proper place with due dignity, or be in any degree effective in its designated work, under embarrassments so multiplied. The Committee has done organically all it could, and done it well. But there can be no wisdom, and there is no generosity, in continuing even in existence a Permanent Committee, which is obliged to exhaust its efforts upon mere compilation of statistics from the printed Minutes, or look for its necessarily accruing expenses to the unauthorized assessment of a few "residents in Central and Western New-York." To be sure, the General Assembly owes its sincere thanks to those friends of the Sabbath-School Cause who have willingly responded thus far to the call; but the great denomination it represents can ill afford, to permit any one of its organized Committees to make peristently this mendicant show for itself, or send out its official circulars on such a pitiful errand. We ought to do more, or do less at once.

Hence all the members of the Standing Committee are disposed to heed, on the instant, the request already made to the Assembly, that a Corresponding Secretary should be appointed, bearing the same relation to this branch of our benevolent effort, as those officially recognized in the departments of Home Missions, Education, and Publication bear to the respective Committees which they now serve. This Secretary ought to be clothed with the requisite authority, to go officially among the congregations, as the honored representative of the Church at large; and should receive a salary adequate for his competent support, so as to be able to devote his time and his gifts to the important work assigned him.

If it be asked, What need is there for such a Secretary? we reply, first, there is all the need for a Secretary that there is for such a Committee, and the more need now, in that the Committee has been organized; and we reply, second, that there is all the need for this Secretary and Committee in our denomination that there is in any.

If it be asked, Why not continue to do our Sabbath-school work in connection with coöperative societies? we reply that already have our brethren of every name deserted us to all intents and purposes. The Baptist, the Episcopal, the Reformed Dutch, the Methodist, and in New-England the Congregational churches, have in turn established and now support each a denominational Sunday-School Union, retaining meanwhile their position in others merely to control their publications and activities. And, furthermore, it ought to be remembered that the present question is not concerning the institution of an organization, but concerning its efficiency. Our Committee is already established; the question is: Shall it attempt to do any of its prescribed work?

Moved by considerations like these, the Standing Committee would recommend at once, that the request laid before the Assembly be granted, and that the Permanent Committee be authorized to appoint a Corresponding Secretary; but we find ourselves embarrassed by some other complications which force us to hesitate.

It is doubtful whether all of our churches are ready to receive so suddenly, as a denominational charge, the entire Sabbath-School Missionary operations which we have been accustomed hitherto to do in coöperation with others; whether the Permanent Committee itself has already completed and compacted its new organization, sufficiently for it to assume the responsibility of an undertaking so extensive as this promises to be; whether the other official Committees of our Church have adjusted their relative duties so nicely, as to be prepared to welcome at once into a dignified and acknowledged equality this one, which in many of its characteristics will be new; whether the best man for the desired Secretaryship could be found on call, or, at any rate, could be selected wisely, before the Committee should by experience have grown somewhat acquainted with its own essential wants; whether, in case of an organic connection in frontier work with

the remaining Committees, the consideration of another and more central location, and consequent reorganization, of the Permanent Committee might not be forced upon the Assembly; and whether a measure, so important as this, would command the cordial consent and respect of those among the most prudent of our counsellors, to whom we are wont to look in all exigencies, at a time when their minds are heavily occupied with questions of great gravity, demanding instantaneous decision, and embracing the whole polity of the Church.

These are among the first and most pressing reasons, which constrain the Standing Committee to withhold their recommendation, at the present time, concerning any new appointment of a salaried Secretary. Still they feel bound to receive, with great consideration, the request preferred by those in whose matured conclusions they would be glad fully to coincide. And they feel free to express the confident hope, that the history of the year to come will have so far made the way clear, that another Assembly will experience none of the hindrances which embarrass this.

With a view to help forward a result so much to be desired, the Committee avow it as their conviction, that the precarious support now permitted to this Permanent Committee ought to be established on a firm basis; the countenance extended to it ought to be open and full; its work ought to be urged forward, and at its disposal ought to be placed all necessary means for its efficiency, so that it may become a thoroughly organized agency in all that belongs to the Sabbath-School Cause.

The Standing Committee therefore recommend to the General Assembly the adoption of the following resolutions:

1. That the congregations and Sabbath-Schools within our bounds be invited and urged to make generous contributions, during the present year, in behalf of the general work represented in the plan upon which this Permanent Committee was established.

2. That this organization be recommended cordially to the sympathy and coöperation of all our churches, as our agency in the various branches of Sabbath-School work; and that they be earnestly requested to transmit their funds through its hands.

3. That the Permanent Committee be instructed to proceed at once to their legitimate work, disbursing the moneys they receive in the several ways opened to them in the providence of God; the establishment of new schools, and the succoring of those which are feeble; the sustaining of missionaries commissioned by the Home Missionary Committee; the supplying of libraries in connection with the Publication Committee, and all the kinds of religious work among the children, especially in our own land, to which their wisdom shall point with hopes of success.

4. That the Permanent Committee be instructed to elect at once a Treasurer, whose duty it shall be each year, under its direction, to report receipts and expenditures of all funds intrusted to them to the General Assembly.

In laying this burden upon the Permanent Committee, we feel

some little reluctance, but we trust that those brethren, who have already shown themselves so worthy of the confidence reposed in them, will accept it as a labor of love, in the hope that, by the end of another year, when their work shall become settled, their need become definite, and their resources become respectable, the Assembly will be ready to place this Committee on an equal foundation with the others.

It only remains for us further to recommend that Rev. Samuel M. Campbell, D.D., Rev. Charles P. Bush, Rev. Marvin R. Vincent, and Mr. Josiah P. Bailey be elected to membership in the Permanent Committee, to serve three years; also that Mr. Edward Bristol, of Buffalo, be elected for the same class in place of Samuel Field, Esq., and Mr. Andrew A. Smith, of Brooklyn, be elected for one year in place of Mr. Ralph Wells, who has declined to serve.

The First Presbyterian Church of the City of HARRISBURGH, Pennsylvania, was chosen as the place for the meeting of the next General Assembly; and the Session of that church were appointed a Committee of Arrangements for that meeting.

The Records of the Synods of Albany, Utica, Onondaga, Geneva, Susquehanna, Genesee, New-York and New-Jersey, Pennsylvania, West-Pennsylvania, Michigan, Cincinnati, Wabash, Peoria, Wisconsin, Iowa, Minnesota, and Missouri, without exception, and those of the Synods of Western Reserve and Ohio, with exceptions, which were duly recorded, were, on the recommendation of the respective Examining Committees, approved as far as written. The Committees on the Records of the Synods of Indiana, Tennessee, and Alta California reported, that those Records have not been forwarded to this General Assembly. The report was accepted, and the Committee discharged. The Committee on the Records of the Synod of Illinois presented a report, which was accepted and put on the docket.

The Standing Committee on Education presented their report, which was accepted, and placed on the docket.

Adjourned until 7½ o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

THURSDAY, May 23d, 7½ o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and united with a large number of their fellow-Christians in the celebration of the Lord's Supper.

After the service, adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.

FRIDAY, May 24th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and occupied the opening hour with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The Committee on Mileage presented their report, which, with thanks for their laborious and faithful services, was adopted, and is as follows:

The Committee on Mileage respectfully report:

That they have received, for the Commissioners' Fund,		$7130 69
" " " " " Contingent Fund,		748 91
		$7879 60
The bills of necessary traveling expenses of Commissioners amount to.....	$6046 00	
Contingent expenses.....	1400 00	
		$7446 00
Leaving a balance of.....		433 60

Two Presbyteries only have failed to pay any thing to the Assembly's Fund, namely, Osage and San Francisco.

Eight Presbyteries have only paid enough to secure the Minutes of the Assembly, namely, Champlain, Chenango, Harrisburgh, Monroe, Marshall, Washtenaw, Kalamazoo, and Chariton.

Fourteen have paid but a part of their assessment, namely, St. Lawrence, Oswego, Utica, Onondaga, Cortland, Tioga, Lyons, Buffalo, Genesee, North River, Rockaway, Philadelphia Fourth, Huron, and Franklin.

Your Committee would respectfully call the attention of the Assembly to the custom, followed by certain Presbyteries, of withholding a part of their assessment, in order to secure in full the traveling expenses of their own Commissioners, thereby showing an unwillingness to take the risk of their fellow-members on this point. The generosity and fairness of this procedure may well be questioned. By the promptness of the great majority of the Presbyteries, none have suffered in *this* instance by the policy referred to.

Your Committee do not understand that inability to meet the rule of the Assembly is offered as a justification. They hope none of their successors will be obliged, in the discharge of their duty, to refer to a matter so disagreeable.

The Committee recommend that the assessment of *six cents* per member be continued for the next year.

The Committee recommend that the Assembly appropriate from the surplus funds an amount sufficient to cover the necessary traveling expenses of the Committee on Reunion for the year past, and also for the present year.

The Committee recommend, that the necessary traveling expenses of such of the Commissioners as are entitled thereto be paid in full.

The appeal of Silas Miller against a decision of the Synod of Illinois was taken up.

It having appeared that the appeal was regularly taken, the sentence appealed from, the reasons assigned by the appellant for his appeal, and the whole record of the proceedings of the Synod of Illinois, including the testimony, and the reasons of their decision, were read.

The further consideration of the case was then suspended during the remainder of this session.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported a memorial suggesting a change in the order of exercises in the churches, with the recommendation that no action be taken upon the subject. The report was adopted.

The same Committee reported a paper respecting German Missions, the addition of a German member to the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions, and the establishment of a German College, which was referred to the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions.

Adjourned until 2½ o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

FRIDAY, May 24th, 2½ o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

Reports were received from the Delegates to Corresponding Bodies: from the Rev. J. Few Smith, D.D., to the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church; the Rev. Herrick Johnson, to the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church; the Rev. Joel Parker, D.D., to the General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church; the Rev. Edwin A. Bulkley, to the General Convention of Vermont; the Rev. Conway P. Wing, D.D., to the General Association of Connecticut; the Rev. Francis S. McCabe, to the General Association of Massachusetts; and the Rev. George I. King, D.D., to the Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin; all of which were accepted, and ordered to be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes.

A Report was received from the Rev. Henry Little, the Delegate to the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, which was accepted, and referred to a Special Committee consisting of the Rev. William C. Wisner, D.D., the Rev. George A. Lyon, D.D., and Mr. Joseph Ditto.

The Committee on the Polity of the Church reported an Overture, asking "whether a vote of a Session entitles a person to the privileges of the Church, who is not baptized and has not made a public profession of faith?" They recommended the following answer:

The vote of a Session does not entitle an *unbaptized* person to the privileges of the Church, for the reason that baptism, as our Confession of Faith declares, (chap. xxviii. sec. 1,) is declared to be "a sacrament for the solemn admission of the party baptized into the visible Church."

The public profession of one's faith may, for sufficient reasons, as our Directory of Worship allows, be omitted; but the exceptional case does not respect baptism, which precedes the admission of the party to the Lord's Table. The vote of the Session to this effect must be conditioned upon the baptism, and can in no case be a substitute for the sacrament itself.

The report was adopted.

The same Committee reported a memorial, asking for certain action of the General Assembly to prevent the division and destruction of our churches in the State of Iowa by the agency of Congregationalists.

The Committee recommended the following answer:

That it is inexpedient to take such action as the memorialist desires, in the belief that a strict adherence to the rules already established, both by the American Home Missionary Society and our own Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions, will prevent, so far as their respective agencies can control the matter, collision in the work of Domestic Missions.

The report was adopted.

The same Committee reported the following Overture and reply:

The Presbytery of Athens and the Presbytery of Catskill have severally presented requests, that this General Assembly will direct,

1. That in the column marked "Address," in the roll of ministers and churches as at present printed, the address of each church be entered opposite the name of the church, instead of that of the minister.

2. That the blanks for our statistical reports be so amended as to present a fuller view of the objects to which our benevolent contributions are given.

Your Committee are of the opinion that any alteration of the "Address" in the Minutes, or of the blanks for statistical reports, is inexpedient at present, and recommend that no action be taken by this Assembly requiring it.

The report was adopted.

The same Committee reported an Overture, asking whether "it is proper for the deacons of our churches to officiate on sacramental occasions when the elders are present?"

The Committee recommended that, inasmuch as we have no rule in relation to the subject, the matter be referred to the discretion of the Sessions of the churches. The report was adopted.

The same Committee presented the following report, which was adopted:

A paper from the Synod of Albany, containing some suggestions or resolutions in relation to the use of liturgical forms of worship, which they desire to be adopted by this General Assembly, was considered by your Committee this morning, when it was

Resolved, That, as the usages and forms of the Presbyterian Church have been so uniform and acceptable for years past, from their scriptural simplicity; and as no extensive departure from, or change of, these usages and forms is likely to take place in the Presbyterian denomination, therefore it is the judgment of this Committee that no action by this Assembly is at present demanded.

The same Committee reported two inquiries from the Presbytery of Iowa City, in respect to which a majority and minority report were presented. Pending their consideration, the Assembly proceeded to an order of the day.

The Rev. John C. V. Hoes, D.D., the Delegate of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church, addressed the Assembly, and was responded to by the Moderator.

The consideration of the appeal of Silas Miller was resumed. The Rev. George I. King, D.D., of the Presbytery of Schuyler, was heard for half an hour, by request and in behalf of the appellant.

Adjourned until to-morrow at 8½ o'clock A.M.

Concluded with prayer.

SATURDAY, May 25th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and occupied the morning hour with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The consideration of the appeal of Silas Miller was resumed. The Rev. Edwin Black was heard in behalf of the session of the church of Tuscola, one of the original parties in the case. The Rev. George I. King, D.D., was further heard in behalf of the appellant. The members of the Synod present were then heard in explanation of the grounds of their decision.

The further consideration of the case was deferred until the afternoon session.

The Committee, to whom was referred the report of the Delegate to the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, reported the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That, while the General Assembly would not be considered as censuring in the least the Rev. Henry Little, our Delegate to the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, believing that he acted conscientiously and according to

the best of his judgment, they would, nevertheless, express the opinion that their Delegates are under obligations to fulfil the mission to which they are appointed, and have no authority virtually to terminate, by their own act, a correspondence between this Assembly and another ecclesiastical body.

On the recommendation of the Standing Committee on Leave of Absence, it was

Resolved, That the General Assembly earnestly recommend to its Presbyteries, as far as possible, the appointment as commissioners of those only who are *able* and *willing* to remain to the close of its session, to the end that *all* the work of the Assembly may be performed by *all* its members.

It was further

Resolved, That this Assembly recommend to each of the Presbyteries to take effectual measures to secure an annual meeting of the elders of its churches.

Adjourned until 2½ o'clock P.M.
Concluded with prayer.

SATURDAY, May 25th, 2½ o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The consideration of the appeal of Silas Miller was resumed. The roll of the Assembly was called, and opportunity given to every member to express his opinion on the case. After which the final vote was taken, when it appeared that the decision of the Synod of Illinois in the case of the appellant, Silas Miller, was confirmed.

Hon. Henry W. Williams, LL.D., John P. Crosby, Esq., and William H. Jessup, Esq., were appointed a Committee to prepare a minute expressive of the sense of the Assembly in passing the vote.

Adjourned until Monday next at 8½ o'clock A.M.
Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 27th, 8½ o'clock A.M.

The Assembly met, and occupied the opening hour with devotional exercises.

The minutes of the sessions of Saturday were read and approved.

A communication was received from the General Synod of the

Reformed Presbyterian Church, recently in session at New-York City, relative to a General Convention, looking to the Union of all the Presbyterian Bodies in the country, was referred to a Committee, consisting of the Rev. Sherman B. Canfield, D.D., the Rev. William H. Goodrich, D.D., and the Hon. Peter Odlin.

The Standing Committee on Ministerial Relief presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Committee, to whom was referred the subject of Ministerial Relief, beg leave to report:

That the object of this fund, and the mode of administering it, meet their entire approbation. The Master has said, with special reference to spiritual labor, "*the laborer is worthy of his hire*," and certainly the laborer, when worn out with hard work, or disabled from it by old age, should be entitled to the pittance of his daily bread, till he is called to his rest.

The necessity and propriety of this fund for Ministerial Relief may be seen from the following considerations:

The usual inadequacy of ministerial support for any purpose of accumulation, or provision for long continued disability or helpless old age. Ministers and their families have the same wants as persons in other positions in life; their children are to be fed and clothed and educated. But with the exception of those few settled in our cities and larger villages, and abler churches, the remuneration for their labor is barely sufficient for their pressing daily wants; and it is believed that no class of men are accustomed to practise a more rigid economy and prudent outlay. The difficulties and embarrassments in this regard are greatly increased, in these times of high prices, by the fact that the salaries of ministers have not been advanced in proportion to the advance in the expenses of living, or in proportion to the advance of remuneration for other kinds of labor. As long as ministers can labor, they can live, because none know how to exercise a wiser economy; but, when laid aside, if they have nothing to fall back upon, and no personal friends to extend the helping hand, they must be subjected to privation and suffering; and their wives, if left widows, and their children, if left orphans, with their former dependence swept away, should be regarded as entitled to special sympathy and aid from the friends of Christ.

The long pastorates are *few*; where *they* exist, there is very little danger that the pastor or his family will be neglected in their days of want. They are provided for by a very kind remembrance of long and laborious service, and by a warm affection on the part of their people, that is better for them than a life insurance. Many of our ministers are subject to frequent changes of place. A few years of service in one place, and then in another, establishes no special claim anywhere; and especially is this fact true in reference to our Home Missionaries and those doing pioneer service in the Church; when disabled or laid aside from age, they feel that they have no home and no friends; that they are

remembered by no one of the congregations which they have served, with sufficient interest to make sure a careful looking after their temporal comfort.

It is only in the absence of all other means of support that disabled ministers are expected to lean upon this Fund for ministerial relief. In the great majority of cases of the disabled and the aged, a Divine Providence presents some method of relief, without the necessity of resorting to the scanty pittance afforded by this Fund. Sons and daughters, religiously trained, feel it a privilege to honor their parents, by supplying their wants, when those parents have passed beyond the period of remunerative labor. It is only when Providence presents no other method of relief, that this Fund comes in with its timely aid. The plan of thus affording relief is so well arranged, and so carefully guarded by the necessary steps to obtain that relief, that there is very little danger even of a wrong appropriation.

The Committee would renew the recommendation of a former Assembly, that each church connected with the Assembly be requested to take an annual collection in aid of this Fund for ministerial relief. A timely sermon, now and then, setting forth the claims of such an one as Paul, the aged, wearied and worn out in the service of the Church, would be quite sure to meet a response on the part of the people amply sufficient for all the purposes of the Fund. This is only the third year of the existence of this Fund in our branch of the Church, but since its establishment the interest of the churches in it has been steadily increasing, while the applications for relief have been increasing in just about the proportion of the increase of interest. Worthy applicants are supplied to the full extent of the Fund, and to keep up this system of needed relief there must be a constant supply from the churches.

The Committee feel, also, that the object contemplated by this Fund is one which may well be commended to those moneyed men in the Church who are desirous of leaving their charities in a position of permanent usefulness. What more noble charity can there be, what more acceptable to the Master, than to minister to the necessities of those of His disabled and aged servants who have spent their lives in the toils of Christian labor, and are only lingering in this world till the Master shall call them to their reward in the next?

The Committee would, also, call the attention of each Presbytery to the importance of having a Standing Committee, through whom applications for relief may be made. The rules of the Fund require, that every applicant should apply for aid through the Committee of his own Presbytery. Such a Committee is necessary, not only to indorse the first application, but every renewed application. Serious inconvenience and needless delay and expense have been occasioned, in consequence of the neglect to appoint such a Committee.

Finally, the Committee would suggest, that the class of minis-

ters and their families, for whose relief this Fund has been established, should not be forgotten or overlooked in the prayers of Christian people.

A paper conveying a request in behalf of Mr. Silas Miller, that his case be referred to the Synod of Illinois for final action, was referred to the Committee appointed to prepare a minute on the decision of the Assembly.

The Standing Committee to nominate Delegates to Corresponding Bodies presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows: To

1. The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, that met this year at Cincinnati, Ohio: Rev. John C. Smith, D.D., of the Presbytery of the District of Columbia, and the Hon. William Strong, of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Third, Principals; and Rev. Halsey Dunning, of the Presbytery of the District of Columbia, and James W. Kerr, M.D., of the Presbytery of Harrisburgh, Alternates.

2. The General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church: Rev. Thomas Lippincott, of the Presbytery of Alton, Principal; and Rev. John M. Bishop, of the Presbytery of Salem, Alternate.

3. The General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America: Rev. Clement E. Babb, of the Presbytery of Hamilton, Principal; and Rev. Rollin A. Sawyer, of the Presbytery of Dayton, Alternate.

4. The General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America: Rev. A. Augustus Wood, D.D., Principal; and the Rev. Samuel H. Gridley, D.D., of the Presbytery of Geneva, Alternate.

5. The General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church in North-America: Rev. George A. Lyon, D.D., of the Presbytery of Erie, Principal; and Rev. Samuel M. Sparks, of the Presbytery of Pittsburgh, Alternate.

6. The General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States: Rev. Henry E. Niles, of the Presbytery of Harrisburgh, Principal; and the Rev. Thomas H. Robinson, of the same Presbytery, Alternate.

7. The General Conference of the Congregational Churches of Maine: Rev. Francis B. Wheeler, of the Presbytery of North River, Principal; and Rev. A. Bordman Lambert, D.D., of the Presbytery of Troy, Alternate.

8. The General Association of New-Hampshire: Rev. Burtis C. Megie, of the Presbytery of Rockaway, Principal; and Rev. Selden Haines, of the Presbytery of Utica, Alternate.

9. The General Convention of Vermont: Rev. Timothy M. Hopkins, of the Presbytery of Geneva, Principal; and Rev. Benjamin Grves, of the Presbytery of Dayton, Alternate.

10. The General Association of Massachusetts: Rev. J. Glentworth Butler, D.D, of the Presbytery of Philadelphia, Third,

Principal; and Rev. Ezra H. Gillett, D.D., of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, Alternate.

11. The General Association of Connecticut: Rev. T. Ralston Smith, of the Presbytery of New-York, Third, Principal; and Rev. Erskine N. White, of the Presbytery of New-York, Fourth, Alternate.

12. The Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin: Rev. George Duffield, Jr., of the Presbytery of Knox, Principal; and Rev. Edwin L. Hurd, of the Presbytery of Schuyler, Alternate.

The report was adopted.

The designation of Delegates to the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland, and the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, was referred with power to the Standing Committee of Nominations.

The Standing Committee on Foreign Missions presented their report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Foreign Missions have given careful consideration to the Report of the Permanent Committee, and such other papers as have been given by the General Assembly to their charge, and present the following results of their deliberations:

Your Committee regret that the review of the year should again show, that a very large proportion of our membership (nearly one fourth) make no contribution to the work of Foreign Missions, and that the amounts given are so small, being on an average of but about ninety-eight cents per member throughout our whole Church.

Your Committee are aware that, in the number of non-contributing churches, are found exclusively our feeble churches, many of them missionary churches and themselves struggling for a bare existence. Yet we believe that no church or individual can be so poor as to be exempt from the duty, or so weak as to be deprived of this great means of grace—giving to send the Gospel to a heathen world.

Your Committee are of the opinion that a lack of information, in respect to the necessities of the world abroad, is practically the main and efficient cause of the want of interest, and of the inadequacy of the contributions. Unless there be an acquaintance with the work being done, interest is impossible. They feel most who know best.

Regrets should lead to a proinpt and efficient remedy. This remedy, your Committee suppose, is easily within the reach of every pastor. Very many pastors are lamentably ignorant of the foreign missionary field, and are unwilling to give the time necessary to acquire information. It is not wonderful that they do not impart what they do not possess.

If each pastor should interest himself, by a systematic acquaintance with what God is doing in the heathen world through our

missionaries, and should become familiar with the men through their work, he could scarcely fail to communicate his awakened zeal to his people. Who can doubt that any church, made acquainted with the location of only a few mission stations, made familiar with the names, character, and labors of even a few missionaries, would inevitably be found giving of its means to sustain them?

Your Committee, in behalf of the General Assembly, would most earnestly urge, upon all pastors and stated supplies, the duty of personal familiarity with the work of God in foreign lands, and a diligent and careful impartation of more or less detailed knowledge of this subject to their people, believing, as we do, that this would without doubt secure a response from even the feeblest church.

Closely allied to this topic is the use of our missionary publications. The circulation of the *Missionary Herald* should be promoted. Under its new and efficient management it is more than ever valuable. Your Committee would suggest, also, that the Permanent Committee be directed to make, as far as practicable, a systematic use of the *Presbyterian Monthly* magazine, publishing extracts from the letters of our missionaries at as early a date as possible after their receipt, and giving such other facts as shall be calculated to awaken a personal concern in the reader with the brethren gone out from our churches.

Your Committee regard with deep interest the correspondence which the Permanent Committee have had with our missionary brethren during the past year. The letters from these brethren, at once noble and touching, draw them more closely than ever to our hearts. It is to be hoped that this correspondence so happily begun will be continued and extended.

Your Committee have been deeply affected by the earnest pleadings of our overworked missionaries for help. We cannot but regard with great solicitude the fact, that the accumulated labors of our brethren abroad have laid one and another aside, and threaten to send others to premature graves. Will not our young men listen to those almost despairing cries for help?

With these sorrowful feelings, your Committee mingle rejoicings over the fact that, during the year past, an unusual number have offered themselves to the foreign missionary work, and that God has been graciously pleased to revive, in our seminaries, the missionary spirit, which in other days sent many brethren, very able and very dear, to the heathen world.

An overture has been placed in the hands of your Committee from the Presbytery of Monroe, asking "That the General Assembly will take into consideration the propriety of receiving the mission now under the care of the Rev. R. G. Wilder, at Kolapoor, India, into its care."

An overture from the Presbytery of Detroit, making the same request, and asking that the General Assembly would "refer the whole matter to a special committee," has by the vote of the General Assembly been committed to us.

While your Committee cannot but admire the most energetic efforts of Mr. Wilder to sustain this mission, and cannot cease to rejoice in its success, yet to accede to this overture, and receive this mission under the care of the General Assembly, would be to inaugurate an entirely new and different system of carrying forward our foreign missionary work. This we feel assured the General Assembly is not at present prepared to do. We, therefore, recommend that the overture be answered in the negative.

Your Committee find, embodied in the Permanent Committee's Report, an earnest letter from one of our missionaries among the Indians, petitioning the General Assembly to memorialize our National Congress, and to "ask that Indians, like all other persons, be declared subject to the criminal laws of the United States, and that provision may be made for the appointment and support of officers to enforce our laws among them." The Permanent Committee also "express the hope, that this General Assembly will give heed to the earnest request," etc.

On a very careful consideration of the subject, your Committee are of the opinion, that the facts upon which these requests are based are too broadly, at least if not incorrectly, stated, and that however, through the inefficiency and corruption of officials, and especially through a low and wicked public sentiment, they are badly administered, yet our laws intend to protect the life and property of the Indian, and that, when in reach, he is under their provisions both for protection and for punishment.

When it is remembered that the Indian tribes are independent, and that treaties are made with them as separate nationalities, it will be seen at once that to petition Congress to extend our criminal laws over them, in a larger sense than now, would be to ask that their acknowledged independence be taken away, and their whole status and relation to the government changed. This would involve great questions of civil rights and citizenship which clearly do not lie within the province of this Assembly to discuss.

While, then, we sympathize most deeply with our brethren among the Indians in their trials, and rejoice with them in their successes, and while we feel most profoundly the wrongs crying to heaven that the Indians suffer, yet we do not see that it is proper for the General Assembly to accede to the request which we have now considered.

Your Committee take this occasion to express their profound concern, when they perceive that, while each of the other great benevolent Causes of our Church has made gratifying progress, this of Foreign Missions alone has remained stationary or has relatively retrograded. Our Church seems to have lost in a measure a sense of its profound importance.

The Cause of Missions is one. There ought not to be, as there cannot be on a proper consideration of the subject, any antagonism between the departments of Home and Foreign Missions; and any view which would exalt the one above the other, or seek to

advance the one at the expense of the other, is at once short-sighted and mistaken.

The command of Christ, "Go ye to the lost sheep of the house of Israel," was given to the seventy timid, childish disciples, who knew scarcely that he was the Messiah; it was lost, and evermore to be forgotten, in the sublime command from an ascending Christ, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the Gospel to every creature." The promise, full of boundless blessedness, "Lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world," was in the same breath with that which gave this great commission. The world-discipling Church is the Christ-containing Church.

The hour, when with narrow selfishness she begins to care only for her own, is the hour when she begins to lose the presence of her Master. A Church, not a missionary Church sending the Gospel abroad, is a dying Church. Her history proves it. The days of her home power have been the days of her missionary zeal. It has been so in the past, and our statistics show to-day that churches which have made the largest contributions to Home Missions have been those which exhibit the fullest to Foreign Missions; and that, for every foreign missionary sent abroad, ten have been sent to the home field. We believe that it would be disastrous beyond measure to the piety and power of our Church, were the idea to prevail, that to promote home evangelization our foreign work must be forsaken.

We can never disobey, ignore, or hold in abeyance the great command of the Lord Jesus, without the veiling of His presence and the withdrawal of the Holy Spirit, the Life Power of the Church. We can no more effectually enkindle her love and quicken her zeal for her home work, than to fill her with a tearful solicitude for a heathen world.

The Rev. Robert R. Booth, D.D., Rev. John McLeod, Rev. Alfred E. Campbell, D.D., Mr. William Churchill, and Mr. Oliver E. Wood, are recommended for election on the Permanent Committee of Foreign Missions, to the full term of three years; and the Hon. Horace J. Poinier and Hon. John Torrey, to fill the vacancies occasioned by the resignations of Hon. William E. Dodge and Hon. Edward A. Lambert.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the General Assembly recommend to its churches the observance of the week, beginning with the first Sabbath of January next, as a week of special prayer for the conversion of the world.

Resolved, That the General Assembly recommend the observance of the day of special prayer for colleges and seminaries of learning.

The report of the Standing Committee on Home Missions was taken up, adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee on Home Missions, in presenting their

report, cannot refrain from expressing their thankfulness to the great Head of the Church, for the large measure of success, that has attended the operations of the Permanent Committee for the last year. They are grateful, that we have been permitted, as a Church, so greatly to enlarge, during the year, the number of our missionaries; that so many calls from different parts of the field have reached us for new laborers; and that the Church has responded to these calls by a large increase of pecuniary assistance. In these facts, they discover cheering evidence of the growth of the spiritual life of the Church, of the sanctification of its members, and of their increased sympathy with the great Head of the Church in His benevolent purposes for our ruined humanity. Remembering that the preceding ecclesiastical year was distinguished by a great outpouring of God's Spirit, that two hundred and fourteen revivals are specially mentioned in our Presbyterial Narratives for that year, they cannot fail to regard this enlargement and quickening of our missionary activities, as a Church, as one of the happy results of these seasons of spiritual refreshment. Our people having first "given their own selves unto the Lord," it was natural that they, like the primitive churches of Macedonia, should abound in this grace of liberality also. From this striking coincidence your Committee cannot but hope, that we may all learn wherein lies the true secret of the Church's power, and her highest preparation for the work of either our country's or the world's evangelization; and that our present ecclesiastical year, full of the power of the Divine Spirit in our churches, may thus become a year of great advance in the work of Home Missions.

But the great occasion, that your Committee feel for thankfulness to Almighty God, for the success of the past year, is the fact that they regard it as only a prophecy of greater advance in the future. That steady progress which has marked the work of our Permanent Committee, ever since its organization, we believe, is not only to continue for the year to come, but is to be greatly accelerated. And, while it may not exactly come within the province of this Standing Committee to attempt, by any argument, to magnify before the Assembly this work, yet to two particular features of this great enterprise they cannot forbear a very brief allusion.

What we do for our country should be done *quickly*. The present time is particularly opportune for labor in this department of Christian effort. Society, in many portions of our land, broken up and rendered fearfully chaotic by our long struggle for universal freedom and union, is now fast crystallizing anew. The population of our new States and Territories, heretofore, in many instances, so scattered as to be almost inaccessible to our missionary labor, is now fast gathering into centres along our newly built or recently projected railways. Rumors of war in the old world, united with hopeless political oppression, is stimulating emigration, and is bringing, in large numbers, to our shores the papal and

semi-infidel population of Europe. Now, then, is preëminently the time for Home Missionary work. "The King's business requires haste." When society shall have again been in this land reörganized, and these new centres of population and trade shall have been established, and this tidal movement Westward of the nations shall be at its full, the difficulties of evangelization will all be fearfully increased.

The other thought, that on this subject your Committee ventures to suggest, regards the peculiar adaptation of our own Branch of the great Church of Christ to this work of home evangelization. Without saying one word to the disparagement of any other Christian denomination, we only express our enlightened judgment when we affirm, that our advantages and facilities for Christianizing America, and consequently our responsibilities to engage in this work, are unequalled by any of our sister churches. With a polity so flexible and yet so firm as to enable us to have an indefinite growth at the extremities without at all weakening our central life; with a government in such admirable accord with the genius of our civil institutions; with a ministry scriptural and at the same time highly cultured; and, above all, with a love of freedom and hatred of oppression that was strikingly manifested *before* as well as *during* and after the war; we believe ourselves possessed with the true elements of a successful evangelism, in a larger measure than any of our brethren. The great foreign population of the North-West, so true to our country in the days of her deepest darkness, and so true now to the principles of universal liberty and political equality, we may reasonably hope, will be peculiarly accessible to the missionaries of a Church that has, at least, been among the foremost of the most fearless in its advocacy of the same principles.

Recreant, then, to our duty will we be as a Church, if we do not go forward immediately and boldly to occupy this whole land for Christ. As to the amount of money that our churches should aim to raise for this object, during the present year, the Committee have not thought it wise to speak definitely. A sum, but a little larger than that raised this year, would be so far below the actual wants of the Committee that we dare not mention it; and a sum, at all adequate to the ever-increasing demands that Providence makes upon us, might prove too heavy a burden for the faith of the timid to carry. We can only earnestly exhort all our churches to abound in their liberality for this object; and in every case to seek to secure, if possible, a large advance upon the contributions of the last year.

The points, on which the Permanent Committee in their Report, ask to be instructed by the General Assembly are two:

1. The work among the Germans: How is it to be conducted? The Standing Committee, after a careful consideration of the subject, are unanimously of the opinion that, while the work is one of vast moment and should be prosecuted with vigor, all questions with regard to the manner of conducting it can best be

decided by the Permanent Committee themselves, and to their wisdom would they refer the whole subject. At the same time, however, they desire to call the special attention of those Presbyteries, who have a large number of this nationality within their bounds, to their duty to do what they can to bring them under the influence of evangelical truth. The good work that has been accomplished by some of our Presbyteries among this people, they believe, might be repeated by others.

2. With regard to the Cherokee nation, and the question whether the Permanent Committee should endeavor to send missionaries among them, and revive the churches once established there, your Committee, recognizing the hand of God in the way in which these calls have reached us, are satisfied that it is our duty to occupy, if possible, this field. Churches planted by the toil of our missionary brethren of the American Board, and so fervently prayed for by our fathers, and even by ourselves, should not be permitted to die, if, by any instrumentality in our power, their life can be maintained and their future growth secured. So far, then, as the claims of other portions of the field will allow, and so far as God in His Providence may supply suitable men, the Committee hope that we shall soon, as a Church, give to these sons of the forest the precious Gospel of Christ.

To that part of the Report of the Permanent Committee, which refers to their plan of bringing the missionaries into closer contact with the churches, by designating some one as the correspondent of any individual, family, or Sabbath-School, that will pay into its Treasury the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars annually, we desire to call the special attention of the General Assembly. Already largely successful, your Committee believe that its efficiency, both in deepening the missionary spirit in our churches, and in enlarging their benefactions to this Cause, may, and ought to be, greatly increased. The contributions of our Sabbath-Schools to benevolent objects, already great and constantly increasing, ought largely, we think, to flow into the channel of Home Missions. Our children should be early taught to give to the great charities of their own Church, and should have awakened in their bosoms just that interest in home evangelization, that a regular correspondence with a laborer in this field would be best calculated to excite. May not a very large number of our pastors and stated supplies secure, from their Sabbath-Schools, the support of at least one of our missionaries? We can hardly estimate the happy results which would flow from a wide extension of this plan of our Permanent Committee.

The following recommendations it has seemed wise to the Standing Committee to make to the General Assembly:

1. That the usual number of copies of the Sixth Annual Report of the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions be printed, and that the Secretary be instructed to secure their general distribution throughout our churches.

2. That the Presbyterial Committees of Home Missions be

earnestly requested, to use their most strenuous endeavors to secure, from every church within their bounds, an annual collection for this object; and, further, that the Presbyters be instructed, at one of their stated meetings, annually to inquire of every church what it has done for this Cause.

3. That the best interests of the cause of Christ on our missionary field require the coöperation of the Committee of Home Missions and the Church Erection Board; and that the general policy of our Permanent Committee, in issuing commissions for fields where we have no houses of worship, should be to act in conjunction with the Church Erection Board, in securing at the earliest possible period so desirable an end. The adoption of this policy of mutual support will, in the opinion of the Committee, multiply the number of self-supporting churches, and thus diminish the number of calls upon the Treasury, and, at the same time, secure to our Church the occupancy of the most important points on the field.

The Committee recommend that Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., William Adams, D.D., Hon. Edward A. Lambert, Joseph F. Joy, and James B. Pinneo, be reëlected as members of the Permanent Committee; and that Walter M. Aikman be appointed to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of J. Milton Smith.

The following Resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That two hundred and fifty thousand dollars is the lowest sum that should be named, as that to be used by our Branch of the Church for the prosecution of the work of Home Missions the present year; and we earnestly urge upon all our churches the duty of greatly swelling their contributions, so that the pressing wants of the West and South may be measurably met, and the Permanent Committee be enabled to make their appropriations on the basis of a quarter of a million.

Resolved, That, in view of the wonderful dealings of Providence with our nation; of the present formative condition of a great portion of our country; of the pressing necessity of *now* moulding the religious character of its people, and of our obligations to the Head of the Church, it is the duty of our Church to raise the greatest possible sum of money during the current year for the Causes of Home Missions and the kindred objects of Church Erection, Education, Publication, and Ministerial Relief.

Resolved, That all the Presbyteries connected with this Assembly, which have not heretofore done so, are requested to adopt, at their next stated meeting respectively, a regular systematic plan of benevolence for the churches under their care; and to enjoin on every church, without exception, to bear its part thereof, and on every Session, or church committee, to adopt such specific plan of effort in their respective churches as will reach every member thereof, and be most efficient under their circumstances in accomplishing the greatest success.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Assembly be presented to

the Hon. Edward A. Lambert, for the able and acceptable manner in which he has gratuitously discharged the duties of Treasurer of the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions.

The report of the Special Committee on the work among the Freedmen was taken up. Pending its consideration,

Adjourned until 2½ o'clock P.M.

Concluded with prayer.

MONDAY, May 27th, 2½ o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

The minutes of the last session were read and approved.

The consideration of the report on the work among the Freedmen was resumed. The report of the Special Committee was referred to the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions with power to act in the matter as they deem best.

The Committee on the Polity of the Church presented a report, which was adopted, and is as follows:

On an overture that appears to respect the introduction into the Church of an order of laymen permanently licensed to preach the Gospel, the Committee propose the following reply:

That, in view of the many dangers and difficulties, and the doubtful advantages of an order of permanent lay licentiates not candidates for ordination, it is inexpedient to take such action as is asked for by this overture.

At the same time, the Assembly would emphatically declare their opinion, that it is both the privilege and duty of *all* Christians to go everywhere preaching the Word as God shall give them ability and opportunity, *after the manner of the primitive disciples.* And the Assembly hereby urge, upon the ministers and church sessions connected with this body, a more systematic and effective use of the zeal and ability of our intelligent eldership and lay element, in the work of evangelization in town and country.

The report of the same Committee on the Overture from the Presbytery of Iowa City was taken up. The overture is as follows:

1. The Presbytery of Iowa City desire the Assembly, "to determine when the rights and privileges of Ruling Elders and private members cease, on their receiving letters of dismission; and whether the same rule obtains as in the dismission of ministers from a Presbytery."

2. "Can a Presbyterian church, under the care of a Presbytery, withdraw regularly, without first asking consent and leave of the Presbytery?"

The answer adopted by the Assembly is as follows:

The established rule of the Presbyterian Church, in relation to the dismission of a minister from his Presbytery, is, "that, in all ordinary cases, all the rights and privileges of an individual in a Presbytery cease when, at his request, his dismission is granted."

He may, however, within any reasonable time before he has used his letter of dismission, return it to the Presbytery, and then claim all his former rights and privileges; but, until he has used his letter, he is amenable to the Presbytery which has dismissed him. See Digest, chap. 2, sec. 8.

Your Committee have not been able to find any specific rule in our Form of Government, or in the Digest, in relation to the dismission of Ruling Elders or of private members from any particular church, indicating the precise *time* when their rights and privileges in that church from which, at their own request, they may be dismissed, cease; but we have no hesitation in declaring our belief, that the same guardian care which is extended over dismissed members is, by the very genius and intent of our excellent Form of Government, designed also for the protection of regularly dismissed elders and private members, as well as for the preservation of the peace and purity of the Church.

We therefore respectfully recommend to this Assembly the adoption of the following Resolutions: That

1. The dismission of a ruling elder, by letter, from a church, terminates his official relations with that church.

2. A letter of dismission, whether issued to a ruling elder or private member, terminates the relations of the person dismissed with the church giving the letter, except so far as said church is responsible for its watch and care over him during the period of transition.

3. These rights and privileges can be regained in that church by returning the letters of dismission to the authority which gave them.

4. These rights and privileges can be secured in any other church within the jurisdiction of this General Assembly, by virtue of such certificates, provided they are presented to the Session thereof within one year from their date; and, until they are presented, such persons are amenable to the church from which the certificates were received.

To the second general question we unhesitatingly reply, that no Presbyterian church, under care of a Presbytery, can withdraw regularly, without first asking consent and leave of the Presbytery under whose care and jurisdiction it voluntarily placed itself.

The Committee on Bills and Overtures reported an overture with reference to a change in the manner of distributing the printed Minutes of the Assembly, with the recommendation following:

That it is inexpedient to adopt the course proposed, as it

would involve the Assembly in an additional expenditure of at least one hundred dollars, to be taken from the Mileage Fund, which is ordinarily not sufficient to meet the claims upon it. It is understood that any Presbytery, by prepayment of the postage on the Minutes to the Stated Clerk, may have their quota sent by mail.

The report was adopted.

The same Committee reported an overture with reference to the Colleges of Rogersville and Maryville, Tennessee, with the following minute, which was adopted:

The General Assembly, regarding with interest all efforts to promote education in every part of the country; and being memorialized by several Commissioners and others to take action in behalf of the Rogersville Female College, and also Maryville College, both in East-Tennessee, though neither is subject to our ecclesiastical control, yet both being, by their charter, distinctively Presbyterian, and projected in the interest of liberal and Christian culture; therefore, the Assembly would commend them to the patronage of all friends of learning and religion as worthy of aid.

The same Committee reported a memorial, asking that the Assembly take more decided action concerning the evil of promiscuous dancing, with the answer following:

In the absence of any specific complaint requiring this body to exercise the authority invoked, and the General Assembly having confidence in the ministers and Sessions connected with the several Presbyteries, as fully competent to do all which is proper and wise for the edification of their respective churches, Therefore,

Resolved, That the past action of the General Assembly expresses with sufficient clearness their disapproval of the practice referred to.

The paper was adopted.

The same Committee recommended the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Resolved, That this Assembly hereby declare their most cordial sympathy with the American Bible Society in its work of supplying the destitute with the Holy Scriptures, and gratefully recognize the tokens of Divine favor which have marked its past history, in the success which has attended its efforts to circulate the Bible, both in our own country and abroad.

Resolved, That, in view of the great and constantly increasing demand for the Scriptures, and the relation of the Bible-work to all the enterprises, home and foreign, which, as a Church, we are endeavoring to promote, we earnestly commend the Society to all whom we represent, as worthy of and needing their greatly increased liberality in its behalf.

The report of the Standing Committee on Education was taken up, adopted, and is as follows:

The Standing Committee, to whom the Annual Report of the Permanent Committee on Education for the Ministry was referred, respectfully report:

The papers submitted to them show gratifying increase of interest and success in the essential work of preparing men for the ministry.

The Theological Seminaries in our connection enjoy augmented prosperity. The number of Candidates for the ministry under care of the Permanent Committee is greater than ever before. The contributions received exceed those of any previous year.

But a few words will show, that there is room for greatly increased interest, and pressing need of it. The number of Candidates averages but little more than one to each Presbytery. Only three hundred and sixty-three churches out of fifteen hundred and twenty-eight have sent in contributions, leaving eleven hundred and sixty-five that have given nothing. An average of ten dollars only from each of these would sustain a larger number of candidates by more than one half than were sustained. A few of the larger churches have contributed liberally; but the exigencies of the Cause demand more liberal contributions from all of this class, and something at the same time from each of the entire number, even the feeblest. Every one should have part in helping those who, for Christ's sake, devote themselves to preaching his Gospel, and who need help in their best training to do it efficiently and successfully. Then, the loudest call which now comes to us from every quarter is for men, more men! Men are needed for vacant churches, some of which are large and influential, and some decaying and ready to die for want of a minister. Men are needed for destitute fields in every direction, in the older as well as newer portions of our country, east and west, north and north-west, and far west, south, and south-west. Men are needed in the foreign field as well as at home. The Foreign Missionary Committee calls for men. The Home Committee calls—churches call. The thronging myriads from the old world, the freedmen, and Indian tribes call. Africa calls. Asia calls. The islands of the sea call. The world calls. And the united call is for men—living, earnest, well-trained, and devoted men. Nothing else. No devices, no other means will answer the call. The men must be had or the work decline, the churches waste, the desolations continue, the world remain in its perishing condition.

Our system to aid in meeting this demand is well organized, and has accomplished much; but much more remains to be done. It is not planning we need, but execution.

Those who have the work in especial charge may well renew their zeal, and should be sustained by our united prayers and co-operation. Ministers and churches should recognize the great demand of the time. More than any thing else *men* are wanted.

With prayer, appropriate means should be associated; young men sought out, encouraged, and aided. Let parents and Sabbath-School teachers hear the call, and repeat it to those under their care, and pray that some of them may be selected and put into the ministry. Let ministers preach upon the subject, that the people generally may know the want. Let the truth be made distinct and obvious, that the preaching of the Gospel is the Divine method of saving men; that for its preaching men must be called of God; that he calls through means, as he carries on other parts of his work of grace in the world; and that labor for the increase of the ministry cannot be in vain in the Lord. Let all the churches regularly contribute to the Education Fund. Let the Presbyteries make the subject a part of the business of their stated meetings. Let all this be done, which is but carrying out the plan adopted by the Assembly, and unfolded in the Education Manual, and we shall be far advanced in supplying the urgent demand. Much will be accomplished directly. More candidates will offer themselves. The number may soon be doubled. There will be sufficient money to sustain them; and instead of fifteen we shall soon be introducing, by this means, thirty or fifty annually to the ministry.

Then more will be accomplished indirectly. Those who can sustain themselves, or be sustained by their friends, will be prompted to undertake the work. Others, who are in a course of education, will devote themselves to it. Others, whose collegiate education has been completed, will hear the call, and consecrate the attainments made for other purposes to preaching Christ and him crucified.

The Committee recommend the adoption of the following Resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That the education of young men for the ministry is essential to the work of the Church in giving the Gospel to the world.

Resolved, 2. That all our ministers be earnestly requested to preach at least once during the year on this subject; and all our churches to take collections and forward to the Committee at an early day, not deferring beyond the Sabbath preceding or succeeding the day of prayer for colleges and seminaries of learning.

Resolved, 3. That the present demand for men gives peculiar emphasis to our Saviour's single direction with regard to the supply of laborers, and should lead all who love him and his cause to pray earnestly, and without ceasing, that the Lord of the harvest will send forth laborers into his harvest.

Resolved, 4. That appropriations be continued at the rate of last year; one hundred and sixty dollars to a theological student, one hundred and thirty-two dollars to a collegiate student, and one hundred dollars to a preparatory student; with liberty to the Permanent Committee to increase the amount in special cases; but in no case to exceed two hundred dollars.

The Committee recommend the appointment of Mr. James W. Dunning to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Walter S. Griffith; and the reäppointment of James P. Wilson, D.D., Robert R. Booth, D.D., J. Glentworth Butler, D.D., Charles S. Robinson, D.D., and Mr. Fisher Howe, to fill the vacancies made by expiration of their terms of office.

The propriety of a change of the day of prayer from the last Thursday of February to the first of that month or the last of January, in order to avoid its recurrence so near the twenty-second of February, and to secure its religious influence earlier in the season, has been suggested. As, however, other bodies than ours, and other Institutions than those connected with us, are interested, we simply name the desirableness of the change, and invite general attention to the subject, that whatever final action may be taken shall be united.

In consideration of the impaired health of our highly respected brother, the General Secretary, Rev. Thornton A. Mills, D.D., to whom the Church owes a large debt of gratitude, especially for his devotion, efficiency, and success in the Education Cause, and in order that his usefulness may be prolonged, we recommend that the Permanent Committee afford him entire relief from active duty for a year, with a competent salary, and make provisional arrangements to supply his place during that time. This recommendation was not prompted in any way by Dr. Mills, but originated with the Committee, and is made as the best result of their deliberations.

The Special Committee on Manses and Ministers' Libraries presented as their report the following resolutions:

Resolved, 1. That this General Assembly direct its Presbyteries to send to the churches under their care a pastoral letter of inquiry and suggestion, with reference to the provision of a manse and a library for the use of the minister in charge of each congregation.

Resolved, 2. That the Stated Clerk of each Presbytery is instructed to bring the foregoing Resolution to the notice of the Presbytery, and to forward to the next General Assembly any information that may be obtained in the answers to the proposed inquiry.

The resolutions were adopted, and the Committee continued.

The Special Committee, appointed to prepare a minute expressive of the sense of the Assembly in passing the vote in the case of the appeal of Silas Miller from the decision of the Synod of Illinois, recommended the adoption of the following minute:

The Assembly, having heard the appeal of Silas Miller from the decision of the Synod of Illinois, the sentence appealed from and the reasons assigned therefor, the whole record of the proceedings of the Synod in the case, including all the testimony and the reasons of their decision; and having heard the original parties

by their counsel, namely, the appellant, by his counsel, Rev. George I. King, D.D., and the Session of the Church of Tuscola, by the Rev. Edwin Black; and having also heard the Rev. Livingston M. Glover, D.D., and others, members of the said Synod, in explanation of the grounds of their decision, and having carefully considered said appeal and the reasons assigned therefor by the appellant, are of the opinion that there is no valid ground for the appeal, in that it does not appear that the Synod exceeded its power and authority in the premises, or that it did any of the matters or things specified in chap. vii., sec. 3, paragraph 3, of the Book of Discipline, as being proper grounds of appeal; and, therefore, the Assembly do now order and direct that the appeal of the said Silas Miller be dismissed, and the decision of the Synod of Illinois be confirmed; and the Assembly further order and direct that, if the Session of the Church of Tuscola do not, within six months from the date hereof, refer the case to the Presbytery of Wabash for a new trial, in accordance with the decision of the Synod of Illinois, then the decision of the said Synod sustaining the appeal shall become absolute and final, and the said Silas Miller shall be thereupon restored to all the rights and privileges which he had and enjoyed as a member of the Church of Tuscola, and from which he was suspended by the judgment and sentence of the Session of the said church.

The report was adopted.

The same Committee reported on the request in behalf of Silas Miller as follows:

That, in the judgment of this Committee, there are no reasonable grounds for the apprehension of the petitioner that, in the event of a reference of his case to the Presbytery of Wabash, he will not have a full and impartial trial; and they, therefore, recommend that the prayer of his petition be not granted.

The report of the Committee on the Records of the Synod of Illinois was taken up and adopted. The book was approved as far as written, with exceptions, which were entered on the records of the Synod.

The Committee to whom was referred the communication from the General Synod of the Reformed Presbyterian Church reported the following minute:

Resolved, That, while the proposal made by the General Synod to this Assembly, in common with all the Presbyterian bodies of this country, to meet in conference at Philadelphia, during next September, for the purpose of taking steps preliminary to a union of all Branches of the Presbyterian Family in the United States, is a most welcome token of the increasing unity of spirit throughout the whole household of God, and, we would fain believe, a harbinger of full fellowship and ultimate union in the visible church of every name; we, nevertheless, feel constrained to decline a share in such a conference at so early a date, for the reason that

measures are already in progress, between the Branches of the Presbyterian Church, whose Assemblies meet in Rochester and Cincinnati respectively, for a reunion of those bodies on specific terms now under consideration; and that these negotiations, until complete, should take precedence of any other discussions or conferences, on our part, on that subject.

Resolved, That we desire, in announcing this conclusion, to express, to our brethren of the Reformed Presbyterian Church, our most cordial regard and sympathy with the spirit of their movement toward general unity, and to assure them that, whenever such a proposition as they now make can be considered, without interference with other plans of union having rightful precedence, we shall not be slow to meet their suggestion, and seek its successful accomplishment.

The report was adopted, and the Stated Clerk directed to communicate the action officially to the body from which the overture came.

The Committee, appointed for the purpose, reported the Narrative of the State of Religion within the bounds of this body. The paper was adopted, and directed to be printed in the Appendix to the Minutes.

The overture on a Sustentation Fund was taken up, and referred to the Special Committee on Manses and Ministers' Libraries.

Resolved, That the Stated Clerk of each Presbytery is hereby directed to examine carefully the annual Minutes of the Assembly, and to bring to the notice of the Presbytery all the acts of the Assembly requiring their attention.

Rev. Daniel March, D.D., Rev. Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D., and Rev. William T. Eva, and Messrs. John C. Farr and Charles S. Wurts were duly elected, by ballot, Trustees of the Presbyterian House, to serve three years. The Rev. Albert Barnes and Mr. Alexander Whilldin were similarly elected, to serve the unexpired terms of Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D., and Mr. Matthias W. Baldwin, deceased.

Messrs. Ezra M. Kingsley, Joseph F. Joy, and Edward A. Lambert were elected Auditors of the Church Erection Fund for the ensuing year.

Resolved, That it is inexpedient, during the sessions of this Assembly, to elect Trustees of the General Assembly, and Directors of the Theological Seminaries.

Resolved, That the Minutes of the Assembly, with the usual Appendix, and the Reports of the Treasurers of the Permanent Committees, be printed under the direction of the Stated Clerk.

The Janitor's bill, the bills for stationery and printing, the traveling expenses of the Delegates to Corresponding Bodies,

and the salaries and traveling expenses of the Stated and Permanent Clerks, were ordered to be paid.

The roll was called, and the following persons were found to be absent without leave: Ministers; David Vandyke and Eli W. Taylor: Elders; George V. Hoyle, Ezra Botsford, Cyrus Sebring, Reuben Sours, William Bradley, Samuel Axtell, Elias Lyman, Samuel Crawford, Harvey Curtis, and Willis M. Sherwood.

The minutes of this session were read and approved.

Adjourned until 7½ o'clock P.M.

MONDAY, May 27th, 7½ o'clock P.M.

The Assembly met, and was opened with prayer.

A letter was read from the Rev. Thomas Guthrie, D.D., one of the Delegates of the General Assembly of the Free Church of Scotland, giving reasons for his absence, and extending to the Assembly the salutations of his Church.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That this General Assembly deem it both a duty and a privilege to make most grateful mention of the bountiful hospitality of the citizens of Rochester, in providing for the entertainment of those in attendance upon our sessions as Commissioners and Delegates. We are under special obligations to the Committee of Arrangements, to the beloved Pastor and the people of the Brick Church, to the Central Church, and to all others who have entertained us, for their happy and most successful efforts to make us forget that we were strangers, by making us feel that we were at home.

Resolved, That we tender our cordial thanks to the Managers of the Mount Hope Nurseries for the invitation to visit their grounds and Green House; to the Athenæum Association for the privileges of their Reading Room and Library; to Mr. O. D. Grosvenor for the facilities afforded at the rooms of the American Tract Society; to the several Railroad Companies which have granted the Commissioners a reduced fare over their roads; to the American Express Company for their generous consideration; to the Press of Rochester for faithful reports of our proceedings; and also to our beloved Moderator for the genial, impartial, and every way commendable manner in which he has justified our unanimous and *viva voce* choice of him to preside over our deliberations.

We deem worthy of special mention the beautiful floral offerings that have greeted us every morning. Our recollections of the fair donors shall be as fragrant in memory as their flowers have been to the Assembly.

And, in ending our brief but delightful association with those who have shown us so much thoughtful regard, we would say, The

Lord bless the dear people of Rochester, the Lord bless and keep them, the Lord make his face shine upon them and be gracious unto them, the Lord lift up his countenance upon them and give them peace.

The business of the Assembly having been completed, and the vote taken for the dissolution of the Assembly, the Moderator, with prayer, and the apostolic benediction, declared the Assembly dissolved, and required another Assembly, chosen in the same manner, to meet at the FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH of the city of HARRISBURGH, PA., on the third Thursday of May, A.D. 1868.

J. GLENTWORTH BUTLER,

Permanent Clerk.

APPENDIX.

I. Annual Narrative

OF THE

STATE OF RELIGION

WITHIN THE BOUNDS OF THE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

IN THE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

MAY, 1867.

Of the one hundred and nine Presbyteries, eighty-six have sent to the Assembly their annual Narratives. These Narratives are, with few exceptions, adapted to make glad the heart of every one who loves the Church of God. They afford cheering evidence of growing compactness and unity, growing liberality, growing piety, growing numbers, growing prosperity and power. They prove that, while corruptions have abounded in society, and the prevailing worldly spirit has been everywhere working out its results, and the wicked have done wickedly, growing worse and worse, the Church has been kept by the power of God, has been accomplishing its work, and giving, in its life, on the whole, a continually higher and purer illustration of the religion of Christ. Above all, they prove the presence of God with us, and his approbation of our efforts to promote his kingdom.

ADVANCEMENT IN PIETY AND CHRISTIAN ACTIVITY,

on the part of churches not blessed with powerful revivals, is one fact brought to view in the Narratives. Many churches, though not perhaps growing rapidly in numbers, have been growing in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Thus, the Presbytery of Chemung reports "no general and powerful revivals, but precious spiritual refreshings of several churches." The Presbytery of Catskill "finds comfort and encouragement in the healthy, vigorous growth of all our churches which enjoy the regular ministrations of the Gospel." The Presbytery of Harrisburgh says, that "a healthy and steady increase of the number and Christian activity of our communicants is very evident in all our congregations." The Presbytery of Genesee says, that "the last year, though

not largely a year of numerical and spiritual increase, has been one of substantial progress and comparative revival." The Presbytery of Delaware reports no revivals, but "a larger increase of members added on examination than during the three years past." The Presbytery of Dayton reports no revivals, but its "churches are stronger and more vigorous in material and spiritual life than a year ago." The Presbytery of Saginaw, without powerful revivals, reports "an almost universal advance in numbers." The Presbytery of Illinois reports "no general awakening, but a prevailing spiritual activity and healthfulness, attended with accessions to the communion, and increasing congregations."

Another thing noticeable in many reports is

THE ABIDING PRESENCE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT,

with special power in many congregations. The Fourth Presbytery of New-York, after speaking of unusually large "accessions to its churches," says that, "though there is not a so-called revival, yet a communion never passes without more or less appearing to confess Christ for the first time. Some of our churches live constantly in this state of spiritual activity, and rejoice in the evidence that the Holy Spirit is ever present with them to bless and to save." The fruits of the revivals reported a year since remain, and the reviving influence is continued in many churches. The Presbytery of Cortland reports "a *sustained* interest following the revivals of a year ago." The Presbytery of Lyons says that "some churches continue to reap happy fruits from the revivals enjoyed last year." The Presbytery of Montrose says: "Tokens of the Spirit's presence are *perpetuated* in many of our churches. The fruits of the last year's revivals are still apparent in the 'burning and shining light' of many churches and individuals." The Presbytery of the District of Columbia says: "The revival spirit of last year, so largely shared by several of our churches, has perpetuated its happy influences through the present, and still promises blessed and cheering results in the future." The Presbytery of Cleveland and Portage says: "The year opened from revivals of great and lasting power, and the ingathering still continues."

The Narratives mention also many

NEW MANIFESTATIONS OF THE POWER AND GRACE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT.

The last year was, like the previous one, though perhaps not so remarkably and extensively, a year of the right hand of the Most High—a year of revivals. In the East, and in the furthest West, where of late some of our brethren have had a new song put into their mouths, the Holy Spirit has been present to bless his people; coming down, in some cases, "as rain upon the mown grass," in others with almost Pentecostal energy; wonderfully lifting up and spiritually enriching old and established churches, and greatly reviving and strengthening those that were ready to die. One hundred and eighty-one revivals are particularly mentioned, not including many "seasons of special interest," marked not so much by conversions as by the spiritual improvement of Christians. The Presbyteries, specially favored in respect of the extent and power of the reviving influence, were, so far as reported, those of Watertown, Utica, Cayuga, Geneva, Erie, Alton, Schuyler, and Galena and Belvidere. Many of these revivals date from "the week of prayer," which was very extensively observed. Among those converted were representatives of all ages and conditions; the majority, in some instances, being children and youth gathered in from the Sabbath-Schools; in others, "a large proportion being adults and heads of families." In respect of *mode*, there seems to have been no uniformity. In some cases

preaching was the prominent instrumentality; in others, and perhaps most, prayer-meetings were chiefly relied on; such meetings being, in some instances, held from house to house, or in school-houses. In reference to the revivals within its bounds, the Presbytery of Erie says, that there was "less formal and regular preaching than has been usual at such times; more prayer and direct personal effort," on the part of Christians. It is worthy of notice that, in some instances, the earnest prayer and effort were grounded in the *expectation* of a great and general outpouring of the Spirit. Thus, the Presbytery of Cayuga says: "There is, we believe, a general and growing anticipation that revivals, here and throughout the land and throughout the world, are to become more frequent and more powerful." It is hardly strange that a Presbytery, animated by such an expectant faith, should be able to report an accession of two hundred and fifty-seven to fourteen of its churches, as the fruit of revivals, which, the Presbytery says, "have added more to the strength and spirituality of our churches than to their numbers."

The glorious work of God in the Allen Street church, New-York, deserves to be particularly noticed, because of its wonderful power and rich harvest of souls, two hundred having been hopefully converted; also because of its peculiar "features." "So deep," says the Third Presbytery of New-York, "and all-pervading has been this work, that it must take a prominent place in the history of revivals in our country." The "leading features" are indicated as follows:

"First. The male members of the congregation were the first to be interested in personal religion. Instead of wives leading their husbands to Christ, as is usually the case, husbands were converted, and then persuaded their wives to believe on the Lord.

"Second. The work was carried forward mainly by prayer-meetings. Preaching services were held only once each week, aside from the Sabbath.

"Third. The relating of individual experience proved, under God, a most powerful agency in deepening religious impressions and thus promoting the revival."

SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

The interest in Sunday-Schools is deep, wide, and increasing. For example: the Presbytery of Catskill reports "increased energy;" the Presbytery of Cayuga, "general enlargement and improvement;" the Presbytery of Rochester, "a much increased and increasing interest;" the Presbytery of Buffalo, "a manifestly growing interest;" the Presbytery of Grand River Valley, "never so great an interest" in Sunday-Schools and the religious instruction of the young. The Narratives indicate that this increasing interest is well-nigh universal in the Church. It is, to some extent, manifested in the formation of "County Sunday-School Associations," "Sunday-School Institutes," and "Teachers' Training Classes;" also in the increasing self-denial and energy of the efforts to reach the poor and neglected classes of society, by the agency of mission Sunday-Schools. Much is done through this agency, especially in the great cities. For example, five churches of the Fourth Presbytery of New-York sustain eight mission schools, in which are taught two thousand five hundred children. A nearly equal number are taught in the mission schools of Chicago.

That the Sunday-School is regarded as an evangelizing agency of the highest importance appears from the following considerations, brought to view in the Narratives:

First. It is an agency by which the latent forces of the Church may be

brought into most effective exercise, and thus the Church built up in character as well as in numbers. "There is a growing opinion," says the Presbytery of Cortland, "that in the Sunday-School the power of the lay element in our churches is to be most efficiently exerted."

Second. It is an agency which operates upon those who yield most readily to gracious influences, and among whom consequently we are to expect the greatest number of conversions. "It is increasingly felt," says the Presbytery of Lima, "that children are the most hopeful subjects of Divine grace." "We must," says the Presbytery of Genesee, "gather the children in, or few of the next generation will be saved."

Third. It is an agency by which, through the blessing of God, many are converted. The Presbytery of Montrose speaks of the "Divine approbation in the saving grace imparted to many taught" in Sunday-Schools. The Presbytery of Erie says, "God is evidently making the Sunday-Schools more and more a source of blessing to the churches." The Presbytery of St. Joseph says, "God has showered down His blessings upon them." The Presbytery of Cortland uses the following language: "Conversions among youth and even little children are frequent, and want of confidence in their genuineness is fast being removed. And such is the faith in God's covenanted and gracious promises, and in the Saviour's care for the lambs of his flock—for of such is the kingdom of heaven—that the feeling is becoming general that the young should be reached as early as possible. *The results of recent revivals of religion have generally tended to flood this sentiment.*"

Fourth. It is an agency which often does excellent service in clearing and breaking ground, and thus preparing the way for the Church with its ordinances. "Much of the *pioneer labor* work," says the Presbytery of Alton, "is done by the agency of the Sunday-School."

Fifth. It not only substitutes the formal stated preaching of the Gospel, but also keeps alive the feeble vacant church. One church is mentioned which owes its continued existence to a Sunday-School. A weak church, with a flourishing Sunday-School, is regarded as "master of the situation." The Presbytery of Union says, "In many of our feeble churches Sunday-Schools have been organized and maintained with a commendable degree of activity and perseverance. In the absence of the living ministry, we rejoice to know that the Sunday-School is doing a good work."

It is thought by some of our brethren that this agency may be improved and rendered more effective. The Presbytery of Lyons expresses the "conviction that the idea of what the Sunday-School should be, and what is positive prosperity in this work needs to be corrected and greatly elevated." And the Presbytery of Marshall says, "A growing desire is felt to know more perfectly the way of carrying on most effectively this enterprise of our Church." The Assembly's Committee are anxiously looked to for light on the subject.

Most of the Presbyteries report an increase of

BENEVOLENT CONTRIBUTIONS.

The increase is an index of the growing consecration and the deepening spiritual life of the Church, and is most gratifying, not only because of its amount, but also because of its direction. The Presbytery of Watertown says, "The benevolence of the Church is becoming gradually more systematic, and directed more to the objects recommended by the Assembly." The Presbytery of Marshall says: "The principle of loyalty to the Assembly in carrying out the full scheme of benevolent effort is being insisted upon." The Presbytery of Indianapolis says: "Our churches appear

more and more the importance of contributing to our regular benevolent objects." What is true of these Presbyteries is true also, to a great extent, of the others, as is indicated by the actual increase of contributions. It is a most cheering fact that, in these times when taxation is so heavy and the cost of living so great, our Secretaries are able to report an increase of over sixty thousand dollars in the contributions to the benevolent funds of the Church. It deserves to be recorded also as a sign of progress, and an example of commendable liberality worthy of imitation, that, in the words of the Fourth Presbytery of New-York, "by one of our churches but little short of one hundred thousand dollars has been given during the year past to advance the kingdom of Christ."

This increase of liberality is cheering as indicating advancement; but it is not to be forgotten that we have not yet attained to the Gospel standard of benevolence, and that, without doubt, the material resources of the Church have not been as yet deeply drawn upon.

EDUCATION, HOME MISSIONS, AND CHURCH ERECTION.

Only the Divine Spirit can work out the solution of the above questions as to money and men. The great need, the fundamental need, is the quickening power of the Holy Ghost, imparting to Christians in a higher degree the "mind which was also in Christ." All that is necessary to secure money in any amount, and men in any number, for the Lord's service is a far deeper, more powerful, more extensive work of the Holy Spirit in the Church. The increased liberality is a fruit of revivals, a fruit of the Spirit; and the same spirit, which takes form in gifts of money, takes form also in men giving themselves to the work of God. In proportion, therefore, as the unworldly, self-denying spirit expressed in gifts and sacrifices deepens and strengthens in the Church, it may be expected that young men in increasing numbers will offer themselves for the work of the Gospel ministry. Accordingly, it is very gratifying to be able to see in this increasing liberality an evidence of increasing love to the cause of Christ, and of growing interest in the work of evangelizing the destitute portions of our country; also a ground of hope and confidence that the means will not be wanting, nor long wanting the men, for the prosecution of this work. The need of its energetic prosecution is very apparent from the narratives. For example, while the Presbytery of Watertown is earnestly endeavoring to solve the problem of preserving the existence of its weakened churches, the Presbytery of Northern Missouri, with only three ministers for its nine churches, asks anxiously, "Are there no men so consecrated to the Lord as to come over and help us?" And the Presbytery of Union, with only seven ministers for its twenty-six churches, says with emphasis, "We need and must have more men."

The Presbytery of St. Louis, within whose bounds the Home Missionary Committee the last year expended $6000, affords an example of the need of a greatly increased outlay in the work of Church Erection. Of the thirteen churches of this Presbytery seven have no houses of worship. The Presbytery says: "There is little doubt that five of them would become almost immediately self-sustaining if furnished with church edifices." Without being thus furnished, however, there is little reason to hope that the large expenditure of the Home Missionary Committee will lead to any permanent results.

MISSIONS TO THE FREEDMEN.

While there is felt to be a want of men, it is, perhaps, not sufficiently considered, that many earnest and faithful men are in want of prosperous

congregations. The great success of the mission in Charleston—a success altogether without parallel among all our missionary churches—illustrates the truth that, besides the need of money and men, there is need also of a field not preöccupied and of a homogeneous population, in order to the highest results. The want of Eastern churches weakened by emigration, and of many Western churches struggling for existence in fields held principally by other denominations, is a *population* that can be gathered into our congregations. The very marked success in Charleston seems to indicate that in the South, in a peculiar sense, "the harvest is plenteous;" and encourages the hope of the happiest results, from further efforts to carry the Gospel to the poor and destitute in that portion of our country.

MINISTERIAL SUPPORT.

Some Presbyteries report an "increase of salaries," but, to a great extent, it is doubtless true that, in the words of the Presbytery of Bloomington, "The standard of ministerial salaries is not up to the necessities of the times." The Presbytery of Cleveland and Portage says: "Four pastors have resigned their charges and been dismissed. Three of these dismissions, at least, were in consequence of inadequate support, which is one of the most serious hindrances to the prosperity of our churches. It is much to be regretted that some way has not been devised in our Church by which a just compensation can be rendered to those who minister at her altars. The inadequacy of ministerial support has become a great and crying evil, which ought to be speedily removed."

REÜNION WITH THE OTHER BRANCH.

It is felt that old controversies, being dead, ought to be buried. The prevailing sentiment strongly favors Reünion, and happy results are expected from it. The Presbytery of Madison sees a "brightening prospect for its feeble churches," in "the changed and changing relations between our own and the other Branch of the Presbyterian Church." The Presbytery of Greencastle says, "The life of some of our churches depends upon it." The Presbytery of Long Island expresses what seems to be the prevailing sentiment in the following language: "The Reünion of the two Branches of our Church is desired by all the members of our congregations, without the exception, perhaps, of a single worshipper in our sanctuaries. We would not do evil to accomplish this Reünion, but we deem the separation *a great sin*. Worthy of reprobation only, in the present condition of our country, is the attempt to revive in our churches a theological and philosophical controversy, which the *pulpit* can scarcely ever have occasion even to touch. We prefer that belligerency should be turned against Romanism, atheism, and other powers of wickedness, and the manifest practical evils which spring from them."

OUTWARD REFORM.

There is an almost general awakening of interest in the cause of Temperance. The Narratives speak, in varying language, of a "fresh interest," of "a very considerable interest," of "a marked resuscitation," of "a decided movement," of a "thorough awakening," of "great exertions and sacrifices," of "vigorous measures to restrain and abolish the iniquitous traffic in intoxicating drinks." One Presbytery says, that "Revival has given an impetus to Reform." The uniform representation is, that intemperance is prevalent, "alarmingly prevalent;" and, while in some congregations "no material progress" has been made, the position of the Church as a body, in relation to this great evil, is "firm and aggressive."

SUMMARY.

God has given us prosperity. It seems clear that we have, on the whole, been gaining ground, as a Church, the past year, and that our position is considerably in advance of that which we held a year ago. There is doubtless room for improvement. Far less has been done than should have been done. But we have been steadily advancing. Looking back over a few years, it is easy to see that a very remarkable change, a very remarkable improvement, has taken place. A new order of things has commenced with us. Having received a new baptism from on High, the Church has been invigorated with new strength and life. The old is passing away, and all things are becoming new. We have got into complete working order. Measures for enlargement, which were at first an experiment, have become a success, and are taking hold more and more strongly upon the confidence and affections of the great body of the Church. God smiles upon us. Having given us a great work to do, he has furnished us for doing it; and our great Master, who has guided us thus far and who is opening the way before us, is in his providences saying to us, "Go forward."

DELINQUENT PRESBYTERIES.

The Presbyteries, which have failed to report to the Assembly are those of Troy, Niagara, North River, Newark, Pittsburgh, Washtenaw, Maumee, Cincinnati, Ripley, Hamilton, Crawfordsville, Fox River, Chariton, Cedar Rapids, Minnesota, Osage, Kansas, Kingston, Holston, San Francisco, San José, and Washoe.

DECEASE OF MINISTERS.

The decease of twenty-nine ministers is reported as follows:

NAME.	AGE.	DATE.	PLACE.	PRESBYTERY.
Andrews, Wells,	79	Feb. 14, 1867,	Washington, Ill.,	Bloomington.
Axtell, Anthony D.,	32	Oct. 17, 1866,	Olean, N. Y.,	Troy,
Brainerd, Thomas, D.D.,	63	Aug. 22, 18 6,	Scranton, Pa.,	Philadelphia, 4th.
Butler, Charles F.,	76	Aug. 13, 1866,	Bedford, N. Y.,	Utica.
Cheever, Ebenezer,	76	Dec. 31, 1866,	Ypsilanti, Mich.,	Washtenaw.
Clark, Justus M.,	55	Feb. 10, 1867,	Ottawa, Ill.,	Ottawa.
Fancher, Ezra B.,	56	Jan. 27, 1867,	McGrawville, N. Y.,	Cortland.
Foot, George,	67	May 3, 1867,	Odessa, Del.,	Wilmington.
Grieve, David H.,	29	Dec. 8, 1866,	Brownsville, Texas,	New-York, 4th.
Grosvenor, David A.,	64	Aug. 11, 1866,	Cincinnati, Ohio,	Elyria.
Herritt, William,	52	Jan. 19, 1867,	Quincy, Ill.,	Schuyler.
Holmes, Sylvester,	78	Nov. 27, 1866,	New-Bedford, Mass.,	Watertown.
Hoyt, James,	48	Dec. 16, 1866,	Orange, N. J.,	Newark.
Johnston, Charles,	78	Oct. 10, 1866,	Ovid, N. Y.,	Cayuga.
Kellogg, Robert R.,	58	Sept. 25, 1866,	Milford, Pa.,	Hudson.
Kerr, George, LL.D.,	52	M'ch 27, 1867,	Cooperstown, N. Y.,	Otsego.
Keys, John,	88	Jan. 21, 1867,	Dover, Ohio,	Cleveland & Portage.
King, John L.,	81	Nov. 10, 1866,	Denver, Col. Ter.,	Detroit.
Luther, Zebulon M. P.,	53	May 22, 1866,	Elmer, N. J.,	Champlain.
Manley, Lyman,	57	April 3, 1867,	Marion, N. Y.,	Lyons.
Osborn, Chauncey,	55	Nov. 30, 1866,	Dearborn, Mich.,	Detroit.
Sharpe, Elias C.,	53	Jan. 5, 1867,	Atwater, Ohio,	Cleveland & Portage.
Squier, Miles P., D.D.,	77	June 22, 1866,	Geneva, N. Y.,	Geneva.
Starr, Frederick, Jr.,	41	Jan. 8, 1867,	St. Louis, Mo.,	St. Louis.
Tenney, Roswell,	..	Aug. 7, 1866,	Marietta, Ohio,	Athens.
Thompson, Manna,	..	Feb. 26, 1866,	Berrien Springs, Mich.,	Kalamazoo.
Tompkins, John,	56	Aug. 15, 1866,	Marcellus, N. Y.,	Cayuga.
Wolcott, William A.,	34	Nov. 29, 1866,	Pultney, N. Y.,	Steuben.
Young, Claiborne,	66	Sept. 9, 1866,	Thorntown, Ind.,	Indianapolis.

By order of the General Assembly,

HENRY A. NELSON, *Moderator.*

EDWIN F. HATFIELD, *Stated Clerk.*

II. Correspondence.

THE REPORTS OF DELEGATES.

I. To the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Moderator: Dear Sir: I was appointed last year by your body to attend the meeting of the General Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, and had made my arrangements to go, but more than half the ministers I have seen of late advise me not to meet with them as a Delegate, because, while you were appointing me last year at St. Louis, they were erasing from their Minutes the good, patriotic resolutions passed in 1865, and voting in their place such anti-patriotic ones as the O. S. *South* would have approved.

If I am wrong in not attending that Assembly as your Delegate, I here confess my fault, and will obey you at any future time you may direct. If my course is right in not meeting that Assembly, I make this as my report to your honorable body.

Most respectfully yours, HENRY LITTLE.

Madison, Ind., May 16th, 1867.

II. To the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America.

According to the appointment of the General Assembly that met in Brooklyn, N. Y., in May, 1865, the undersigned attended the meeting of the General Assembly of the United Presbyterian Church of North-America, held in Allegheny City, Pa., May 31st, 1866.

It was with unusual pleasure that your Delegate presented the cordial Christian salutations of the General Assembly of his own Church to the Presbyterian body meeting in Allegheny City. Alike firm holders of the Calvinistic faith and genuine lovers of the Presbyterian order, the two bodies are also shoulder to shoulder and heart to heart with reference to the great living moral issues of the times. Your Delegate was received with the utmost cordiality and heartiness, and his reference to the recent action of our Assembly on the state of the country and on temperance met with unmistakable tokens of approbation.

He found the body to which he was commissioned full of the missionary spirit, and actively engaged in devising and planning for the more extensive prosecution of the Master's work in a dying world. Especially have they

sought to meet their responsibility as a branch of the Church of God in connection with the Freedmen of the country, aiming to secure to this long oppressed class, by establishing schools and planting churches among them, an intellectual and spiritual as well as a social and political manhood.

With reference to the general subject of the Reünion of all the Presbyterian family, the Moderator was pleased to say, in the reception of your Delegate, that he hoped the time would come ere long when Presbyterians would have not only "'one Lord, one faith, and one baptism,' but *one organization.*"

It cannot be doubted that the Church is at least moving toward unity of spirit. One of the happy results of this exchange of fraternal Christian salutations is already conspicuously manifest. The coldness and bitterness of sectarianism are yielding to the genial warmth and glow of mutual association and mutual sympathy in Christ's work of love.

Respectfully submitted,

HERRICK JOHNSON.

Pittsburgh, Pa., June 11th, 1866.

III. To the General Synod of the Reformed Protestant Dutch Church in North-America.

To the Moderator of the General Assembly:

Dear Sir: As it is not convenient for me to be present at the sessions of the Assembly now being held at Rochester, N. Y., I take this method to report, that I visited the General Synod of the Reformed Dutch Church in its last sessions at New-York City, in accordance with my appointment as a Delegate from our body, and tendered to them the Christian salutations of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America.

I represented to that venerable body, in as full a view as the time would permit, the good work of the Holy Spirit within our bounds, the harmony of our deliberations, the general peace and prosperity of our churches, the growing strength of our institutions of learning, and the success of our missionary work.

I also expressed the confident belief that, so far as it depended upon the friendly tone of our last Assembly, the two Branches of the great Presbyterian Church would, ere long, be harmoniously reünited.

The Synod, by its Moderator, responded in the most kindly way, reciprocating the greetings of our body, and expressing a profound satisfaction in our prospect of Reünion with the other Branch.

It was also obvious, both from the nature of this response and from the deliberations of the Synod to which your Delegate was permitted to listen, that the Reformed Dutch Church, while it is truly conservative, is improvingly progressive. Its churches have been visited during the previous year with refreshing outpourings of the Spirit. Its institutions of learning are becoming very liberally endowed; and its missionary work, both at home and abroad, is carried forward with a good degree of vigor.

Your Delegate was particularly impressed with the deliberations, to which he listened, touching a proposed change in the style of their Church, omitting the word "*Dutch*" from their title, as seeming to indicate a foreign character, while it is, in fact, a truly American Church.

This change completed, as it probably ere long will be, we cannot but indulge the hope that the Reformed Dutch Church, substantially orthodox in doctrine and Presbyterian in polity, may, at no distant period, become,

in form as well as in spirit, blended with the one great Presbyterian body, which, when its scattered members shall become an organic unity, will be, as it is eminently fitted to be, the nucleus of a restored Catholicity to the whole of Christendom.

All of which is respectfully submitted, JOEL PARKER.

Newark, N. J., May 18th, 1867.

IV. To the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States.

To the Moderator of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church:

Reverend and Dear Brother: The undersigned was appointed by the General Assembly, at its sessions in Dayton, Ohio, May 27th, 1864, their Delegate to the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church. Unable to attend its Convention at Fort Wayne, Indiana, in 1866, and learning that my Alternate, the Rev. William E. Moore, would also not be in attendance there, I addressed to the Synod a communication, assuring them of the cordial regard and fraternal feeling of our Assembly.

I have had no information as to the reception of that communication or the disposition made of it.

Very respectfully, J. FEW SMITH.

Newark, N. J., May 14th, 1867.

V. To the General Convention of Vermont.

The undersigned would respectfully report that he sought to fulfil his duty as Delegate to the General Convention of Vermont by personal attendance. But an important engagement with his own Presbytery, which met at the same date, prevented this. He therefore addressed the Convention by letter, assuring them of our continued sympathy and coöperation, and thankfulness at their forwardness and success in the great Gospel work. This has been reciprocated by the appointment of a Delegate from their body, who may be expected to appear and represent them in the sessions of the Assembly at Rochester.

All of which is respectfully submitted, EDWIN A. BULKLEY.

Plattsburgh, N. Y., May 16th, 1867.

VI. To the General Association of Massachusetts.

I have the honor of reporting to the General Assembly that, agreeably to the appointment received by me, I attended the meeting of the General Association of Massachusetts, held at Newburyport, June 26th, 1866. I was received with abundant courtesy and hospitality. In a brief address delivered to the Association, I said that it was not a merely formal matter that I conveyed to them the Christian greetings of our General Assembly, and assured them of our interest in their spiritual prosperity; that, if there have been points of difference as to the best mode of extending the king-

dom of Christ, these are now dead issues, and that it should be our covenant to toil side by side, like true men, with Christian heroism and patience in the accomplishment of the great work to which we are alike summoned and stimulated, by the great promises of which we are the common inheritors.

This address was cordially responded to, on the part of the General Association, by the Rev. Dr. Kirk, of Boston.

The Association appointed a Delegate to attend the next meeting of our General Assembly.

Very respectfully, FRANCIS S. McCABE.

Peru, Ind., May, 1867.

VII. To the General Association of Connecticut.

To the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church:

In accordance with my appointment by the General Assembly of 1866, I attended the meeting of the General Association of Connecticut in West-Winsted, June 19-21, 1866, during the whole time of its sessions. The number of ministers in attendance was as large as usual, and the proceedings were conducted with much spirit and deliberation. The salutations and expressions of Christian fellowship which I endeavored to convey were responded to with evident warmth and appreciation. From the reports of the District Associations, it appeared that, although an unusually large number of ministers had been removed by death, the preceding year had been, for the churches, one of remarkable prosperity. No such extensive and powerful revivals had been witnessed for many years before, and some of these were still in progress. The average amount of contributions to benevolent objects, from each member in communion, was said to have advanced from $3.59 for the previous year to $5.65 for the present year. Much attention was given to the organization and manner of conducting benevolent societies, some of which were subjected to a very searching investigation, which made the final approbation given them the more valuable. Very prominent among the proceedings was the effort to obtain and collect historical and statistical information respecting each church and Association connected with the denomination in the State. An interesting discussion was had upon the peculiar principles and the basis of representation of the Association, but which resulted in no change of either.

A Delegate was appointed to represent the Association in the next General Assembly, and I was requested to bear back to those whom I represented cordial assurances of high esteem for our Branch of the Christian Church, and of their earnest prayer that "our common Master would bless us more and more, and that unity in the faith and unity in love might more and more characterize us all."

C. P. WING.

Carlisle, Pa., May 10th, 1867.

VIII. To the Presbyterian and Congregational Convention of Wisconsin.

The undersigned would respectfully state that, by the appointment of the last General Assembly, he had the honor to represent the Presbyterian Church in the United States in the Presbyterian and Congregational Con-

vention of Wisconsin. He was courteously received by that body, and his Christian salutations from the Assembly met a hearty response.

He found the Convention earnestly engaged planting and building up churches in the waste places, and nobly striving, in this work, to be "in advance of all others." They are doing a great and a good work in that State, and their zeal and energy are worthy our imitation.

It is well known that the Convention was originally designed to occupy the whole ground in that State, so far as the Presbyterian and Congregational Churches were concerned, on terms of perfect equality. Under the fostering care of the Home Missionary Society, however, it has developed itself as a distinctively Congregational body, with all the peculiar features, proclivities, and sympathies which mark that denomination on the Western field. Few or no Presbyterian churches have of late been organized under its auspices; most of those formerly organized have become Congregational in form, and for the Congregationalizing of the remainder the Convention seemed to your Delegate to be somewhat impatiently waiting.

The position of the few remaining Presbyterian churches appeared to be embarrassing and unsatisfactory to all parties, and the query was openly raised in the Convention, whether it would not be better at once to drop the word "Presbyterian" from their title, and become "Congregational" in name as they were in sympathy and in purpose.

Though the Convention has become a powerful body for good, in which we greatly rejoice, yet as an experiment for the uniting of two different kinds of polity in one ecclesiastical organization, it bids fair to prove a failure, which, perhaps, is not to be regarded with surprise or regret.

Most respectfully submitted,

GEORGE I. KING.

Quincy, Ill., May, 1867.

III. Annual Reports.

I. ABSTRACT OF THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH ERECTION FUND.

The annual meeting of the Trustees of the Church Erection Fund was held, June 13, 1866. Rev. Samuel T. Spear, D.D., was elected President, and William A. Booth Vice-President. Jesse W. Benedict was appointed Recording Secretary and Treasurer. The Standing Committees were also appointed, and the Board entered upon the work of another year.

Measures were taken at once toward the election of a Corresponding Secretary, as directed by the General Assembly. Loans and donations continued to be made to the churches under the former Plan till August first, when the new Plan adopted by the General Assembly took effect. The amount of the loans thus made was $2900, and of the donations $878.26.

In accordance with the direction of the General Assembly, "An Address to the Churches, explanatory of the changes introduced into the Plan, and urging the necessity for a liberal contribution to the Fund, to be distributed according to the supplementary article of the Plan," was prepared by Rev. Zephaniah M. Humphrey, D.D., Chairman of the Standing Committee

on Church Erection of the last Assembly, and the same was published by the Board in the papers of the denomination, and in the form of a circular sent to all pastors of churches.

At a meeting of the Board, held on the ninth day of October, 1866, Rev. Frank F. Ellinwood, D.D., was appointed Corresponding Secretary, who accepted, and immediately entered upon the duties of that office, in which capacity he has acted during the remainder of the year. A circular was immediately issued, and other means were employed, to secure a general and liberal response to the request of the General Assembly, that a simultaneous contribution to the supplementary Fund be made on the third Sabbath of December. The whole amount contributed by churches and individuals up to the first of May, 1867, is $18,762.78. There have also been received, as interest accruing from the Permanent Fund, $5535.22, making a total receipt of $24,298.

The whole number of applications in due form which have been received is forty-seven. The amount of aid asked was $46,200. The Board granted forty-four of these applications, to the amount of $20,700, making an average of $490 to each church. Of those granted, seventeen have been paid, amounting to $7600. The others granted and not paid are only waiting the execution of the proper papers. Besides the above, the Board have received informal applications, to the amount of at least $4000.

It has been a matter of painful regret to the Board, that their grants were often necessarily so much less than the amounts called for by the churches and indorsed by the Synodical Committees; but a comparison of the number of applications in hand with the total amount of funds received will suggest a sufficient explanation. But for the very considerable amount of interest accruing from the Permanent Fund, the appropriations of the Board must have been much smaller than they are. The Board have endeavored to pursue the most liberal policy which their resources would permit, and, so far as they have gone, it is believed that the amounts appropriated will compare favorably with those of other Branches of the Church engaged in a similar work.

From the statements already made, it will appear that the coming year must be entered upon with about forty inchoate applications already before the Board.

The amounts to be called for are not yet indicated in every case, but according to the averages of the past year they will ask at least $40,000. With such a beginning, the aggregate calls for the year to come cannot fall short of $100,000. A great impulse has been given to the work of church building in the new settlements of the West. Necessities which have accumulated during the late years of war are now upon us. Everywhere our Home Missionaries are coming to feel more than ever the indispensable importance of houses of worship. And yet it is estimated that over a hundred organized churches connected with this Assembly are to-day without any permanent spiritual home.

DIFFICULTIES TO BE OVERCOME IN THE PROSECUTION OF THE WORK.

1. It has been found that this Cause is one which, from its very nature, is liable to be set aside, on account of its similarity to a variety of home-work in the churches. If a congregation are engaged in building, and feel obliged to omit some collection, this object is generally passed by, for the reason that they are engaged in Church Erection at home. So of repairing churches, paying debts, building parsonages or lecture-rooms, purchasing organs, painting a church, completing a tower, erecting a mission chapel, enlarging a church, etc. Probably one half of all the congregations connected with this Assembly are engaged in some one or more of these enter-

prises every year. They, doubtless, form a valid reason for omitting some Cause from the list of annual benevolences.

It will be borne in mind that our denominational Causes can look for help only to our own churches. The feeble congregations of our order in the West, which have no houses of worship, are not under the direction of voluntary societies which have an appeal to all denominations. They are the children of this Assembly, and the help of the churches belonging to this Assembly is their only resource, their only hope.

2. The cause of Church Erection suffers in comparison with other benevolent objects, from not employing District Secretaries. Most of the benevolent societies are manned with representatives, whose mission it is to visit the congregations and make appeals in person, instead of depending upon the pastors. As it is much easier to set aside a mandate of the Assembly than to refuse such personal applications on the ground, the Cause which is not thus represented always suffers in comparison. Those denominational objects in our Church, which employ but one Secretary, feel the weight of this difficulty more seriously than can be expressed.

It is a matter of great encouragement and satisfaction that so many pastors throughout the Church seem to appreciate the difficulties above named, and are already striving to overcome them by an earnest coöperation.

3. A still further obstacle to the highest success is found, in the difficulty thus far encountered of properly unifying this work in all parts of the Church. Special efforts have been put forth in New-York City and elsewhere to aid the Freedmen of the South in erecting houses of worship.

Large contributions have been made in San Francisco for special cases of Church Erection in the mining districts. The Presbytery of Newark has accomplished a very commendable work in aid of its own German congregations. Several churches in the larger cities have raised considerable amounts, to supply church edifices for new organizations which had colonized from them.

In some of the Synods, especially of the West and North-West, various sums have been devoted to feeble churches within their own bounds, as supplementary to what might be obtained from the Church Erection Board. These efforts are all commendable and useful; but they are attended with many difficulties. All special contributions diminish in nearly the same ratio the amount contributed to the general Cause. More or less they conflict with each other, and perplex the liberally disposed who are expected to give. By that want of coöperation, also, which they imply, they throw a seeming discredit upon the one common method, which the General Assembly has devised for the accomplishment of this work. They also fail to obtain the usual guarantees that the money thus contributed shall be secured to the denomination.

THE PERMANENT FUND.

Whatever may have been the questions of the past with regard to this Fund—questions now finally settled by the wisdom of the last Assembly—it is proper to state, that its value as an auxiliary resource is becoming more and more apparent. It has yielded for church building, during the last year, $5535.22, nearly one third as much as has been received by contributions. Once in every fifteen years, or twice in every generation, it will, at the usual rates, return an amount equal to itself; and the same process will be repeated forever.

MEANS OF INCREASED EFFICENCY.

1. By reference to the accompanying report of the Treasurer, it will be seen that $7037 has been received from churches, in payment of loans

and donations from the Permanent Fund. This is due in part to a provision under the former Plan, which continued in force to August 1st, 1866, by which, on the condition that a certain part of such loans be paid at once, the remainder, not exceeding $200, might be changed to a donation from the Fund.

2. The Board would express the hope that the Synodical Committees on Church Erection will coöperate with them in encouraging the utmost self-exertion of the churches needing aid, since the very largest receipts that can be expected must always come far short of the increasing demands of the work. And it is believed that there will be far less danger of dissatisfaction, if such Committees will themselves place careful limits upon the amounts of the applications which they recommend, instead of leaving the work of limitation wholly to this Board.

3. Very important services have in some instances been rendered to this cause by the appointment of Presbyterial Committees, with a view to producing increased local interest among the churches. It would be gratifying to the Board if such a Committee could be appointed in every Presbytery. It would furnish a source of useful information in the more immediate vicinity of the churches needing aid, and would give to the Cause an official and positive representation in all the smaller ecclesiastical meetings of the Church.

4. The Board have observed in several instances the marked results which have been gained, where pastors have preached a discourse on Church Erection, on taking their annual collections for the Cause. The subject is not well understood by the masses of the people, nor can it be expected through the medium of the pulpit. It is not known that, while so many of our congregations are worshipping in comfortable and even gorgeous temples, there are scores of others which have not even a shelter of any kind which they can call their own. Nor is it sufficiently realized, that the whole future history of a newly settled town or city may depend upon the question, whether the first impress upon its character is made by the influence of a Christian Church. And yet the elements of conviction on these points already exist in the very experience of the people, and need only to be called to mind by the timely suggestions of their pastors and instructors. Many of the older settlements of the Church were once missionary ground, and can themselves bear witness to the value of the missionary work.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE PLAN.

As cases sometimes occur in which members of this Board cease to act as elders in a particular church, still, however, retaining their membership in our churches, the Board would respectfully suggest an amendment of the second article of the Plan by inserting in the tenth line thereof, after the word "elders," as follows: "or persons who have been elders."

ELECTION OF TRUSTEES.

The term of office of Walter S. Griffith, Jesse W. Benedict, and George W. Lane is soon to expire. It will be necessary for the Assembly to fill their places.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL T. SPEAR, *President.*

FRANK F. ELLINWOOD, *Corresponding Secretary.*

II. ABSTRACT OF THE FIFTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN PUBLICATION COMMITTEE.

THE Committee had the satisfaction of reporting to the last Assembly, that the full sum of fifty thousand dollars had been secured for a working capital. The capital thus secured, though small compared with that of other religious publishing houses, and small in fact, being received at a time when its purchasing power was far less than at the time of its proposal, yet placed the Committee in a position to labor with cheerful courage in the Cause intrusted to their care. As it was received, it was applied to the discharge of existing obligations, to bringing the Committee's work upon a cash basis highly favorable to economy, to the issue of new books and tracts, and, during the past year, to an enlargement of the accommodations at the Presbyterian House, rendered needful by the increased and still increasing business of the Committee.

Whilst the Committee could most readily and most profitably invest, for the denomination, in this good work, twice or thrice the amount intrusted to them, yet, in the review of the past, they have every reason to congratulate the churches and the Assembly on the present cheerful condition of the Publication Cause, and to thank that God whose providence brought them out of great straits into a broad place.

Whilst the finances of the Committee have thus happily improved, their list of publications has as decidedly enlarged. Ten years ago the treasury of the Committee contained three thousand dollars of debt and some uncollected subscriptions; its catalogue four tracts, three books, and an Almanac. Now our publications number three hundred and fifty-seven. Of these one hundred and twenty-seven are leaflets, seventy-one tracts, and one hundred and sixty-six books. These publications combine the denominational with the evangelical, the general with the special. Provision is made for the young in a series of catechisms and lessons for the little ones; for the Sabbath-School there is a goodly and growing array of library volumes; for the impenitent and the inquiring are works to awaken and to counsel; for the Christian, books devotional, historical, and controversial; and for the service of song, provision for the Sabbath-School, the social circle, the choir, and the church. Though but a beginning has been made, we may safely say that that beginning is a sound, symmetrical, and promising one, full of hope for the future as of gratitude for the past.

The increase thus attained in our stock of publications has been accompanied by a not less important progress in our ability to give them circulation. At the outset, the Committee had no commercial character or connections. Hence, the issue of our early books did not command for them a sale. Now, by the good hand of our God upon us, all this is greatly changed. "The Presbyterian Publication Committee" is known to the trade; authors turn to it; the press commends its issues, and it is recognized as a power, by our Church not only, but by the writing and reading public. While its list of publications has swelled, its sales have risen from $3715.05 for the year ending May 1, 1858, to $45,190.73 for the year which now expires; indicating, at a glance, the increase of the Committee's business power and facilities.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.—During the year ending with May 1st, 1867, the Committee have added to their list the following publications:

TRACTS OF THE FIRST SERIES, 12mo.

No. 16. PASTOR OR STATED SUPPLY; WHICH SHALL WE HAVE? By the Rev. Alvin Cooper. Price, 3 cents.

TRACTS OF THE SECOND SERIES, 18mo.

No 48. THE DUTY OF CHRISTIAN PEOPLE TO THOSE IN THEIR EMPLOY. By the Rev. William Adams, D.D. Price, 5 cents.

No. 49. BUY YOUR OWN CHERRIES. In 18mo form; price, 5 cents.

No. 50. THE BENEFITS OF THE SABBATH. By the Rev. Henry A. Nelson, D.D. Price, 5 cents.

TRACTS OF THE FOURTH SERIES, 12mo.

FOLLOW ME. By the Rev. M. R. Vincent. Price, 6 cents.

THE AMERICAN PRESBYTERIAN ALMANAC, for 1867. 48 pages, 12mo. Price, 10 cents.

BOOKS IN FLEXIBLE AND PAPER BINDINGS.

THE EPISCOPAL INVITATION. 48 pages, 18mo. In paper, 10 cents. In muslin, 20 cents.

"THE MUZZLED OX." By the Rev. Charles F. Beach. 78 pages, 18mo. In paper, 15 cents. Muslin, 25 cents.

HOW TO GIVE: THE BIBLE WAY. On tinted paper, muslin, flexible, with side stamp, and gilt edges. Price, 25 cents. Paper, 10 cents. Per hundred, in paper, $7.50.

THE SINNER WELCOME. By Rev. Albert Barnes. Large 32mo, in paper. Price, 5 cents.

BOUND VOLUMES.

ANNA CLAYTON; or, The Inquirer after Truth. By the Rev. F. M. Dimmick. With Frontispiece. 427 pages, 12mo. Price, $1.50. A discussion of the Baptist Controversy.

ENGLAND TWO HUNDRED YEARS AGO. By E. H. Gillett, D.D. Five illustrations. 363 pages, 16mo. Price, $1.25.

LIFE BY THE GANGES; or, Faith and Victory. By the late Mrs. Mullens of Calcutta. 288 pages, 16mo, with illustrations. Price, $1.25.

THE BERRY PICKERS OF WISCONSIN. Three illustrations. 245 pages, 16mo. Price, $1.

ALLAN'S FAULT. By Martha Farquharson. Five illustrations. 412 pages, 16mo. Price, $1.50.

MAY CASTLETON'S MISSION; or, Charity Suffereth Long, and is Kind. Four illustrations. 228 pages, 18mo. Price, 75 cents.

ROSE DELANY'S SECRET; or, Charity Envieth Not. By the same author. Three illustrations. 216 pages, 18mo. Price, 75 cents.

DIAMOND CROSS; or, Charity Vaunteth not Itself; is not Puffed up. By the same author. Three illustrations. 222 pages, 18mo. Price, 75 cents. These three neat volumes are furnished in a case, as the Diamond Cross Series, for $2.25.

THE STORY OF MARTIN LUTHER. Edited by Miss Whately, daughter of Archbishop Whately. With Frontispiece. 354 pages, 16mo. Price, $1.25.

GEORGE LEE; or, Making the Best of Trials. By Mrs. Mary J. Hildeburn. Three illustrations. 224 pages, 18mo. Price, 75 cents.

ONLY IN FUN; or, The Teasing Boy. By the same. Three illustrations. 158 pages, 18mo. Price, 50 cents.

OUT AT SEA. Six illustrations. 208 pages, 18mo. Price, 75 cents.

FLOWERS IN THE GRASS. By E. L. Llewellyn. Four illustrations. 214 pages, 18mo. Price, 75 cents.

NIFF, AND OTHER TALES. Three illustrations. 84 pages, 18mo. Price, 40 cents.

DUTCH TILES; or, Loving Words about the Saviour. Nineteen illustra-

tions. Holiday edition, on tinted paper, muslin, gilt, in 12mo. Price, $2.00.

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RAM KRISHNA-PUNT; The Boy of Bengal. 40 pages, square 8vo. Four illustrations. Price, $1.50.

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ENDLESS RETRIBUTION, Universalism Refuted. By the late Josiah Hopkins, D.D. 169 pages, 18mo, cloth. Price, 40 cents.

SOCIAL HYMNS. The Committee have issued the Hymns alone, with the same order and numbering, in a neat 16mo volume. Price, in muslin, 75 cents.

Of THE CHURCH PSALMIST have been sold during the past year nearly nine thousand copies.

A new edition has been published of THE APOSTOLIC CHURCH, by Rev. Albert Barnes. Price, 60 cents.

THE PRESBYTERIAN MONTHLY.

THE PRESBYTERIAN MONTHLY, the magazine recording the benevolent movements of the Assembly, first issued in January, 1866, is now in its second volume. With the commencement of the present year, it was decided by the Committees represented in its pages, that it should be sent gratuitously to all the pastors and stated supplies of our body, with the understanding that they would promote its circulation in the churches. In this expectation the Committees have been disappointed. Whilst many testify to its value, and some secure for it subscribers, in the great majority of our congregations the gratuitous copy sent to the pastor is the only copy received.

The price is one dollar per year for a single copy; for ten or more copies, in one package, and to one address, seventy-five cents a copy, per year; *in all cases in advance.*

The postage, per copy, is twelve cents a year, payable quarterly or yearly, in advance, by the receiver, at the office of delivery.

GERMAN WORK.

It was resolved, by the last General Assembly,

"That a special committee of five be appointed, who shall prepare fresh tracts and books, or, if thought desirable, translations, *to be published in the German language*, in coöperation with the Assembly's Publication Committee, and who shall take into consideration the expediency of publishing a German religious newspaper, adapted to the wants of the German population of the country. The following persons were appointed for that Committee, namely: Rev. Daniel W. Poor, D.D., Rev. George L. Prentiss, D. D., Rev. Johann U. Guënther, Rev. J. J. F. Brunow, and Rev. Nelson Millard."

This Committee have conferred with the Publication Committee, and are maturing plans for this special work, which will be reported by them to the Assembly.

GRANTS OF BOOKS AND TRACTS.

The Committee have expended, in the benevolent department of the work, during the past year, $5500.95. Of the grants of books and tracts which they have made, some have gone to needy Sabbath-Schools, some to our ministers, some to theological students. Tracts have been furnished to home missionaries for distribution, and hymn-books to the young churches that are springing up along our advancing frontier line. From the army and navy have come calls, and even from the distant shores of China, India, and Africa, where our American Presbyterian missionaries feel, and rightly too, that they have a claim upon the Church which they represent among the heathen. To make these donations is a grateful duty, and the only drawback to the satisfaction of the Committee, in this branch of the work, is, that the churches do not enable them to do it far more largely and liberally.

SABBATH-SCHOOL WORK.

In our list of publications marked prominence is given to books for the Sabbath-School, and their distribution is an object of special attention. The needy schools of our body, naturally and properly, suppose that the Publication Committee of the General Assembly are the very persons, to whom to apply for aid in procuring catechisms, libraries, etc. But their calls can be met only as means are furnished for that purpose; that donations may be made by our Committee, donations must be received by them. It will give us very great pleasure if our Sabbath-Schools will send us contributions to be used in aiding feeble schools. We ask the coöperation of our brethren in this good work. During the past year, we have been permitted to assist many of our schools in the Middle, Western, Southern, and South-Western States.

BOOKS FOR MINISTERS.

Many, very many, of our pastors and home missionaries are hungry for books. We are earnestly desirous of doing something for the ministry in this direction. Very few of our ministers can afford to buy books. The salaries that barely maintained their families five years ago, even if increased twenty, forty, or fifty per cent, will do no more now, when the cost of living has advanced a hundred per cent. Books they need to stimulate their minds, to furnish them fresh thoughts, to awaken their devotion, to enable them to make more of what they have. Especially is this true of those who have not the exciting contact of city life, who live away from the focal points of social and intellectual excitement. With these views, the Committee have made a special appeal for contributions for BOOKS FOR MINISTERS. This appeal has met a few responses in contributions of money, and also of books from the libraries of generous donors. They have not been unwisely given.

We propose two modes of meeting the want:

First. Send to the Presbyterian House, 1334 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, the books now in your house for which you have no use. There are thousands of valuable volumes, valuable to somebody though not to you, lying on the shelves of those who will read these words, into which you will never look. If you do not care to pay the freight on them, we will. They will be faithfully used for the benefit of those to whom they will be more valuable than they are to you. Books of little value in one place are highly valuable in another.

Second. Send to us contributions of money to be used for this purpose—to present books to ministers who need but cannot purchase them.

As this will be read by many pastors whose people will not see our Report, let them speak of this call from the pulpit, and solicit from the good men and women of their churches either money or books, or both, for this purpose.

It is not needful that the books be theological, or even strictly religious works. A book of travels, that has been read by its owner, history, biography, or poetry, or children's books, will not come amiss.

HYMN BOOKS.

A missionary secures a hall or school-house in some young town, and announces public worship at such an hour of such a day. The people come together to hear the preacher and to unite in worship. Of those who bring Hymn Books no two, perhaps, will have the same collection. Under such circumstances singing is possible—but no more. Shall or can the Presbyterian missionary persuade them, all at once, to buy the Church Psalmist, or the Social Hymn and Tune Book? Not often. But, if he can have the aid of a donation for those who will not buy, he can readily introduce one of our hymn books, and give an immediate impulse to the pleasantness, the power, and the profit of his services.

If, in any of our churches, there are copies of the *Church Psalmist* not in use, they can be well used by the Presbyterian Publication Committee. If sent to the Presbyterian House, they will be distributed to needy churches, where they will be most gladly received and used.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The total sales of the year have been $45,190.73, showing an advance upon every preceding year, and of *twenty-five per cent* upon the sales of the last year. The donations received were $8128.49.

The increase of the business from year to year is steady and encouraging. The field, to be occupied by a religious literature of the class issued by the Committee, is large and constantly increasing; and the Institution has now attained a business position, to warrant its friends in looking to it, for much that shall be adapted to meet the existing and prospective wants of the country. On the other hand, the Committee deem themselves warranted in expecting from the churches, including the ministry and membership, that support, without which it is not in their power to fulfil the just expectations both of the churches and of themselves. The coöperation of the members and ministers of the body is essential to the successful prosecution of the Publication work, since success consists not in putting a religious literature on the shelves of a store, but in the hands, heads, and hearts of the people.

NEW BUILDING.

The enlarging business of the Committee and the increase of its stock calling for an increase of accommodations, an extension of the Presbyterian House has been erected the past year. The addition made is upon the west side of the lot, and in the rear of the former bookstore; it is twenty-two feet in width, one hundred and three feet in depth, and two stories in height, with a light and airy cellar below. The cellar is appropriated to the storage of stereotype plates and other material; the ground floor, to an extension of the sale-room, a packing-room, and offices; and the second story is rented until it shall be needed by the Committee. There is room upon the lot for a still further extension of the building, in the rear, with a forty-four

feet front upon Sansom street, whenever the business of the Committee shall demand such an enlargement.

HONORARY MEMBERSHIP.

The contribution of $30 at one time constitutes a Corresponding Member, and entitles to one dollar's worth of the Committee's publications yearly, for ten years. The contribution of $100, at one time, constitutes an Honorary Member, and entitles to five dollars' worth of publications, yearly, for life. A beautifully engraved steel-plate certificate, executed for the Committee by the American Bank Note Company, is furnished to Corresponding and Honorary Members.

PRESBYTERIAL COMMITTEES.

The recommendation of the General Assembly, that "each Presbytery appoint a minister or elder to see to it that the Publication Cause is presented annually to the churches in its connection, and to secure contributions to it," has been acted upon to a gratifying extent. From some Presbyteries reports have been received from their Committee-men as to the state of the Cause. In some cases, also, there has been a zealous attention to the work of securing a contribution from each church. It is hoped that the Presbyterial Agents for Publication will be growingly numerous and efficient.

From a Presbyterial agent for Publication, we have a report in which he says, "Some of the churches are too feeble, they think, to make it worth while to take a collection." We would suggest to the good pastors and members of these feeble churches, that they are much mistaken in this supposition, the Master being the judge. For the argument, see Mark 12: 41, 42, 43, 44.

The Committee earnestly request the Sessions to remember, that no collecting agent will come to solicit the annual collection for the Publication Cause. This reponsibility is left with the officers of the churches.

The members of the Committee whose terms expire May, 1867, are: Rev. N. S. S. Beman, D.D., Rev. Albert Barnes, Mr. Alexander Whilldin, Mr. Frank L. Bodine, and Rev. George F. Wiswell, D.D.

ALBERT BARNES, *Chairman.*

JOHN W. DULLES, *Secretary.*

III. ABSTRACT OF THE NINTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE FOREIGN MISSION COMMITTEE.

YOUR Committee are always not a little embarrassed in conducting the inquiries incident to their Report by the inadequate sources of information within our reach. The eminently able and thorough plan, on which the Minutes of the Assembly are arranged, must excite the admiration of all who have studied them sufficiently to appreciate it; but the Reports furnished to the distinguished author from many of the Presbyteries are so imperfect, that the Minutes stand as a witness to their neglect of solemn duty rather than to their honor. Whilst it is probably safe in most of the cases to conclude, that the Presbyteries and churches which furnish from year to year no reports of their contributions to the cause of the Master, have no report to make; yet it is doubtless true, that some are placed in this company as the result of their neglecting to see that their reports are

forwarded to the Presbytery, or to the Clerk of the Assembly, in time. We must, however, take the Minutes as we find them; and from careful observation and analysis of the reports there, for several years past, we are convinced that they give in the main a faithful record of the facts.

It appears that we have on our rolls 1528 churches, containing 150,401 members; that, of these, 625 churches have less than fifty members, or a total membership of 15,627, being an average of 25 to each; that 328 of the churches are vacant, having no other ministry of the Word than that of their own members; that 714 churches are ministered to by Stated Supplies holding no permanent relation to them; and of the whole number of ministers on the rolls, which is 1739, only 469 are pastors.

It also appears that the total amount contributed to Foreign Missions, during the previous ecclesiastical year, by our churches was $110,725; which, instead of an increase as we hoped, is $1571 less than the amount contributed the year before; that 718 churches, reporting a membership of 36,829, or nearly one fourth of the whole Church, contributed nothing to this Cause. Eight hundred and ten churches, then numbering 113,572, contributed $110,725, or an average of 98 cents per annum to each member.

The following table shows the contributions from the several localities named:

State.	Whole No. members.	Non-contributing.	Contributing.	Amount Contributed.	Amount per member.	Am't from each contributing member.
New-York.....	78,980	16,580	62,400	$67,789	$0 86	$1 08
Pennsylvania..	18,756	2,334	16,422	16,673	81	98
Michigan.....	9,497	2,794	6,703	3,938	41	59
Ohio	14,107	4,111	9,996	11,572	82	1 02
Indiana.....	7,087	2,215	4,872	3,295	46	68
Illinois	11,567	3,849	7,718	5,717	51	74
Wisconsin.....	1,564	813	751	138	09	18
Iowa	2,429	1,180	1,249	526	21	42
Minnesota	1,483	630	853	403	27	47
Missouri	1,223	943	380	999	75	2 36
Tennessee	2,722	976	1,757	..	..	..
Alta California.	886	404	482	175	20	36

Taking the average of the whole number of members on our rolls, it shows seventy-three cents contributed per member to spread the Gospel in foreign lands; and about two cents each per week in the most liberal and able portion of the Church.

Your Committee addressed a Circular to the Presbyteries as usual, setting forth as well as we could the demands of a dying world upon us, and urging attention to the plan of the Assembly for Presbyterial action in order to secure contributions from all their churches, with a special request that the Standing Committee of Presbytery would furnish their report to us in time for the preparation of our Report to the Assembly.

We have received reports from the following Presbyteries:

New-York, Fourth: A slight increase on the previous year; contributions received from all except two very feeble churches; the interest in the cause is steadily sustained.

New-York, Third: Contributions from fourteen of their eighteen churches, of $10,001.86, which is 14 per cent less than the amount contributed last year.

Troy: Many causes have prevented a full report. They hope that their

churches will all contribute before the next meeting of the American Board.

PHILADELPHIA, THIRD: Of their twenty-two churches, twenty have made their contributions during the year, the aggregate amount being $5257.47, an advance of $400 over the previous year.

ERIE: A slight increase of contributions.

TRUMBULL: Increase of 40 per cent over the previous year.

HURON: Increase of 42 per cent over the previous year, and a growing interest among the churches; the monthly concert observed in most of the churches, and the children and youth becoming more interested, and contributing liberally.

MONROE: A falling off of nearly 20 per cent.

GALENA and BELVIDERE: Decrease of 25 per cent. in the contributions from the previous year.

DUBUQUE: Twelve of the fifteen churches of the Presbytery gave not a farthing.

MISSIONARY HERALD.

No one thing would, in the judgment of your Committee, be a richer source of good to the people, in respect to their own culture as well as to their increased sympathy with the work of missions, than the regular perusal, from month to month, of the pages of THE MISSIONARY HERALD.

That publication has been greatly improved, and is now one of the most interesting periodicals which issues from the American or any other press. It is furnished gratuitously to each contributor of $10 per annum, and the annual subscription for it to persons not entitled to receive it is but $1.

The dearth of candidates for the work abroad, in view of the fact that so many of the veterans and others are being called from their labors to their reward, or are obliged to leave their fields because of failing health, has awakened the most serious anxiety, and led to earnest prayer. The Master has heard the cries of his people, and has inspired more of the spirit of missions in the hearts of candidates for the ministry and others of his servants, within the last few months, than has existed at any time for several years past. The prospect now is that the missions may be speedily strengthened.

In our last Report we stated that fifty-two of our number were engaged in the missionary work in connection with the American Board. The number now, we regret to say, is but forty-eight. We have not been able to learn definitely how many of those young men who have recently given themselves to this work are connected with us, but we hope that they will more than replenish the losses of the last few years in the number of our foreign missionaries. Our brethren now in the field or laboring in connection with the Board at home are as follows:

Rev. SELAH B. TREAT, *Secretary*, Boston.
GEORGE W. WOOD, D.D., *Secretary*, New-York City.
Rev. CHARLES P. BUSH, *District Secretary*, Rochester, N. Y.
Rev. JOHN MCLEOD, *District Secretary*, Philadelphia, Pa.
Rev. WILLIAM M. CHEEVER, *District Secretary*, Terre Haute, Ind.

IN WESTERN AFRICA, 1.—*Gaboon Mission.* Albert Bushnell.

IN SOUTH-AFRICA, 2.—Andrew Abraham, Seth B. Stone.

IN EUROPEAN TURKEY AND WESTERN ASIA, 15.—*Western Turkey*, 4.—Henry J. Van Lennep, D.D., Justin W. Parsons, Tilman C. Trowbridge,

Theodore L. Byington. *Eastern Turkey*, 3.—Sanford Richardson, Orson P. Allen, W. Frederick Williams. *Syria*, 5.—William M. Thompson, D.D., William W. Eddy, Henry H. Jessup, D.D., Samuel Jessup, George E. Post, M.D. *Nestorians*, 3.—George W. Coan, Joseph G. Cochran, John H. Shedd.

In Southern Asia, 10.—*Ceylon*, 1.—James Quick. *Mahratta*, 2.—Lemuel Bissell, William P. Barker. *Madura*, 7.—John E. Chandler, Edward Chester, John Rendall, Horace S. Taylor, William Tracy, Charles T. White, Nathan L. Lord, M.D.

In Eastern Asia, 5.—*Canton*, 1.—Daniel Vrooman. *Fuh Chau*, 2.—Caleb C. Baldwin, Simeon F. Woodin. *North-China*, 2.—Lyman D. Chapin, Justus Doolittle.

In the Pacific Islands, 5.—*Sandwich Islands*, 4.—Claudius B. Andrews, Sereno E. Bishop, Lorenzo Lyons, John F. Pogue. *Micronesia*, 1.—Edward T. Doane.

North-American Indians, 5.—*Dakotas*, 3.—Thomas S. William H. M.D., Stephen R. Riggs, John P. Williamson. *Ojibwas*, 1.—Leonardson, Wheeler. *Senecas*, 1.—Asher Wright.

Rev. T. C. Trowbridge, Constantinople, during a brief visit to his native land, was requested by your Committee to meet with us, and explain every thing respecting the operations of the Board in Turkey, and particularly with reference to the views, feelings, and interests of the members of the mission who are connected with our Presbyteries. The conference was long and unreserved. The statements of Mr. Trowbridge were very full on every point suggested, and the result was in the highest degree satisfactory to every member of the Committee, inspiring us all with increased confidence in the wisdom of our missionary councils at Boston and on the field referred to.

The replies received from our missionary brethren to our last annual circular letter are most interesting and affecting. They express their grateful joy in view of our assurances that they are held in lasting remembrance by their brethren at home; that we sympathize in all their trials and successes, and feel our obligations to aid them by our prayers and contributions. They send greeting to the General Assembly—their hearts are full, their words are weighty—they feel that they *must* plead the cause of the perishing at your bar.

The terms of office of the following members of the Committee expire at this time, namely: Alfred E. Campbell, D.D., Robert R. Booth, D.D., Rev. John McLeod, and Jesse W. Benedict, Esq.; and there are two vacancies in the class of 1869, occasioned by the resignations of Hon. William E. Dodge and Hon. Edward A. Lambert.

Respectfully submitted, WALTER S. GRIFFITH,

Secretary.

IV. ABSTRACT OF THE FIRST ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SABBATH-SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

I. STATISTICS.

The Minutes of the last General Assembly reveal the fact that only 998, out of our 1528 churches, make any report of members of their Sabbath-Schools; leaving 530 churches of whose condition in this respect we have no returns. Many of these churches are very feeble, and some almost extinct; but the large and strong Presbytery of Utica, with full reports in other respects, makes returns of Sabbath-School members from only four out of its thirty-two churches; while the Presbytery of Newark has returns from all but one.

The Committee think it exceedingly desirable to adopt some plan, if possible, for securing more complete reports from our Sabbath-Schools; and recommend that it be enjoined most emphatically on the Presbyteries and Presbyterial Committees to make increased efforts to secure these returns.

The 998 churches from which reports were received give an aggregate membership of 143,369, which is an average of 144 to each church. But the average, in the 530 churches which have not reported, would doubtless be much less, as it is generally the larger and more prosperous churches that make returns. If the average for these schools were put as high as ninety-four, it would give an aggregate of 50,000, and then our entire Sabbath-School membership would be a little less than 200,000.

In most of the Western churches, including those of Ohio, the number of Sabbath-School scholars reported exceeds the number of communicants in the churches, which is not the case in a single Synod east of Ohio; showing that the Sabbath-School often precedes the church, and for a time holds its superiority of numbers.

II. SABBATH-SCHOOL LITERATURE.

This subject furnishes an important and available point for the immediate labors of the Committee. Interwoven as it is with every department of the work, it may properly claim a large share of attention.

The preparation of Sabbath-School manuals, question books, illustrative works, may well enlist the best minds of the Church. To condense and popularize elaborate and expensive works of Biblical Geography, History, and Antiquities, and especially to prepare appropriate question books, is a work as delicate and difficult as it is important. There is a growing need of question books so framed as to stimulate inquiry; to guide the mind without hampering it; to seize upon the fundamental truths of a subject, and not merely lead to a superficial acquaintance under the guise of an exhaustive minuteness.

The Committee recommend that measures be taken to prepare, as soon as possible, a catalogue of approved books. They propose, in connection with the Board of Publication, to institute a careful examination of the prominent juvenile publications from all sources; to have brief notices prepared by competent persons, setting forth their subject, aim, mode of treatment, and general tendency. These, appearing in our denominational journals, will serve to direct Library Committees in their selections; and the titles, being classified as fast as approved, will soon furnish our schools with a large and constantly increasing catalogue of books bearing the indorsement of the Church.

In connection with this subject, your Committee would suggest the important work here opened to our best minds, lay and clerical, in the prepa-

ration of Sabbath-School books. Every good book for this purpose will yield the author as rich a spiritual harvest as any other effort of his ministry.

Children are early reached and deeply impressed by hymns. Many Sabbath-School hymns are pointless and vapid; others, actually false in sentiment; numbers more, absolutely ludicrous; and some almost if not quite blasphemous.

Your Committee deem this matter worthy of the most serious attention. While they desire, by no means, to overlook the great improvement to which they have already referred, they call earnestly upon those who have the matter in charge, to stay the tide of nonsense, both in words and music, with which speculators are flooding our Sabbath-Schools. They believe that the noble hymns of the Church can be sung with as much pleasure by our children, as the large majority of those which make up the mass of Sabbath-School manuals, and with much more profit, and that, both as a means of Christian training to the children, and as conducive to the great reform of congregational singing, these should form the basis of our Sabbath-School music.

The Committee deem it important that every means should be used for the diffusion of thought, and for the interchange of sentiment concerning this great work. They urge, therefore, a free expression of views through our denominational journals, and through pamphlets, books, and other channels. They deem this subject worthy the attention of the princes in Israel. The Committee hope, in the progress of their work, to make arrangements with many of our leading periodicals, regularly to devote a portion of their space to the interests of the Sabbath-School.

III. INSTRUCTION IN THEOLOGICAL SEMINARIES.

The last General Assembly passed over to the Permanent Committee the consideration of two propositions:

1. The devising of a plan, to be presented at this time, "by which the students of our Theological Seminaries may receive special instruction in the relations of the Pastor to the Sabbath-School; in the best modes of conducting Sabbath-Schools; and in the approved methods of Sabbath-School work."

This may require some recasting of the methods of instruction in some, or all, of our Theological Seminaries; and it may be desirable, for a time, to supplement their regular courses by lectures from those who have given special attention to this subject. Such lectures have been given, with marked success, to the students of some of our Theological Seminaries within the past year; and, from correspondence with some of their officers, it is believed that such a course will receive the cordial approval of all such institutions.

IV. NORMAL SCHOOLS.

The second proposition referred to this Committee was, "The devising of a plan for the establishment of Normal Schools for the instruction of Sabbath-School teachers."

The following plan of operations would do much, it is believed, to help forward these interests:

1. Let each Pastor organize the officers, teachers, and older pupils of the school or schools connected with his church, into a Teachers' Training Class, to meet weekly; to be conducted by the pastor or by some one else whom he may approve; to study not so much the lesson for the ensuing Sabbath, as the principles and art of teaching; and the leader should be qualified to give instruction in regard to the best manner of preparing a Sabbath-School lesson;

in the varied methods of teaching; in the art of questioning and of illustration; in the use of the blackboard or slate, and of objects and pictures; also in the duties and privileges of the teacher, as well in his relations to his class as to the school and to the church.

Besides instruction in these and kindred topics, much may be accomplished in the study of Biblical Geography, Antiquities, History, and Theology. The class may also be called upon to give specimen lessons, to propose and solve practical questions connected with Sabbath-Schools; and, in general, to make as thorough preparations as practicable for efficient services in this good cause.

2. It is recommended that the Committee on Sabbath-Schools appointed by each Presbytery, be directed to make earnest effort to secure the holding of at least one Sabbath-School Teachers' Institute, each year, within the bounds of its Presbytery. The Institute should be held for two or more days, in charge of some suitable conductor, for instructions in the best methods of Sabbath-School teaching. Detailed plans for such institutes can be furnished to these Presbyterial Committees whenever desired.

In conclusion, the Committee are aware that this is but the outline of a plan of operations, which time and experience might require us to modify more or less, and which they certainly would enable us greatly to improve. But the Committee think it equally evident that, in order to fulfil the duties thus marked out for them, they need a *Corresponding Secretary;* one who shall not only give his whole time to the subject, but one who shall bring to the office fulness of capacity, of knowledge, and of experience in all matters pertaining to Sabbath-Schools; one who shall at once command the attention and respect of the Church and of the community at large; one who can edit our portion of the *Presbyterian Monthly;* who can, when occasion requires, discuss the various topics connected with the Sabbath-School work more generally through the press; who can give lectures, make addresses, hold Institutes, and, in every way practicable, set forward the interests aimed at by the appointment of this Committee.

The need of such a Secretary has so deeply impressed the Committee, that they feel warranted not only in recommending, but strenuously urging, that authority be given them by this Assembly to make such an appointment, as soon as the right man can be found for the place. The Committee are willing to do what they can in any event, but without a Secretary they can accomplish but a tithe of that which seems entirely practicable with such a leader. To your Committee it seems as though we might as well be without a Secretary of Home Missions, or of Education, or of Church Erection, as without a Secretary of Sabbath-Schools.

But the practical question has already forced itself, we are aware, upon the minds of the Assembly, How shall such a Secretary be supported? We might first answer,—just as we support the Secretaries of the other Committees, by the contributions of the churches. But some will say, we have so many collections already that we cannot entertain another. We answer, it is not another. We are already taking collections for Sabbath-School purposes. Why may we not use, at least, a portion of these in this way? If, however, we can get the Secretary, we do not fear for his support, nor for the means with which he may give greater dignity, efficiency, and breadth to our Sabbath-School operations.

It only remains to say, that in the classification of the Committee made by lot at their second meeting, the following persons were to serve three years, namely, William E. Knox, D.D., Rev. William A. Niles, Rev. Charles E. Knox, Ralph Wells, and Edwin T. Huntington.

The following for two years, namely, James B. Shaw, D.D., Grosvenor W. Heacock, D.D., Charles Hawley, D.D., George W. Parsons, and Truman P. Handy.

The following for one year, whose places it will be necessary for this General Assembly to fill, namely, Samuel M. Campbell, D.D., Rev. Charles P. Bush, Rev. Marvin R. Vincent, Josiah P. Bailey, and Samuel Field.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

JAMES B. SHAW, *Chairman.*

CHARLES P. BUSH, *Secretary.*

V. ABSTRACT OF THE ELEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

THE Education Cause can be reported as in a favorable condition. All desirable results are not yet attained, but there is decided and gratifying progress. A system of operations has been reached, in which the entire Church is willing to coöperate, and which daily proves the wisdom of its adaptation and the efficiency of its working power. The interest in this Cause is both wider and deeper than in previous years; more thought, discussion, and prayer are given to it. The number of students applying for assistance in obtaining an education is decidedly increasing, and the contributions of the churches have exceeded those of any former year. With gratitude for the past and with confidence for the future, we therefore present our Eleventh Annual Report.

One hundred and forty-five students, duly examined and recommended by 54 Presbyteries as follows, have been assisted:

Athens, 6; Bloomington, 1; Buffalo, 4; Catskill, 1; Cayuga, 7; Chemung, 1; Chenango, 1; Chicago, 1; Cleveland and Portage, 7; Columbus, 1; Cortland, 1; Crawfordsville, 3; Delaware, 2; Des Moines, 2; Detroit, 3; Dubuque, 1; Galena and Belvidere, 1; Geneva, 1; Greencastle, 1; Grand River, 1; Hamilton, 1; Harrisburgh, 1; Hudson, 1; Huron, 2; Indianapolis, 1; Ithaca, 3; Kalamazoo, 1; Knox, 2; Lexington, 1; Logansport, 1; Madison, 2; Marshall, 1; Meadville, 1; Monroe, 1; Newark, 6; New-York, 3d, 12; New-York, 4th, 5; North River, 1; Ontario, 3; Owego, 1; Pataskala, 2; Philadelphia, 3d, 1; Philadelphia, 4th, 7; Rochester, 1; Rockaway, 2; Schuyler, 1; St. Joseph, 1; Troy, 1; Trumbull, 1; Union, 4; Utica, 21; Washtenaw, 1; Watertown, 4; Wellsborough, 1.

These students have been in attendance on the following Institutions:

Theological Seminaries—Auburn, 12; Lane, 15; Union, 27; Andover, 2; Princeton, 1; Chicago, 1.

Colleges—Hamilton, 25; Union, 2; Yale, 1; Williams, 1; Amherst, 2; Genesee, 1; Western Reserve, 9; Marietta, 4; Wabash, 5; Olivet, 4; Knox, 3; Beloit, 3; Princeton, 1; Maryville, 3; New-York City University, 1; Alfred University, 1; Iowa University, 1; Rochester University, 1; Lincoln University, (formerly Ashmun Institute,) 5.

Academies—Hungerford Institute, Adams, N. Y., 1; Cortland Academy, Homer, N. Y., 1; Cortlandville, N. Y., 1; Cooperstown, N. Y., 1; Dryden, N. Y., 1; Owego, N. Y., 1; Canandaigua, N. Y., 1; Ithaca, N. Y., 1; Deposit, N. Y., 1; Chicago, Ill., 1; Weston, Mo., 1; Peoria, Ill., 1. Of these 58 were in the Theological course, 56 in their Collegiate, and 31 in their Academic.

Fifteen students have finished their course of theological study, and are prepared to enter on the service of preaching the Gospel. They have found

no serious difficulty in obtaining places; and, had their numbers been doubled or quadrupled, they might easily have found locations. Those who are still in the Institutions are well reported of for native ability, industry, piety, and promise, and will bear a fair comparison with an equal number of young men taken miscellaneously from our literary Institutions.

During the past year the appropriations by order of the Assembly were fixed at the highest prescribed limit, namely, $160 for the Theological course, $132 for the Collegiate, and $100 for the Academic. These amounts, though larger than those of previous years, are believed to be still too low for the fair assistance of young men depending upon the Church for aid in seeking an education. The increase of candidates in the past year is to be attributed to an increase of liberality in the churches. A more full supply of means would still augment their numbers.

The amount paid into the Treasury from all sources is $22,370.43. Of this sum $906 was a balance from the former year. 367 churches contributed $19,347.67, individuals contributed $1423.22, and four scholarships held by the Committee, invested as the surplus of former years, paid $660.35. The sum disbursed in appropriations is $18,478. The entire expenses for all purposes amounted to $3331. The balance is $561.42. The figures in the Treasurer's account do not represent the whole amount expended by the entire Church in behalf of the Education Cause. A considerable sum, not ascertainable by us, was disbursed by donors directly to students.

Though the Permanent Committee was organized in 1856, and the Plan adopted in 1857, its early progress was retarded by the conflict of sectional interests, producing a division of sentiment and effort, and a want of confidence in the possibility of establishing a general Plan suited to universal adoption. It has been only five years since the Assembly has been able to remove these difficulties and give it fair possession of the field for the uninterrupted discharge of its work. Since that time its progress has been a substantial advance, as the following statistics will show. There is, however, so much of its work that pertains to things spiritual, that many features of its progress cannot be indicated by statistics:

	Students.	Contributions.
1863	101	$15,271 75
1864	87	13,325 92
1865	99	18,177 71
1866	135	18,704 77
1867	145	21,474 43

The Committee have received information that Mrs. Eliza T. Warren, of Lansingburgh, N. Y., a member of our Church, in September last, departed this life, bequeathing the Education Cause a legacy of $500, which, it is hoped, may be realized during the coming year.

The Permanent Committee have continued to act with the other Permanent Committees in the publication of the *Presbyterian Monthly*. They regret to inform the Assembly, that the circulation of the *Monthly* does not repay the expense of the publication, and it is their judgment that it should be discontinued rather than embarrass the Committees, each with a separate bill of expense. The Committee ask the Assembly to take such action as shall free them from such liability.

As it concerns the future, the Committee have no serious organic changes to recommend. They find the present rules, administered with wisdom and faithfulness, sufficient for the most successful prosecution of the work of Education. What they most need is the divine impulse. They are satis-

fied that the greatest good will come, not by speculating on the advantage of proposed possible changes, but by carrying out our present Plan, which embodies the wisdom of our past experience, with unwearied patience and zeal. It remains for the Assembly to fix the amount of the appropriations for the next year. We are well convinced that, hereafter, the Education work should be largely divested of its eleemosynary character, and should be more fully placed upon conditions of reciprocity. The assistance of students should not be considered a work of charity. The reception of funds by them implies a compact to render a proper return in service to the Church; and if the recipient shows not the disposition, ability, or fitness to do this, there is a default in his part of the compact which would terminate his beneficiary connection. The Presbyteries should be held to a high responsibility in regard to the candidates they place upon the Fund. The requisitions, as to the character and qualifications of those aided, should be more full, and more carefully and discriminatingly enforced, while great consideration and kindness should be used to relieve those difficulties which now crowd their way. The Cause has heretofore been injured by the urgency, with which assistance has been sought for students from motives of personal interest, or sympathy and indiscriminate philanthropy, rather than from fitness of intellectual and spiritual qualification. The success which is to honor and bless the Church should be sought in bringing forward students of improved character, culture, and discipline, instead of pressing candidates upon the funds of the Church, whose chief recommendation is their need and their good intentions. The Committee recommend that the appropriations of last year be not diminished; and should the Assembly, on reviewing the obligations and prospects of the work, see fit to enlarge them, they are respectfully requested to empower the Committee to make such enlargement as the interest and duty of the Church shall require.

Walter S. Griffith, a member of the Committee, whose term would have expired in 1868, has resigned his office.

The terms of office of James P. Wilson, D.D., Robert R. Booth, D.D., Charles S. Robinson, D.D., J. Glentworth Butler, D.D., and Fisher Howe expire with the meeting of this Assembly.

All which is respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. OWEN, *Chairman.*

THORNTON A. MILLS, *Secretary.*

VI. THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN HOUSE.

IN submitting to the General Assembly their Thirteenth Annual Report, the Trustees of the Presbyterian House would, first, express their sense of loss, to themselves and to the Denomination, in the deaths of their late associates, the Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D., and Matthias W. Baldwin, Esq.

In the death of Dr. Brainerd they deplore the removal from themselves of a wise and trusted counsellor; and from the Denomination of an eloquent preacher and efficient pastor. In the death of Mr. Baldwin they deplore the removal from themselves of a genial and generous colaborer; and from the Denomination of a faithful and honored elder, whose liberality to all good enterprises was as princely as his piety was simple and sincere. They recognize in these deaths the solemn and urgent admonition to do with their might what their hands find to do.

From the report of the Treasurer, duly audited and herewith submitted, the Assembly will see that the receipts and expenditures of the year have been as follows:

Total receipts, ...	$32,482 49
Total expenditures, ...	30,937 73
Leaving a balance of	$1,544 76

The Trustees herewith submit the Report of the Executive Committee of the Ministerial Relief Fund, and the Report of their Treasurer duly audited To that Committee, in the place of Matthias W. Baldwin, Esq., they have added Charles S. Wurts, M.D.

The Trustees report, that they have accepted a deed of conveyance for the church-edifice and lot, south-west corner of Eighteenth and Christian streets, Philadelphia, executed by Matthias W. Baldwin and wife to the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, in trust for the Tabor Church and congregation.

The Trustees report further, that, in accordance with the request of the Assembly's Publication Committee, as provided for in the Declaration of Trust by the Assembly of 1863, page 275 of Minutes, they have raised, by bond and mortgage on part of the premises under their control, $25,000, to aid the general objects of the Committee, and to enhance the value of the House. Of this sum, $6213.02 were added to $13,786.98, the moneys in the Sinking Fund, and the balance of ground-rent on the House, or $20,000, was extinguished. With the larger portion of the remaining $18,786.98, important alterations and improvements were made in and upon the premises Nos. 1334 and 1336 Chestnut street, furnishing the Publication Committee a much needed accommodation for their increasing business, and securing to said Committee a greatly augmented revenue. It is to be observed, that in this transaction the ground-rent which held the whole property has been removed, and that the mortgage, covering but a portion of said property, leaves much of the lot entirely free from encumbrance. It is to be observed, further, that the improvements made have added greatly to the value of the property, which, by the extension of business in that direction, is every year steadily appreciating.

The Trustees report still further, that, with exception of the Irwin case, the cases in litigation are not yet decided. In the Sebring case, the Supreme Court of New-York have overruled the decision establishing the joint right of four Societies, one of them the Assembly's Home Mission Committee, to the *whole* of the testator's residuary estate, and have affirmed that these said Societies are entitled to one *half* only. From this an appeal has been taken to the Court of Appeals, and years will probably pass before the case is reached and a final decision rendered. As to the Irwin case, the Trustees are happy to certify the Assembly that the settlement of the estate under the will is proceeding without embarrassment; and that $6000 have already been received, of which $4000, the accruing income, have been paid to the Assembly's Home Mission Committee.

The term of office of the following Trustees expires during the present sessions of the Assembly, namely, John C. Farr, Esq., Charles S. Wurts, M.D., Rev. Daniel March, D.D., Rev. William T. Eva, and Rev. Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D. It will be necessary, also, to elect two additional Trustees to serve the unexpired term, one year from date, of Rev. Thomas Brainerd, D.D., and Matthias W. Baldwin, deceased.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Board of Trustees,

THOMAS JAMES SHEPHERD, *Secretary.*

Philadelphia, May 7th, 1867.

VII. ABSTRACT OF THE THIRD ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MINISTERIAL RELIEF FUND.

This report covers a period of thirteen months, that is, from April 1, 1866, to April 30, 1867.

Since the meeting of the last General Assembly, forty-six applicants received aid from the Fund to the amount of seven thousand eight hundred dollars.

Of these applicants *nineteen* are disabled ministers, *twenty-three* are widows of ministers deceased, and *four* are orphans of ministers, with neither parent to provide for their wants. In nearly all the instances the widows have several children to support. The whole number of persons aided directly by the Fund is *one hundred and thirty-seven*. Within the last year the number of the recipients of aid was increased fifty-five per cent.

It is worthy of remark that nearly all the ministers receiving aid were long engaged in the duties of the pulpit. Sixteen of them preached for upward of thirty years; three of these preached for more than fifty years; one has been in the ministry for fifty-seven years, and another for fifty-nine years, who occasionally preaches yet. Nine of these fathers in Christ are now between seventy and eighty-six years old, and five of these are upward of eighty-one.

None of the recipients of the Fund have died during the last year; but the Committee have sustained a severe loss by the removal of one of their own number, in the person of Matthias W. Baldwin, Esq., who died September 7, 1866. Among other expressions of regret at the death of this member of the Committee, the following is recorded on their Minutes:

"*Resolved*, That while we bow with Christian submission to this sad dispensation, we would record our high appreciation of Mr. Baldwin as one of the excellent among men, and a bright example in every department of usefulness."

The Committee would renew their thanks to God for the means furnished, by which they were enabled to help the needy through the past year. The applicants received all they asked for, excepting in the cases of three, where an *increase* in the appropriation was desired, and which would have been granted, had the condition of the Treasury been such as as to justify the act.

The receipts for the year ending April 1, 1865, were . .	$3638 00
The receipts for the year ending April 1, 1866, were .	6300 00
We now report for the last thirteen months . . .	9647 00

This shows an increase in the receipts of about fifty per cent over the amount reported for 1866, while within the same period applications for aid increased fifty-five per cent.

Although this large increase in the receipts is highly encouraging, it is to be regretted that so few of our many churches have given assistance to this good work. Out of 1528 on the list of the Assembly's Minutes, only 230 have contributed to the Ministerial Relief Fund during the last year. There is undoubtedly, among the churches, more compassion for the needy families of clergymen than their silence on this Cause would seem to indicate.

[At this point the following subjects are considered:

1. The necessity of providing mainly for DENOMINATIONAL OBJECTS in the collections made for benevolent purposes.

2. The employment of ministers in the decline of life as assistants to pastors, especially in the larger churches.

3. The need of Committees on Ministerial Relief in all the Presbyteries; otherwise serious delays will occur in the course of obtaining aid for applicants.]

Some of the aged ministers, now being sustained, have gone through seas of trouble. They have long since buried the wives of their youth, and seen their offspring, one after another, go down into early graves. They have outlived nearly all those who were the friends and associates of their active ministry. And now, with the frosts of more than fourscore winters upon them, they turn to the Church of God for that sympathy and assistance which they so much need, but which they cannot find in the new world around them in which they still linger—almost as strangers!

We are often pained on reading letters from some of these venerable men. They seem to apologize for their continuance in the world, and think that, because they are no longer able to work, the Church regards them as burdens, from which it is anxious to be relieved.

May that day never come when the professed friends of Jesus Christ shall so far depart from the spirit of the Divine Master, as to give reluctantly what may be necessary to the comfort of his old and faithful servants. And these aged fathers and brethren should be led to feel that their long continued presence with the Church on earth is, to the friends of Jesus, as sweet an object as the lingering rays of the setting sun.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Committee,

CHARLES BROWN, *Secretary.*

Philadelphia, May 1st, 1867.

PLAN FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE FUND.

Principles and Rules to govern the Distribution of the Ministerial Relief Fund, adopted by the Executive Committee of the Fund, December 29, 1864, and approved by the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, January 9, 1865.

The Ministerial Relief Fund, established by the General Assembly, meeting in Dayton, Ohio, May, 1864, is intended "for the relief of disabled ministers in good and regular standing in connection with said Assembly, and the families of ministers who have deceased while in this connection."

The Assembly assumes that these ministers and families are in circumstances requiring aid, yet does not regard them as common objects of charity; on the contrary, it is declared that the assistance thus rendered is "not a charity," but the proper response of the "Church of Christ to the *just claims* of Christ's servants."

Whilst the Fund is to be sacredly guarded against every species of imposition, the Assembly would hereby invite those whose circumstances bring them within the Rules to avail themselves of its benefits, as an aid most justly bestowed, and that can most honorably be received.

In order to give effect to the benevolent intentions of the Assembly, the Executive Committee of the Ministerial Relief Fund Agency have adopted,

and the Trustees of the Presbyterian House have approved, the following principles and rules of distribution:

1. Every applicant for relief must be recommended by the Presbytery to which the claimant belongs. To facilitate applications Presbyteries are earnestly requested to appoint Standing Committees with authority to act.

2. Every application for aid must, in the case of a minister, state his age and circumstances; in the case of a deceased minister's family, the circumstances of the widow, and the number, sex, and ages of the orphaned children.

3. Every Presbytery or Presbyterial Committee, indorsing an application, will be expected to inquire into the circumstances of the applicant, to assume the responsibility of recommending the case to the Executive Committee, and to state specifically what amount of relief should, in their judgment, be given.

It is, however, clearly to be understood, that, while the recommendations of Presbyteries will always be regarded with great respect and confidence, yet the Executive Committee reserves to itself, in each case, a final decision, to be regulated by the urgency of the applicant's necessities, the term of active service in the ministry on which the application is based, and the state of the treasury.

4. Appropriations are made for one year; and should the renewal of an appropriation be desired, the application must be again indorsed by the Presbytery or Presbyterial Committee.

5. As the Executive Committee meet quarterly, on the third Tuesdays of June, September, December, and March, applications should be sent in full time to be presented at one of these meetings; otherwise action thereon may be delayed for more than two months.

6. All applications and letters pertaining to the general business of the Fund should be addressed to the Rev. Charles Brown, Secretary, 1334 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

VIII. ABSTRACT OF THE SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PRESBYTERIAN COMMITTEE OF HOME MISSIONS.

The Home Missionary Committee are able to present another very encouraging report. God has given our missionaries kind access to the people. Neither national nor political affairs, nor any thing in our ecclesiastical relations, have furnished any occasions for irritation or distraction. The year has not been characterized as one of numerous or powerful revivals. Meanwhile 300 missionaries report 2500 conversions in connection with their labors, and more than 3000 additions to the churches. Missionaries have been sent to the frontier in considerable numbers, but more would have been commissioned if the men could have been obtained, and the means for their support. The report discusses the bearing of railroads to the Pacific on the population and business of the Western States and Territories, even to the shores of the Pacific; and then the bearing of this population on Mexico, on the South, and on north-west British America, now wedged in between two great portions of United States territory, separated from either only by an imaginary line, and affirms that the *ideas* of our own people must necessarily cross these lines, pervading and moulding society for good or ill, both on the north and on the south—and that herein is a special reason why all our Western population should be speedily evangelized.

The growth of the work of the Committee since its organization six years ago is very encouraging. The several Reports indicate progress as in the following table:

1st.	195	missionaries.....	Receipts,	$27,244
2d.	252	"	"	46,444
3d.	297	"	"	69,782
4th.	321	"	"	85,604
5th.	387	"	"	91,829
6th.	419	"	"	128,500

or more than $35,000 in advance of last year.

But the work is only just begun. In the State of New-York our denomination has 500 churches, and, we think, none too many for the spiritual wants of the people. But, if the whole territory of the United States shall become as populous as New-York, and have churches in like proportion, whenever in the future the time shall come, there would need to be more than 31,000 churches. Take such a State as Connecticut, its institutions of learning, its eminent men, its pecuniary and moral power, and yet there is room for fourteen such States in Missouri, seventeen in Minnesota, forty in California, forty-nine in Texas, and 625 in the whole country, exclusive of the late purchase of Russian America.

An interesting statement is made about Home Missions overtaking Foreign Missions. It seems that in 1861 the A. B. C. F. M. abandoned the Cherokees as no longer pagans, but Christians, and recommended them to the care of some home missionary organization. When the war closed, influential men sent an appeal to us to come and reorganize the churches among the Cherokees. The Committee have sent an agent to visit the field, and, on the reception of his report, resolved to send four men at least to the missionary work among the Cherokees.

The work at the South has been more encouraging among the freedmen, wherever they have been able to send missionaries, than among the whites. But the colored missionaries are very few, and the prejudice against all Northern men, among all the whites at the South, both loyal and rebel, is such as to hinder the usefulness and comfort of missionaries sent from the North.

As to the financial affairs of the Committee, while their receipts are larger than ever before, they have never been so much embarrassed, or the missionaries subject to so much suffering, as this year. The summer months yield but small contributions to the treasury, and the Committee recommend that a larger number of churches take up collections for the Cause during these months.

The Committee have observed that the average amount paid to the missionaries is but $250 per annum. They have, therefore, offered to make one of their missionaries the *regular missionary correspondent* for any individual, family, or Sabbath-School that will thus contribute $250 a year. Twenty-six Sabbath-Schools have already entered into the arrangement, together with nearly the same number of individuals or families, making the aggregate amount pledged from such sources already nearly $13,000.

The correspondence of these missionaries has proved eminently satisfactory to the persons and Sabbath-Schools who have received their letters, and the influence of bringing the missionaries of the West into closer sympathy with the people at the East, and interesting the people in them, cannot fail to be productive of good to all parties concerned.

The Report concludes with an earnest appeal to the Assembly to furnish more men and more means to meet the continual demands for missionary labor, especially at the West.

The whole number of missionaries employed during the whole or a part of the year is 421. Three hundred and twenty-five only have sent in their statistical reports. They report 2788 conversions, and 4155 additions to the churches. All which is respectfully submitted,

EDWIN F. HATFIELD, *Chairman.*

HENRY KENDALL, *Secretary.*

COMMISSIONERS IN ATTENDANCE ON THE SEVERAL GENERAL ASSEMBLIES, SINCE THE SEPARATION, A.D. 1838.

		Ministers.	Elders.	Total.
1839,	Philadelphia, Pa.	85	62	147
1840,	" "	58	29	87
1843,	" "	73	41	114
1846,	" "	87	55	142
1849,	" "	86	39	125
1850,	Detroit, Mich.	88	54	142
1851,	Utica, N. Y.	99	55	154
1852,	Washington, D. C.	108	73	181
1853,	Buffalo, N. Y.	115	85	200
1854,	Philadelphia, Pa.	120	80	200
1855,	St. Louis, Mo.	101	63	164
1856,	New-York, N. Y.	116	90	206
1857,	Cleveland, Ohio.	125	100	225
	[Secession of 19 Southern Presbyteries.]			
1858,	Chicago, Ill.	108	91	199
1859,	Wilmington, Del.	109	78	187
1860,	Pittsburgh, Pa.	114	90	204
1861,	Syracuse, N. Y.	114	79	193
1862,	Cincinnati, Ohio.	116	93	209
1863,	Philadelphia, Pa.	120	99	219
1864,	Dayton, Ohio.	117	86	203
1865,	Brooklyn, N. Y.	120	109	229
1866,	St. Louis, Mo.	119	99	218
1867,	Rochester, N. Y.	126	110	236
Average,.....		105½	76½	183

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, *in account with* WILLIAM A. BOOTH, *Treasurer*.

Dr.				Cr.		
1866. May.	To Balance to new account,		$37 44	1866. May.	By Receipts of the Mileage Committee,	$6633 68
	" paid Mileage to Commissioners,		5033 68		" " Stated Clerk,	94 22
	" Delegates to Corresponding Bodies:					
	Rev. G. W. Warner, Del. to Ref. Synod,	$20 60				
	Rev. H. Crosby, D.D., " Connecticut,	6 00				
	Rev. C. S. Robinson, D.D., Del. to Maine,	25 00				
			51 60			
	" the Officers of the Assembly:					
	Rev. J. G. Butler, D.D., Permanent Clerk,	86 00				
	Rev. E. F. Hatfield, D.D., Stated Clerk,	160 00				
	C. Barrett, the Janitor,	25 00				
			271 00			
	" for Printing and Stationery:					
	J. A. Gray & Green,	1125 52				
	C. Babington,	30 00				
	E. A. Lambert,	27 90				
			1183 48			
	" Postage, Express, etc.,		38 21			
	To Balance to new account,		112 49			
			$6727 90			$6727 90
				1867. May,	By Balance to new account,	$112 49

NEW-YORK, May 15, 1867. [E. E.] WM. A. BOOTH, *Treasurer*.

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that we have examined the above account, and compared it with the vouchers thereof, and that we find the same to be correct; and that there is a balance in the hands of the Treasurer, amounting to the sum of one hundred and twelve dollars and forty-nine cents.

ROCHESTER, May 16th, 1867.

JOHN P. CROSBY, } *Auditors.*
H. W. WILLIAMS, }

THE PRESBYTERIAN COMMITTEE OF HOME MISSIONS *in account with* EDWARD A. LAMBERT, *Treasurer.*

Dr.			Cr.		
1867.			1866.		
May 1.	To amount paid to Missionaries, and General, Associate, and District Secretaries, including traveling expenses,	$124,001 25	May 1.	By Balance cash on hand,	$57 16
	" Salary of Assistant Treasurer,	1,071 00	1867.		
	" Rent and care of Office, New-York,	516 05	May 1.	" Donations from Churches and Individuals,	116,798 87
	" Rent and care of Office, Philadelphia,	125 00		" Philadelphia Home Miss. Soc.,	1,000 00
	" Printing Annual Reports, Circulars, and Certificates,	672 88		" Legacies,	10,944 15
	" Printing, Blank Books, and Stationery,	192 21		" Interest from "Yandis Fund," Indiana,	333 50
	" Presbyterian Publication Committee deficiency in publishing the Monthly to April 1, 1867,	665 27			
	" Postage and Revenue Stamps,	222 79			
	" Advertising Monthly Receipts,	23 78			
	" Interest on Loans, Exchange, and Collections,	509 71			
	" Legal Expenses in Will cases,	119 16			
	" Balance to new account,	1,014 58			
		$129,133 68			$129,133 68
			1867.		
			May 1.	By Balance,	$1,014 58

New-York, May, 1867.

EDWARD A. LAMBERT, *Treasurer.*

We have examined the foregoing account, with the vouchers, and find it correct.

Wm. Churchill, }
W. M. Aikman, } *Auditors.*

CHURCH ERECTION PERMANENT FUND *in account with* JESSE W. BENEDICT, *Treasurer.*

DR. *From May* 1, 1866, *to May* 1, 1867. CR.

To Loans to Churches under former Plan, to August 1, 1866,	$2,900 00	By Balance from last year,	$1,942 17
" Donations to Churches under former Plan, to August 1, 1866,	878 26	" amount received from Churches in payment of their Loans,	6,463 55
" Permanent Investments of the Fund on Bonds and Mortgages on improved Real Estate within the State of New-York,	76,200 00	" amount of Annual Collections received from Churches on account of Donations,	573 45
" paid to the Supplementary Fund, being the interest received from Churches on their Loans,	1,346 37	" amount of Call Loans and Temporary Investments,	72,925 45
" paid to the Supplementary Fund, being the interest received from Permanent and Temporary Loans,	4,188 85	" amount of interest received from Churches on account of their Loans,	1,346 37
" Balance to new account,	1,926 36	" amount of Interest received from Permanent and Temporary Investments,	4,188 85
	$87,439 84		$87,439 84

This certifies that I have examined the vouchers in the hands of the Treasurer, and find the above account correct.

NEW-YORK, May 9th, 1867. E. M. KINGSLEY.

CHURCH ERECTION SUPPLEMENTARY FUND *in account with* JESSE W. BENEDICT, *Treasurer.*

DR. *From May 1, 1866, to May 1, 1867.* CR.

To Donations to Churches,	$7,600 00	By amount of Contributions from Churches,	$18,805 13
" Expenses of Permanent and Supplementary Funds, being salary of Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Traveling Expenses, Rent, Stationery, Printing, Postage, and Internal Revenue Stamps,	4,685 31	" " Contributions from Individuals,	457 65
		" " received from the Permanent Fund, being interest from Churches,	1,346 37
		" " received from the Permanent Fund, being interest from investments,	4,188 85
" Balance to new account,	12,012 69		
	$24,298 00		$24,298 00

This certifies that I have examined the vouchers in the hands of the Treasurer, and find the above account correct.

NEW-YORK, May 9th, 1867. E. M. KINGSLEY.

CONDITION OF THE CHURCH ERECTION PERMANENT FUND, MAY 1, 1867.

Amount of Loans to Churches, secured by Bonds and Mortgages,	$23,820 65
Amount of Donations to Churches, secured by Bonds and Mortgages,	19,264 05
Amount of Permanent Investments, secured by Bonds and Mortgages on improved Real Property within the State of New-York, worth double the amount,	76,200 00
Amount of Call Loans,	4,500 00
Cash in Bank,	1,926 36
	$125,711 06

This certifies that I have examined the securities in the hands of the Treasurer, and find the above statement to be correct.

NEW-YORK, May 9th, 1867. E. M. KINGSLEY.

THE PERMANENT COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION *in account with* JESSE W. BENEDICT, *Treasurer.*

DR. *From May 1, 1866, to May 1, 1867.* CR.

To paid Students in Theological Seminaries, Colleges, and Academies, from May 1, 1866, to May 1, 1867,	$18,478 00	By Balance from last account,	$906 19
" paid expenses, being salary of General Secretary, traveling expenses, printing, stationery, rent, postage, internal revenue stamps, etc.,	3,381 01	" amount of contributions from Churches, as per accompanying statement,	19,847 67
" Balance to new account,	561 42	" amount of contributions from Individuals, as per accompanying statement,	1,423 22
		" part appropriation to Students last year returned, not used,	33 00
		" Interest received on Scholarships each for $2000, invested in United States Five-Twenties, as follows:	
		No. 1. Phelps Scholarship, $120 00	
		Premium on the gold, 51 45	171 45
		Nos. 2 and 3, 240 00	
		Premium on the gold, 102 90	342 90
		" Interest on Scholarship No. 4, invested in United States Seven-Thirties,	146 00
	$22,370 43		$22,370 43

This certifies that I have examined the vouchers in the hands of the Treasurer, and have audited the above account, and find the same correct.

Dated NEW-YORK, May 14th, 1867.

EZRA M. KINGSLEY.

THE PRESBYTERIAN PUBLICATION COMMITTEE *in account with* WM. L. HILDEBURN, *Treasurer.*

Dr.			Cr.	
To orders paid by Treasurer, namely:			By Balance on hand April 1st, 1866,.....	$465 51
On account of Committee,.....	$52,537 26		" Cash rec'd on acc't of Sales,.....	$37,165 10
" Store,.....	9,128 09		" " " " Donations,.....	8,128 49
" Presbyterian House,..	2,405 00		" " " " Presb. House,...	2,755 62
" Building Loan account,	20,079 91		" " " " Sales of Investments,.....	21,303 05
" U. S. Bonds purchased,	5,337 50		" " " " Building Loan account,.....	25,000 00
" Temporary loans,.....	6,500 00	$95,987 76	" " " Temporary loans, $6,500 00	
Balance to new account, ...		5,401 68	Less discount in Bank,..... 74 16	—6,425 84
			" " " Overpayments returned,.....	145 83
				100,923 93
		$101,389 44		$101,389 44
			" Balance to new account,.....	$5,401 68

PHILADELPHIA, April 1st, 1867. [E. E.] WM. L. HILDEBURN, *Treasurer.*

JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer, in account with the* TRUSTEES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN HOUSE.

DR.			CR.	
To Cash balance per Statement, May 1, 1866,		$989 16	Cash paid for Trust Accounts,	$4,565 26
Received Cash on Trust account,		6,000 00	" " Sinking Fund,	897 90
" by sale of Trust Fund,		3,936 97	" " Investment, Trust Fund,	5,000 47
" by Dividends and Interest,		1,556 36	" " Expenses,	28 00
" from Publication Committee to extinguish Ground Rent,		6,213 02	" " to extinguish original Ground Rent on the Presbyterian House,	20,000 00
" by sale of Sinking Fund Securities,		13,786 98	" " Church and Munger, Attorneys, on account of P. Douglass's Trust,	446 10
			Balance,	1,544 76
		$32,482 49		$32,482 49
To Balance, Philadelphia, May 1, 1867,		$1,544 76		

JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer.*

We have examined the foregoing account, compared it with the vouchers, and find it correct.

PHILADELPHIA, May 7th, 1867.

CHARLES STEWART WURTS, } *Auditors.*
DANIEL MARCH, }

JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer, in account with the* EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE MINISTERIAL RELIEF FUND.

DR. *From March 20, 1866, to April 30, 1867.* CR.

To Balance from last year,	$2,381 30	By paid Appropriations,	$7,800 00
" Contributions from churches and persons,	9,482 77	" Annual Report and Postage,	52 00
" Interest,	164 95	" Rent of office, fuel, etc.,	151 37
		" Proportion of *Presbyterian Monthly*,	87 52
		" Printing, Advertising and Stationery,	82 34
		" Secretary's salary for one year and three months, and traveling expenses,	1,289 40
		" Balance in the Treasury,	2,566 39
	$12,029 02		$12,029 02
To Balance to new account,	$2,566 39		
" Permanent Fund,	1,500 00		

PHILADELPHIA, April 30th, 1867.

JOHN C. FARR, *Treasurer.*

We have examined the above account, and find it correct.

WILLIAM T. EVA,
THOMAS J. SHEPHERD, } *Auditing Committee.*

IV. Miscellaneous.

I. EXPENSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The General Assembly of 1857 adopted the following Plan for the raising of an Annual Fund, to defray the traveling expenses of Commissioners, and the contingent expenses of the General Assembly.

"The Committee on the Polity of the Church, to whom was referred the consideration of a permanent system of Mileage, presented the following report, which was adopted:

"The Constitution affirms that, 'in order, as far as possible, to procure a respectable and full delegation to all our judicatories, it is proper that the expenses of ministers and elders, in their attendance on these judicatories, be defrayed by the bodies which they respectively represent.'

"The following recommendations are therefore submitted:

"That each Presbytery be earnestly requested to contribute annually their full proportion toward the expenses of our General Assemblies.

"That this proportion be determined by the number of communicants connected with the Presbytery.

"That the rate *per capita* for the next Assembly be five (5) cents for each communicant.

"That each Presbytery be at liberty to apportion their quota among their churches as they shall deem best.

"That the Standing Committee on Mileage, annually appointed, estimate and report the probable amount that will be needed to defray the necessary traveling expenses of the Commissioners, and the contingent expenses, of the next succeeding Assembly, together with the rate that will be adequate.

"That, on or before the fourth day of the sessions of each Assembly, the amount thus contributed be paid to the Committee on Mileage, and a bill be presented, by each Commissioner, of his necessary traveling expenses and mileage.

"That these bills, having been duly audited by the Mileage Committee, be paid as fully as the funds will permit, after appropriating an amount sufficient to defray the contingent expenses of the Assembly.

"That each minister and vacant church, connected with those Presbyteries who have contributed their full quota to this fund, be entitled to a copy of the Annual Minutes.

"That, in order to avail themselves of the privileges of this plan, the Presbyteries must contribute and forward to the Assembly their full proportion of this fund as thus determined."

This Plan was adopted after much and careful deliberation. It calls for an annual contribution, from each of our Presbyteries, to the amount, for the Assembly of 1868, of six cents for each of their communicants as reported in the *printed Minutes of the last Assembly*. Although but partially complied with, the wisdom of the Plan has been fully attested. During the past nine years, the Contingent Expenses have been fully paid, and an average of eighty-five and a half per cent of the necessary Traveling Ex-

penses of the Commissioners of the Presbyteries complying with the Plan. In 1860, 1861, 1864, and 1867, these expenses were paid *in full*. Such a result has never before been attained by us, or other General Assemblies. If the Presbyteries will but faithfully comply with the Plan, all the expenses will be met. In order to this,

1. Let the Commissioners be instructed to look *only to the Assembly* for the payment of their necessary Traveling Expenses.

2. Let the amount required be apportioned in due season among the churches of the Presbytery, according to their relative ability.

3. Let the Stated Clerk of the Presbytery be charged with the duty of collecting these apportionments, and forwarding the amount in good time to the Assembly.

4. Let the Commissioners of the Presbytery be instructed to pay to the Assembly the full apportionment thus obtained by the Stated Clerk; and to make good any deficiency in the amount, with the assurance of being reimbursed by the Presbytery on their return.

The adoption of such a course will, it is thought, secure a sum amply sufficient to meet all the Contingent Expenses of the Assembly, and all the necessary Traveling Expenses of all the Commissioners. It lays but a light burden on the feebler Presbyteries, and cannot prove grievous to the stronger. It is exceedingly desirable that the burden should not be laid on a part only. It is not just that the stronger Presbyteries should decline to bear their full proportion of the burden, whatever it may be.

In case it is found impracticable on the part of any Presbytery to comply with the Plan, a contribution is to be made, according to the Minutes of 1863, to the Contingent Fund of the Assembly, of an amount not less than seventy-five cents for each ministerial member of the Presbytery. (See Minutes of 1865, p. 461; of 1866, p. 275; and of 1867, p. 495.)

The estimate of return expenses must be by the cheapest route of travel, advantage being taken of reduction of fare when practicable. The Mileage Committee are to judge of the correctness of the bills rendered.

II. ANNUAL MINUTES.

The price, as determined by the Assembly of 1864, *is sixty cents*, postage not included. A copy will be sent, without charge, to the Stated Clerk of every Presbytery, and of every Synod; also, to every Minister, and the Session of every vacant church, whose address is known, and whose Presbytery has contributed to the Mileage Fund its full apportionment, or to the Contingent Fund not less than seventy-five cents for each of its Ministers; also, by order of the Assembly of 1863, to each of our Foreign Missionaries.

Presbyteries that desire their copies sent by mail are to give express directions to that effect, and forward the postage, at the rate of six cents per copy.

III. SYNODICAL REPORTS.

A *Statistical Report* is to be forwarded to the Assembly by the Stated Clerk of every Synod, in which are to be stated the number of Presbyteries, ministers, churches, licentiates and candidates within their bounds, and how distributed; the changes which may have been made in the number or arrangement of their Presbyteries; the names of the Stated Clerks of the Presbyteries; the place and hour of the next Annual Meeting; and the

names of the Moderator and Stated Clerk of the Synod. Such a Report is necessary in order to the correctness of the Tabular Report of the Synods, printed in the Appendix to the Minutes.

IV. PRESBYTERIAL REPORTS.

It is required of every Presbytery to prepare and forward to the General Assembly—

1. A *Statistical Report*, according to the form exhibited on page 569, of the present Appendix; of which a printed blank will be furnished in due season, by order of the Assembly, to the Stated Clerk of every Presbytery. This report should, if possible, embrace all the changes in the Presbytery previous to the first day of April.

2. *A Narrative of the State of Religion* within the bounds of the Presbytery for the year ending April 1st. These Narratives should specify facts in regard to the particular churches, their state, trials, encouragements, and prospects; how many of them, and which, have enjoyed revivals of religion through the year; in which of them the Catechisms are taught, Sabbath-Schools and Bible-Classes organized, the number of scholars in each, etc.; also the decease, if any, of the ministers of the Presbytery during the year; in the latter case, the age, date, and place, are, also, to be given. Also, its various arrangements for Church Extension; stating the number of its ministers, and the particular manner in which they are employed; the number of its churches, and how they are supplied; the gross amount of funds collected in its bounds for Home Missions and Church Erection; the amount received by its churches from the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions, or any Home Missionary Society; the number of houses of worship, with their probable value, whether they are free from debt, and what has been done within the year to relieve them from debt; the number of new churches organized, and new houses of worship erected; what itinerant arrangements have been adopted for preaching the Gospel; what and how much agency has been employed: together with all such other facts and suggestions as will show, from year to year, what has been accomplished, and what may need to be undertaken, to bring all the churches to a proper degree of effort to promote the kingdom of Christ. As the Narratives are not to be publicly read, less care may be given to their style, and more to the detail of particulars, such as will aid the Committee of the Assembly, in preparing their Annual General Narrative of the State of the Church.

V. STATED CLERKS OF PRESBYTERIES.

Attention is requested to the following particulars: Let the Stated Clerk of every Presbytery take special care,

1. That the Commissioners to the Assembly are furnished, in due season, with a *Commission*, according to the model prescribed in the Form of Government, chap. XXII., sec. ii.

2. That its proportion of the Mileage Fund of the Assembly be, also, in due season, apportioned annually by the Presbytery among its churches, and the full amount collected and forwarded, by the hands of one of the Commissioners, or by mail to the Stated Clerk of the Assembly.

3. That the *Presbyterial Reports*, specified in the previous article, be duly prepared, *authenticated*, and forwarded. These Reports should be on separate papers, for the convenience of the Assembly in referring them to distinct Committees.

In preparing the Statistical Report, let the following rules be strictly observed:

(1.) Carefully copy the blank form and order of columns, etc., on page ☞ 569, if a blank has not been received.

(2.) Record Ministers in the order of their *ministerial* age, with their *Christian* names in full; and their address in the adjoining column.

(3.) ☞ Place the name of every Church opposite the name of its Pastor, or Stated Supply; never opposite the name of any other minister; if vacant, place it at the foot of the roll. ☜

(4.) Place after the name of every minister, an Abbreviation, denoting his occupation; e. g.: P., for a Pastor; P. E., for a Pastor Elect; P. C., for a Pastor of a Congregational Church; C. P., for a Colleague Pastor; S. S., for a Stated Supply; H. M., for a Home Missionary; C. M., for a City Missionary; T. M., for a Tract Missionary; S. M., for a Synodical Missionary; S. S. M., for a Sunday-School Missionary; P. M., for a Presbyterial Missionary; F. M., for a Foreign Missionary; Pres., for the President of a College; Chan., for a Chancellor; Prof., for a Professor of a College or Theological Seminary; Sec., for a Secretary, and D. Sec., for a District Secretary, of a benevolent Institution; Ag., for an Agent of do.; Ch., for a Chaplain; Tea., for a Teacher; Ed., for an Editor; Ev., for an Evangelist; W. C., for a Minister without charge; Col., for a Colporteur; Com., for a Commissioner.

(5.) Place after the name of every church the abbreviations, P., for one that has a Pastor; P. E., for one that has a Pastor Elect; S. S., for one that has a Stated Supply; or V., for one that is Vacant.

(6.) If a church fails to report, let the "whole number" of communicants be given as reported to the Synod, or to the last Assembly, with an asterisk (*) in the column of communicants, denoting the fact.

(7.) In the *additions* to the Church, distinguish between those on *examination* and those on *certificate;* in the *baptisms*, between the *adults* and the *infants;* and be careful to observe the order of the columns in which these particulars are recorded.

(8.) In the report of "*Funds*" contributed, observe the directions at the foot of the blank form on the next page, ☞ 569; and **omit the fractions** of the dollar.

(9.) The *names* of the Licentiates are to be recorded immediately after the list of Ministers, in the same column; but of the candidates—including all who are studying for the ministry under the care of the respective *churches* of the Presbytery—the *number* only is to be given.

(10.) Avoid erasures or interlineations, make names and numbers distinctly legible, and punctuate properly.

(11.) ☞ **ADD UP** ☜ every column of figures, and *Authenticate* the Report with your *signature.*

(12.) Annex a Statement, with dates, of the licensures, ordinations, installations, dissolutions of pastoral relations, organizations of churches, changes in the names or number of churches, and the decease (with age, date, and place) of licentiates and ministers, since the last annual report.

(13.) Affix no extraneous matter, such as memoranda, explanations, or orders for the delivery of the printed Minutes of the Assembly; let these be given on a separate sheet.

☞ If any thing should prevent the forwarding of the Statistical Report in time for the meeting of the General Assembly, let it be sent, as soon as possible—not later than June 1st—by mail, to the Stated Clerk of the General Assembly, No. 149 West Thirty-Fourth street, New-York City.

FORM OF A PRESBYTERIAL REPORT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

The Presbytery of report to the General Assembly, that they consist of Ministers, and have under their care Churches, and Licentiates; and under the care of their Churches Students for the Ministry, viz.:—

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CANDIDATES	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	COMMUNICANTS. Added on Examination.	Added on Certificate.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	BAPTISMS. Adults.	Infants.	S. S. Membership.	FUNDS. General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
John Smith, D.D., P.	C——, N. J.	C——, P.															
Richard Roe, S. S.	P——, "	P——, First, S. S.															
Timothy Brown, W. C.—3.	O——, "																
		S——, P. E.															
Licentiates.		R——, North, V.—4.															
Edward Jones, S. S.	M——, N. Y.																
Timothy Edwards, Tea.	T——, Ohio.																
John Bliss, Ag.—3.	S——, N. J.																
Candidates, 2.		☞ ADD UP.															

☞ (Annex a statement, in this place, of the licensures, ordinations, installations, dissolutions of pastoral relations, organizations of churches, or any change in the name or number of churches, and the decease of licentiates and ministers, with dates in every case, since the last report.) Attest, JAMES JOHNSON, *Stated Clerk.*

Date.

☞ **In the column for Funds, the first six are to include only what is paid to our own treasuries, and for Foreign Missions. The seventh is to include the minister's salary, and all other expenses of the congregation. The last column is to include what is given for other benevolent objects. The fractions of the dollar are to be omitted. The Sabbath-School column is to include teachers as well as scholars, of both Church and Mission-Schools.**

VI. SUCCESSION OF MODERATORS.

			PRESBYTERIE
1.	A.D. 1789,	Rev. *John Rodgers, D.D., of	New-York.
2.	1790,	*Robert Smith, D.D.,	New-Castle.
3.	1791,	*John Woodhull, D.D.,	N. Brunswick.
4.	1792,	*John King, D.D.,	Carlisle.
5.	1793,	*James Latta, D.D.,	New-Castle.
6.	1794,	*Alexander McWhorter, D.D.,	New-York.
7.	1795,	*John McKnight, D.D.,	"
8.	1796,	*Robert Davidson,	Carlisle.
9.	1797,	*William M. Tennent, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
10.	1798,	*John Blair Smith, D.D.,	Albany.
11.	1799,	*Sam. Stanhope Smith, D.D., LL.D.,	N. Brunswick.
12.	1800,	*Joseph Clark, D.D.,	"
13.	1801,	*Nathaniel Irwin,	Philadelphia.
14.	1802,	*Azel Roe, D.D.,	New-York.
15.	1803,	*James Hall, D.D.,	Concord.
16.	1804,	*James F. Armstrong,	N. Brunswick.
17.	1805,	*James Richards, D.D.,	New-York.
18.	1806,	*Samuel Miller, D.D., LL.D.,	"
19.	1807,	*Archibald Alexander, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
20.	1808,	*Philip Milledoler, D.D.,	New-York.
21.	1809,	*Drury Lacy,	Hanover.
22.	1810,	*John Brodhead Romeyn, D.D.,	New-York.
23.	1811,	*Eliphalet Nott, D.D., LL.D.,	Albany.
24.	1812,	*Andrew Flinn, D.D.,	Harmony.
25.	1813,	*Samuel Blatchford, D.D.,	Columbia.
26.	1814,	*James Inglis, D.D.,	Baltimore.
27.	1815,	*William Neill, D.D.,	Albany.
28.	1816,	*James Blythe, D.D.,	W. Lexington.
29.	1817,	*Jonas Coe, D.D.,	Columbia.
30.	1818,	*Jacob Jones Janeway, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
31.	1819,	*John Holt Rice, D.D.,	Hanover.
32.	1820,	*John McDowell, D.D.,	Jersey.
33.	1821,	*William Hill, D.D.,	Winchester.
34.	1822,	*Obadiah Jennings, D.D.,	Steubenville.
35.	1823,	*John Chester, D.D.,	Albany.
36.	1824,	*Ashbel Green, D.D., LL.D.,	Philadelphia.
37.	1825,	*Stephen N. Rowan, D.D.,	New-York.
38.	1826,	*Thomas McAuley, D.D., LL.D.,	"
39.	1827,	*Francis Herron, D.D.,	Ohio.
40.	1828,	*Ezra Stiles Ely, D.D.,	Philadelphia.
41.	1829,	*Benjamin Holt Rice, D.D.,	Hanover.
42.	1830,	*Ezra Fisk, D.D.,	Hudson.
43.	1831,	Nathan S. S. Beman, D.D., LL.D.,	Troy.
44.	1832,	*James Hoge, D.D.,	Columbus.
45.	1833,	*William A. McDowell, D.D.,	Charleston Un.
46.	1834,	*Philip Lindsley, D.D.,	W. Tennessee.
47.	1835,	*William W. Phillips, D.D.,	New-York.
48.	1836,	*John Witherspoon, D.D., LL.D.,	Harmony.
49.	1837,	David Elliott, D.D.,	Ohio.
50.	1838,	*Samuel Fisher, D.D.,	Newark.
51.	1839,	Baxter Dickinson, D.D.,	Cincinnati.
52.	1840,	William Wisner, D.D.,	Ithaca.

			PRESBYTERIES.
A.D., 1843,	Rev.	Ansel D. Eddy, D.D., of	Newark.
1846,		Samuel Hanson Cox, D.D., LL.D.,	Brooklyn.
1849,		*Philip C. Hay, D.D.,	Tioga.
1850,		David H. Riddle, D.D., LL.D.,	Pittsburgh.
1851,		Albert Barnes,	Philadel., 4th.
1852,		William Adams, D.D.,	N. York, 4th.
1853,		D. Howe Allen, D.D.,	Cincinnati.
1854,		Thomas H. Skinner, D.D., LL.D.,	N. York, 3d.
1855,		William C. Wisner, D.D.,	Niagara.
1856,		Laurens P. Hickok, D.D.,	Troy.
1857,		Samuel W. Fisher, D.D.,	Cincinnati.
1858,		Matthew L. P. Thompson, D.D.,	Buffalo.
1859,		Robert W. Patterson, D.D.,	Chicago.
1860,		Thornton A. Mills,	Indianapolis.
1861,		Jonathan B. Condit, D.D.,	Cayuga.
1862,		George Duffield, D.D.,	Detroit.
1863,		Henry B. Smith, D.D., LL.D.,	N. York, 4th.
1864,		*Thomas Brainerd, D.D.,	Philadel., 4th.
1865,		James B. Shaw, D.D.,	Rochester.
1866,		Samuel M. Hopkins, D.D.,	Cayuga.
1867,		Henry A. Nelson, D.D.,	St. Louis.

VII. SUCCESSION OF STATED CLERKS.

			PRESBYTERIES.
A.D., 1788,	Rev.	*George Duffield, D.D., of	Philadelphia.
1790,		*Ashbel Green, D.D., LL.D.,	"
1803,		*Philip Milledoler, D.D.,	"
1806,		*Nathaniel Irwin,	"
1807,		*Jacob Jones Janeway, D.D.,	"
1817,		*William Neill, D.D.,	"
1825,		*Ezra Stiles Ely, D.D.,	"
1836,		*John McDowell, D.D.,	"
1838,		*Erskine Mason, D.D.,	New-York, 3d.
1846,		Edwin Francis Hatfield, D.D.,	"

VIII. SUCCESSION OF PERMANENT CLERKS.

			PRESBYTERIES.
A.D., 1802,	Rev.	*Nathaniel Irwin, of	Pennsylvania.
1807,		*John Ewing Latta,	New-Castle.
1825,		*John McDowell, D.D.,	Elizabethtown.
1837,		John M. Krebs, D.D.,	New-York.
1838,		*Eliphalet W. Gilbert, D.D.,	Philadel., 4th.
1854,		Henry Darling, D.D.,	" 3d.
1864,		J. Glentworth Butler, D.D.,	" 3d.

V. Statistical Reports

I. OF THE SYNODS.

SYNODS.	PRESBYTERIES.	PLACE OF MEETING.	TIME OF MEETING.	MODERATORS.	STATED CLERKS.
I. ALBANY.	Champlain, Troy, Albany, Columbia, Catskill.—5.	Whitehall, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1867, 7 P.M.	Andrew J. Fennel.	A. Bordman Lambert, D.D.
II. UTICA.	St. Lawrence, Watertown, Oswego, Utica.—4.	Clinton, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	Albert H. Corliss.	William E. Knox, D.D.
III. ONONDAGA.	Onondaga, Cayuga, Cortland, Tioga.—4.	Baldwinsville, N. Y.	Oct., 2d Tuesday, 1867, 7 P.M.	Lewis H. Reid.	Lewis H. Reid.
IV. GENEVA.	Geneva, Steuben, Chemung, Ithaca, Wellsborough, Lyons.—6.	Geneva, N. Y.	Sept., 3d Tuesday, 1867, 7 P.M.	Sam. J. McCullough.	Benjamin M. Goldsmith.
V. SUSQUEHANNA.	Otsego, Chenango, Delaware.—3.	Unadilla, N. Y.	Sept., 3d Tuesday, 1867, 7 P.M.	Charles Gillette.	Samuel N. Robinson.
VI. GENESEE.	Buffalo, Ontario, Rochester, Genesee, Niagara, Genesee Valley.—6.	Geneseo, N. Y.	Sept., 2d Tuesday, 1867, 4 P.M.	Milton Waldo.	Timothy Stillman, D.D.
VII. NEW-YORK AND NEW-JERSEY.	Hudson, North River, Long Island, N. York, 3d, N. York, 4th, Brooklyn, Newark, Rockaway, Montrose.—9.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1867, 7 P.M.	Theo. L. Cuyler, D.D.	Obadiah M. Johnson.
VIII. PENNSYLVANIA.	Wilmington, Philadelphia, 3d, Philadelphia, 4th, Harrisburgh, District of Columbia.—5.	Williamsport, Pa.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	William E. Moore.	William E. Moore.
IX. W. PENNSYLVANIA.	Erie, Meadville, Pittsburgh.—3.	North-East, Pa.	Sept., 4th Friday, 1867, 7 P.M.	William T. Dickson.	George A. Lyon, D.D.
X. MICHIGAN.	Detroit, Monroe, Marshall, Washtenaw, Kalamazoo, Coldwater, Saginaw, Gr'd River Valley, Lansing.—9.	Saginaw City, Mich.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1867, 7 P.M.	Wm. A. McCorkle.	William S. Taylor.
XI. WESTERN RESERVE.	G. River, Huron, Trumbull, Clevelan and Portage, Maumee.—5.	Cleveland, Ohio.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1867, 2 P.M.	George A. Adams.	Xenophon Betts.
XII. OHIO.	Athens, Pataskala, Franklin, Scioto.—4.	Marietta, Ohio.	Oct., Friday, after 2d Tuesday, 1867, 10½ A.M.	Ed. D. Morris, D.D.	Addison Kingsbury, D.D.
XIII. CINCINNATI.	Cincinnati, Ripley, Dayton, Hamilton.—4.	Troy, Ohio.	Oct., 4th Friday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	Clement E. Babb.	Joseph Chester.

XIV. INDIANA.	Salem, Madison, Indianapolis, Greencastle.—4.	New-Albany, Ind.	Oct., 2d Thursday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	Nimian S. Dickey.	John M. Bishop.
XV. WABASH.	Crawfordsville, St. Joseph, Logansport, Fort Wayne.—4.	La Porte, Ind.	Oct., 3d Thursday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	James H. Johnston.	Francis S. McCabe.
XVI. ILLINOIS.	Illinois, Schuyler, Wabash, Alton.—4.	Augusta, Ill.	Oct., 1st Thursday, 1867, 7 P.M.	William L. Tarbett.	George C. Wood.
XVII. PEORIA.	Ottawa, Knox, Galena and Belvidere, Chicago, Bloomington.—5.	Chicago, Ill.	Oct., 3d Tuesday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	William S. Curtis, D.D.	Zeph. M. Humphrey, D.D.
XVIII. WISCONSIN.	Milwaukee, Fox River, Columbus, Lake Superior.—4.	Milwaukee, Wis.	Sept., 3d Thursday, 1867, 7 P.M.	James W. Stack.	Benjamin G. Riley.
XIX. IOWA.	Des Moines, Keokuk, Iowa City, Dubuque, Charlton, Cedar Rapids.—6.	Des Moines, Ia.	Sept., 2d Thursday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	James M. Phillips.	Hannibal L. Stanley.
XX. MINNESOTA.	Dakota, Minnesota, Winona.—3.	Mankato, Minn.	Sept., last Thursday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	Stephen R. Riggs.	Charles S. Le Duc.
XXI. MISSOURI.	St. Louis, Northern Missouri, Lexington, Osage, Kansas.—5.	St. Louis, Mo.	Nov., 2d Thursday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	Henry A. Nelson, D.D.	Henry A. Nelson, D.D.
XXII. TENNESSEE.	Union, Kingston, Holston.—3.	Athens, Tenn.	Sept., last Thursday, 1867, 11 A.M.	Wallace W. Thorpe.	Thomas J. Lamar.
XXIII. ALTA CALIFORNIA.	San Francisco, San José, Sierra Nevada, Washoe.—4.	San Francisco, Cal.	Oct., 1st Wednesday, 1867, 7½ P.M.	Henry M. Scudder, D.D.	Edward B. Walsworth.

KEY TO THE ABBREVIATIONS, &c., IN THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE.

An asterisk, (*) attached to the name of a Presbytery, denotes that no Report has been received from that Presbytery the present year, and that the deficiency is supplied from the last Report rendered, and other sources, if any. An asterisk is also attached to the number of Communicants, when a *Church* has failed to render a Report, and the deficiency is supplied in like manner. The same sign attached to the first column shows the *whole number of Additions*, both on Examination and Certificate, no distinction having been made in the Presbyterial Report. The same sign, in the "General Assembly" column, shows the excess of the payment to the Assembly above the sum reported.

The following abbreviations also are used: P., for *Pastor;* P. E., for *Pastor Elect;* C. P., for *Colleague Pastor;* P. C., for *Pastor of a Congregational Church;* S. S., for *Stated Supply;* W. C., for *Without Charge;* Ag., for *Agent;* H. M., for *Home Missionary;* C. M., for *City Missionary;* T. M., for *Tract Missionary;* P. M., for *Presbyterial Missionary;* S. M., for *Synodical Missionary;* S. S. M., for *Sunday-School Missionary;* F. M., for *Foreign Missionary;* Pres., for *President;* Chan., for *Chancellor;* Prof., for *Professor;* Tea., for *Teacher;* Ed., for *Editor;* Ev., for *Evangelist;* Ch., for *Chaplain;* Sec., for *Secretary* of a Benevolent Society; D. Sec., for *District Secretary;* Col., for *Colporteur;* Com., for *Commissioner;* and V., for a *Vacant* Church.

II. OF THE PRESBYTERIES.

MINISTERS, LICENTIATES, AND CANDIDATES.	ADDRESS.	CHURCHES.	COMMUNICANTS.				BAP'D.		S. S. Membership.	FUNDS CONTRIBUTED.							
			Added on Examination.	Added on Certificate.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	Adults.	Infants.		General Assembly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.
I. SYNOD OF ALBANY.																	
1. *Presb. of Champlain.*																	
Moses Chase, W. C.	Plattsburgh, N. Y.																
Rufus R. Deming, W. C.	Constable, "																
Moses Thacher, W. C.	Geneseo, Ill.																
Silas R. Woodruff, W. C.	Leavenworth, Kan.																
Stephen H. Williams, W. C.	North-Hero, Vt.																
Charles M. Seaton, P. C.	Charlotte, "																
Cyrenius Ransom, P.	Moriah, N. Y.	Port Henry, P.			*30					2 00							
Andrew M. Millar, S. S.	Malone, "	Burke, S. S.	28	4	60		16	4	135	5 00						800	15
Benjamin Marvin, W. C.	Bangor, "																
George T. Everest, S. S.	Peru, "	Peru, S. S.			*49					2 00							
Jonathan Copeland, S. S.	Champlain, "	Champlain, S. S.	96	11	392	109	51	4	343	10 00	27	143	13	20		1500	732
John Bradshaw, Ag.	New-York City, N.Y.																
Alanson D. Barber, S. S.	Willsborough, "																
Edwin A. Bulkley, P.	Plattsburgh, "	Plattsburgh, P.	20	9	252	82	3	13	171	12 00	62	84	22	21		2975	142
Royal G. Wilder, F. M.	Kolapoor, India.																
John R. Herrick, Prof.	Bangor, Me.	Malone, S. S.	7	5	416	129	3	8	280	10 00	819	385				3550	785
Silas G. Randall, W. C.	Rockford, Ill.																
Henry E. Butler, P.	Keeseville, N. Y.	Keeseville, P.	10	1	220	53	6		172		10	103	33			2324	41
Archibald Fleming, W. C.	Constable, "																
Ebenezer M. Toof, W. C.	Holley, N. Y.																

Chandler N. Thomas, P.	FortCovington,N.Y.	Fort Covington, P.	26	2	180		14	2	275			33					7300	82
Charles N. Wilder, P.—22.	Essex, N. Y.	Essex, P.		5	101	36			75			31	34				1060	
		Beekmantown, V.	18	3	173	32	7		140	5	00	10	19				941	36
		Mooers, S. S.	19	2	93	15	9	13	94	4	00		31				725	19
		Chateaugay, S. S.	1	1	102	12	5		119	5	00						950	
Candidates, 4.		Constable, S. S.	1	2	45	5			100	2	00						500	50
		Ellenburgh, S. S.	3		42	9	3	1	56	2	00		5		4		500	42
		Au Sable Forks, S. S.	3	1	49	13	1		100	3	00	20	10				600	100
		Bedford, V.			*30													
		Chazy, V.—17.			*57													
			232	46	2291	495	118	45	2060	62	00	1012	814	68	45		23,725	2044
2. *Presb. of Troy.*																		
Nathan S. S. Beman, D.D., LL.D., P. Em.	Carbondale, Ill.																	
Jonathan H. Noble, D.D., P.	Schaghticoke, N. Y.	Schaghticoke, P.	10	7	200	40	8		150	11	52	176	201	28			1500	211
L. P. Hickok, D.D., LL.D., Pres.	Schenectady, "																	
A. Bordman Lambert, D.D., P.	Hoosick Falls, "	Hoosick Falls, P.	1	6	165	31			160	10	00	100	75	13			3004	
Lewis Kellogg, P.	Whitehall, "	Whitehall, P.	3	2	226	29		6	240	13	00	256	144				2160	185
Andrew Jackson Fennel, P.	Glenn's Falls, "	Glenn's Falls, P.	2		242	50	1	2	125	15	00		45			37	20,000	
Chauncey H. Hubbard, S. S.	Bennington, Vt.																	
Rufus C. Clapp, W. C.	Chestertown, N. Y.																	
Robert Day,	Nassau, "																	
Jotham Sewall, S. S.	North-Granville, "	North-Granville, S.S.	4	1	104	36	1	2	95	7	98	59	47	13			728	97
Samuel M. Wood, S. S.	Eagle Mills, "	Brunswick, S. S.	1		86		1		60	5	40		35				833	61
Waters Warren, S. S.																		
Joseph Hurlbut, S. S.																		
John Newbanks, W. C.	Troy, "																	
Jacob A. Prime, P.	Troy, "	Troy, Liberty st., P.	4	1	55	9	3	5	98	3	00			2			944	
John Turbitt, W. C.	Hebron, "																	
Marvin R. Vincent, P.	Troy, "	Troy, First, P.	15	20	675	330	6	4	500	47	00	600	300	75	50	66	9444	7986
James M. Crawford, S. S.	South-Hartford, "																	
Henry S. Redfield, S. S.	Mannsville, "	[S. S.																
Joshua B. Hall, S. S.	Lansingburgh, "	Lansingburgh, Olivet,	6		100	10	4	3	150	7	14	250			30		1350	135

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Charles F. Dowd, Tea.	N'th-Granville, N.Y.																
Charles D. Flagler, S. S.																	
Asahel Bronson, S. S.	Hebron, "	Hebron, S. S.			29				25	1 86							
M. C. Bronson, S. S.	Hebron, "																
John Henry Brodt, S. S.—25.	Salem, "	Salem, S. S.	1	3	130				110	7 80	65	135	16		16	1500	330
		Middle Granville, V.		1	51	8		1	80				15			700	40
		Warrensburgh, V.			31				80	2 00							
		Johnsonville, V.	1	5	58		1		100	3 25	11	14				550	155
		Pittstown, V.	1		24				30	1 50	11	17		12		475	60
		Chestertown, V.			*61					6 00							
Licentiate.		Fort Ann, V.															
		Bolton, V.—18.															
Eli T. Mack, Tea.—1.	Flatbush, L. I., N.Y.																
			53	46	2237	543	25	23	2003	142 45	1528	1013	162	92	119	43,138	9260
Candidates, 5.																	
8. *Presb. of Albany.*																	
Charles Doolittle, S. S.	Lamonte, Mich.	[erd, P. E.															
Philander Barbour, P. E.	Brainerd, N. Y.	East-Nassau & Brain-	1		78	12	1		190	5 00	232	50	10		10	860	60
Lumas H. Pease,	New-Britain, Ct.																
Henry Darling, D.D., P.	Albany, N.Y.	Albany, Fourth, P.	25	48	777		10	12	632	15 54	1281	538				43,640	582
Stephen Bush, S. S.	Waterford, "																
Frederick S. Jewell, Prof.	Albany, "																
William Whittaker, S. S.	Greenbush, "																
Zerah T. Hoyt, S. S.	West-Greenfield, "																
John R. Young, P.	Greenbush, "	Greenbush, P.	8	5	142	5	3	1	172		109	164				3340	71
Horatio Pattengill, Ed.	Cohoes, "																

William H. Carr, S. S.	Albany, N. Y.	Pinegrove, S. S.	6	13	19			70							500	
Charles H. Theberath, C. M.	Albany, "															
Frederick W. Flint, W. C.	St. Paul, Minn.															
Daniel C. Frost, S. S.	Putnam, Ct.															
John P. Cushman, P. C.	Brighton, Mass.								*65	30						
Albert C. Bishop, P.	Sand Lake, N. Y.	Sand Lake, P.	1		110	25	1	117	5	00	141	35	20		1149	52
Eber M. Rollo, S. S.—17.	Stephentown, "	Stephentown, S. S.		1	54		1	50			24				740	60
		Cohoes, V.	6	12	288	88		1	290			115	100	25	1674	100
		Mechanicsville & Stillwater, P. E.	3	6	57	9	2	3	60						500	
Candidate, 1.		Nassau, V.	4		40			1	40			5	4	2	2	817	52
		Edinburgh, S. S.			*62											
		Moreau, V.			*9											
		West-Troy, V.—12.			*6											
			54	85	1642	139	17	19	1621	90	84	1907	891	32	27	10	53,220	977
4. *Presb. of Columbia.*																
Brainerd Kent, W. C.	Chicago, Ill.															
John Whitney, S. S.	Canaan Four C., N. Y.	Canaan Centre, S. S.	3		35			2	20	2	52		12			400	13
Charles S. Sylvester, S. S.	Richmond, Mass.															
Charles T. Berry, P.	Valatie, N. Y.	Valatie, P.	2	1	229	49		2	150	14	22	42	57	23	20	1635	58
John McVey, P.	New-Lebanon, N. Y.	New-Lebanon, P.	1	1	63	12	1	2	130	3	78	25	85			1000	400
		Hudson, V.	16	6	386	50	3	6	220	22	68	78	343	35	43	3000	300
Hiram Slauson, S. S.—6.	Spencertown, N. Y.	Spencertown, S. S.			*55					3	30						
		Hillsdale, V.—6.			*50					3	00						
Candidate, 1.																
			22	8	818	111	4	12	520	49	50	145	497	58	20	43	6035	771
5. *Presb. of Catskill.*																
Leonard B. Van Dyck, W. C.	Coxsackie, N. Y.															
John B. Fish, W. C.																

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John Moase, Col.	Middleburgh, N. Y.																
J. Judson Buck, W. C.	Jewett, "																
Andrew P. Freese, W. C.	Vineland, N. J.																
George A. Howard, P.	Catskill, N. Y.	Catskill, P.	15	5	247		2	5		20 00	332	74	59			1324	734
Yates Hickey, P.	Greenville, "	Greenville, P.	11	4	93	70	2	3		9 00	47	47	13	34		1000	140
V. Le Roy Lockwood, P.	Durham, "	Durham, First, P.	45	4	200				198	12 00	236	161	14	15	12	1250	401
Alvin Cooper, S. S.	Durham, "	Durham, Second, S. S.	5		70	5	2	2	50	4 00	70	21	10	10		485	138
William Hart, P.—10.	Malden, "	Malden, P.	9		48		2	7	70	6 00	91	57				5535	102
		Ashland, S. S.			*54												
		Cairo, S. S.		3	90					4 00	30		5				
		Centreville, S. S.	20	1	85	17	12		90	3 00	15	5				585	
		East-Windham, V.			*33												
Candidates, 2.		Hunter, S. S.	1		95	15		1	75	5 00	30	40					10
		Jewett, V.	1	2	128			3	60	9 00							
		Livingstonville, V.			*30												
		Rensselaerville, V.			69					4 00							
		Windham Centre, S.S.	20	2	107	23	8	1	110	9 00		40				1718	50
		[—14.															
			127	21	1349	130	28	22	653	74 34	851	445	101	59	12	12,497	1575
II. Synod of Utica.																	
1. *Presb. of St. Lawrence.*																	
Rufus Pratt, W. C.	Dorset, Vt.																
Elijah W. Plumb, D.D., Tea.	Potsdam, N. Y.																
Bliss Burnap, S. S.	Parishville, "																
Cyrus Hudson, S. S., and H. M.	Ellsworth, "	Ellsworth, S. S.			*25												
Baruch B. Beckwith, W. C.	Gouverneur, "																

John Waugh, P.	Canton, N. Y.	Canton, P.	11	11	187		7		152	11	00		43				900	300
Andrew Johnston, P.	Waddington, "	Waddington, P.			*60													
Herman C. Riggs, P.	Potsdam, "	Potsdam, P.	16	17	206		2	1	125	13	00	155	72			14	1730	168
Newton J. Conklin, P.	Gouverneur, "	Gouverneur, P.	10	13	179			6	170	13	00	316	206	12	44		4348	363
Samuel W. Pratt, W. C.—10.	Livonia, "																	
		Brasher Falls, V.			57				100	4	00	35	192				650	125
		De Kalb, V.			*18													
		Herman, V.—8.			*22													
			37	41	754		9	7	547	41	00	506	513	12	44	14	7628	951
2. Presb. of Watertown.																		
Calvin Yale, W. C.	Martinsburgh, N. Y.																	
Isaac Brayton, W. C.	Albany, "																	
Alvan Parmelee, S. S.	Woodville, "																	
Joseph A. Canfield, Ch.	Dannemora, "																	
J. Jermain Porter, P.	Watertown, "	Watertown, First, P.	54	4	335		25	8	240	35	00	370	420	71		89	3500	1465
Enos Wood, S. S.	Dexter, "	Dexter, S. S.		1	45				120	6	00	6	13	10			460	
Willard M. Hoyt, P.	Chaumont, "	Chaumont, S. S.	3	3	63	23	2		150	4	00			40		9	300	50
Lyman B. Waldo, W. C.	Adams, "																	
Samuel L. Merrell, S. S.	Theresa, "	Theresa, S. S.			110	30		2	50	6	00	12	11				325	17
		Carthage, S. S.	1	5	71	30		4	70	5	00	8					1071	
Otis M. Legate, *In transitu.*	Claysville, Mo.																	
William H. Lockwood, *In*	Eau Claire, Wis.																	
Edward Lord, P. [*transitu.*	Adams, N. Y.	Adams, P.	34	2	243		20	15	150	15	00	103	65				3200	
John B. Preston, S. S.	Cape Vincent, "	Cape Vincent, S. S.	10		82		3		185	5	00	20	49	16		7	1000	45
Garret L. Roof, P.	Lowville, "	Lowville, P.	8	4	140		1	2	80	12	00	53	54				1500	
Phineas C. Headley, S. S.	Waterville, Me.																	
Richard G. Keyes, W. C.	Watertown, N. Y.																	
John H. Beckwith, S. S.	Evans's Mills, "	Le Ray, S. S.	6	2	51		4		107	5	00	4					400	238
Henry Hickok, S. S.	Sackett's Har., "	Sackett's Harbor, S. S.	2	9	94		1	2		6	00	4	34	21	25			
George D. Baker, P.	Watertown, "	Watertown, Stone st.,	42	12	231		13	8	185	12	00	125	100	40	26	35	1920	400
George W. Mackie, S. S.	Chicago, Ill.	[P.																

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David A. Holbrook, Tea.—21.	Sing Sing, N. Y.																
		Brownville, S. S.	2	3	28				40	4 00	8	11	19			216	240
		Plessis, S. S.	3		80		2	2	72	6 00	14		6			300	9
		Martinsburgh, V.			30					3 00						415	
Candidates, 4.		West-Turin, V.	1	1	15				50	2 00	14	7				150	10
		Philadelphia, V.			14												
		Orleans, V.			12				20		5						
		Belleville, V.			*32												
		Turin, V.—19.	24		98		13	1	120	5 00	19	17				745	35
			190	46	1774	83	84	44	1639	131 00	765	781	214	51	140	15,502	2509
3. *Presb. of Oswego.*																	
Thomas A. Weed, P.	Mexico, N. Y.	Mexico, P.	26	8	235		15	14	200		146			183	26	1425	118
Samuel W. Leonard, W. C.	West-Monroe, "																
Peter W. Emens, P.	Volney, "	Volney, P.			90				120		11	8				800	35
John Reid, P.	New-Haven, "	New-Haven, P.	20	1	118	7	11	1	110			65			7	872	176
John Niles Hubbard, P.	Hannibal, "	Hannibal, P.	6	1	124		1		160		20	20	5	28		850	75
Ezra Scovell, W.	New-Haven, "																
Jeremiah N. Diament, S. S.	Redfield, "	Redfield, S. S.		2	40			2	45		10	11	5		3	700	5
Archibald M. Shaw, S. S.	Constantia, "	Constantia, S. S.	24	5	56		11	4	30		5	5				621	39
Henry N. Millerd, S. S.—9.	Williamstown, "	Williamstown, S. S.	16	4	77		11	1	180			4				647	61
		Fulton & Granby, S. S.	8	3	235		4	1	125		107	265	30			2510	309
		West-Camden, S. S.			*17												
		Cleveland, S. S.—10.			*8												
			100	24	1000	7	53	23	970	95 88	299	378	40	211	36	8415	818

4. *Presb. of Utica.*																			
David Chassell, D.D., W. C.	Holland Pat'nt,	N.Y.																	
Anson Gleason, C. M.	Brooklyn,	"																	
Samuel W. Brace, Ag.	Utica,	"																	
Augustus L. Chapin, S. S.	Amsterdam,	"																	
Henry Boynton, W. C.	Clinton,	"																	
Theodore Spencer, W. C.	Utica,	"																	
Philemon H. Fowler, D.D., P.	"	"	Utica, First, P.	59	12	562		14	13	840	36	40	3169	969	122	53		7490	8917
Samuel W. Fisher, D.D., P.	"	"	" Westminster, P.	48	31	297	6	9	3	500	21	00							
Nich. W. Goertner, D.D., Com.	Clinton,	"																	
Samuel W. Raymond, W. C.	"	"																	
Selden Haines, W. C.	Rome,	"																	
Jonathan B. Hubbard, P. E.	Joliet, Ill.																		
William E. Knox, D.D., P.	Rome,	N. Y.	Rome, P.	13	16	356		3	4	543	23	71	166	440	47	32	33	3124	597
Elliot H. Payson, P. E.	Oxford,	"																	
Chester Fitch, P.	New-York Mills,	"	New-York Mills, P.	5	4	138			3	225			187	173	1050			1100	1132
Franklin A. Spencer, Sec.	Syracuse,	"																	
Edward C. Pritchett, S. S.	Oriskany,	"	Oriskany, S. S.	6	5	60		2	3	160	4	20	10	10				2000	10
A. Delos Gridley, W. C.	Clinton,	"																	
William S. Franklin, P.	Camden,	"	Camden, P.	3	6	369			2	225	25	75	37			20	19	2260	
Daniel C. Tyler, S. S.	Taberg,	"	Taberg, S. S.																
John Lyle, C. M.	Utica,	"																	
Benjamin F. Willoughby, P.	Augusta,	"	Augusta, P.	10	3	176		2	2		12	32	76	62	21			750	126
Albert H. Corliss, P.	Holland Patent,	"	Holland Patent, P.	5	2	126		1	2	120	8	82	110	67	86			3700	318
Elijah H. Bonney, S. S.	Vernon Centre,	"	Vernon Centre, S. S.	1	6	127			3	70	8	82		41				1132	56
Charles Jerome, Ag.	Clinton,	"																	
William N. McHarg, Prof.	"	"																	
Chester W. Hawley, P.	Waterville,	"	Waterville, P.	53	10	194	27	24	10	218	13	58	94	122	42	30	42	1800	315
Wilson B. Parmelee, P.	Westernville,	"	Westernville, P.	2	2	101	12	1	1	90	7	00	37	155			13	937	115
Edwin E. Williams, P. C.	Warsaw,	"																	
W. Frederick Williams, F. M.	Marden, E. T'key,	A.																	
Michael V. D. Waters, W. C.	Gravesville,	N. Y.																	
Dillon Williams, W. C.	Cleveland,	"																	
John W. Whitfield, Ag.	Whitesboro,	"																	

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Edward B. Furbish, P.	New-Hartford, N. Y.	New-Hartford, P.	28	7	173		6	4	175		62	68	44	97			8
Moses E. Dunham, S. S.	Whitesboro, "	Whitesboro, S. S.	3	3	153	8	3	1	120	9 00	105	56				1057	108
Albert Erdman, P.	Clinton, "	Clinton, P.	43	30	295	4	21	1	175	17 50	220	220	83	37	32	2876	334
Gavin P. Hamilton, P.	Vernon, "	Vernon, P.	6	4	78	37	3	4	74	5 60	40	40			6	899	47
William M. Robinson, S. S.	Forest Port, "	Forest Port and Alder [Creek, S. S.	1	1	18				40		10					200	12
E. Woodward Brown, *In trans.*	Carthage, "																
Augustus C. Shaw, S. S.	Clayville, N. Y.	Clayville, S. S.	7	11	92		2	3	150	6 74		53				1057	20
John R. Lewis, P.—41.	Booneville, "	Booneville, P.	27	2	200	9	16	6	200	12 25	37	100	16	64		1402	
Licentiates.		Hamilton College, S.S.			*64												
		Sauquoit, V.	11		129		6	8	137	8 96	62	66				904	101
Anson J. Upson, Prof.	Clinton, "	Lyons Falls, V.			*27					1 90							
Samuel S. Vischer.—2.	Rome, "	Norwich Corners, V.			*19												
		Verona, S. S.	10	2	122	9	4	2	90							4706	118
		South-Trenton, S. S.			*22												
Candidates, 8.		Deerfield, S. S.	5	1	48		4		55							430	72
		Osceola, V.			*18												
		Newport, V.			*5											210	
		Grant, V.		1	8			2	45		10						
		Trenton, S. S.			*19												
		Fairfield, V.			*5												
		Florence, V.			*15												
		North-Bay, V.			*25												
		Russia, V.—34.			*5												
III. Synod of Onondaga.			346	159	4045	112	121	77	4247	223 55	4432	2642	1511	333	747	38,034	12,406
1. *Presb. of Onondaga.*																	
George S. Boardman, D.D., W. C.	Cazenovia, N. Y.																
Royal A. Avery, W. C.	Gloversville, "																

Orin Hyde, W. C.	Fayetteville, N. Y.																	
Marcus Smith, S. S.	Collamer, "	Collamer, S. S.	1		61					2 00	18		4				16	
Ebenezer C. Beach, W. C.	Lysander, "																	
Sherman B. Canfield, D.D., P.	Syracuse, "	Syracuse, First, P.	13	27	520		8	5	406	30	00	1063	570	300	443		4277	6140
Lewis H. Reid, P.	" "	Syracuse, 1st Ward, P.	38	5	205		21	2		12	00	80	75		37			308
George W. Thompson, W. C.	" "																	
Ebenezer G. Townsend, W. C.	U. S. Army.																	
Alfred A. Graley, S. S.	Manlius, N. Y.	Manlius, S. S.	9	1	56		6	1		3	00	27	55					42
John F. Kendall, P. [*trans.*	Baldwinsville, "	Baldwinsville, P.	22	7	195		14	5	180			249	125	13	15	14	1500	127
William J. Erdman, W. C., *In*	Fayetteville, "																	
James Marshall, W. C.	Syracuse, "																	
John S. Bacon, S. S.	Belle Isle, "	Amboy, S. S.	15	2	127		7	1	150	6	00	18	55	24		9	1200	11
George D. Horton, S. S.	Jamesville, "	Jamesville, S. S.			*25													
Nathan P. Campfield, P. [C.	Cazenovia, "	Cazenovia, P.	16	5	240		10	2		16	00	207	284	63				536
Montgomery M. Wakeman, W.																		
William R. Powers, P.	Lysander, "	Lysander, P.	6	2	99		3	1		6	00	10	10					45
Alvin Baker, S. S.	Otisco, "	Otisco, S. S.			*179					8	50							
Richard T. Searle, P.—20.	Liverpool, "	Liverpool, P.			100				200	6	00							47
		Camillus, V.			*47													
		Pompey Hill, S. S.	8		150	37	5		80	9	00	25	40					120
		La Fayette, S. S.	15	4	116		6	1		7	00	15	14			10		45
		Wampsville, V.			16													
		Pompey Centre, V.			*26													
		Onondaga Valley, S.S.			*91													
		Onondaga, V.			*22													
		Lenox, S. S.			45													
		Fayetteville, V.	8	2	206			4		10	00	203	82		15			153
		Oneida Lake, V.—21.	1		27			1		2	00							56
			152	55	2613	37	80	23	1016	118	50	1915	1310	404	510	33	6977	7646
2. *Presb. of Cayuga.*																		
Henry Mills, D.D. Prof.	Auburn, N. Y.																	
John C. Morgan, W. C.	Ira, "																	

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Oliver S. Taylor, W. C.	Auburn, N. Y.																
Medad Pomeroy, W. C.	" "																
William Johnson, W. C.	Owasco, "																
Tertius S. Clarke, D.D.	Stockbridge, Mass.																
George W. Warner, Ag.	Weedsport, N. Y.																
Edwin Hall, D.D., Prof.	Auburn, "																
Jonathan B. Condit, D.D., Prof.	" "																
Samuel M. Hopkins, D.D., Prof.	" "																
Ezra A. Huntington, D.D., Prof.	" "	Aurelius, S. S.			43				15	3 60	3	4	3	3	3	245	
Lorenzo Lyons, F. M.	Waimea, Hawaii.	Sennett, S. S.	4	10	116		3	1	75	7 00	37	17	10	8		875	61
Charles Anderson, P. E.	Union Springs, N.Y.	Springport, P. E.	10	4	83		5	8	90	4 50	40	18	20	14		1360	90
Beaufort Ladd, W. C.	Victory, "	Victory, S. S.	4	1	28		2		40	2 00							10
Thomas R. Townsend, W. C.	Meridian, "	Marcellus, First, S. S.		4	137				200	9 50	38	40				900	236
Justus Doolittle, F. M.	Tientsin, China.																
Charles Hawley, D.D., P.	Auburn, N. Y.	Auburn, First, P.	80	21	591		22	15	475	47 64	1408	644	155	124		4290	1800
Amos Crocker, S. S.	King's Ferry, "	Genoa, First, S. S.		3	76				72	5 00	75	60				1070	210
Daniel H. Temple, W. C.	W. Bloomfield, N. J.																
Henry Fowler, P.	Auburn, N. Y.	Auburn, Central, P.	36	24	250		16	12	200	12 00	300					2952	
Samuel W. Boardman, P.	" "	Auburn, Second, P.	41	18	333				200	21 00	500	215	83	40		6457	98
Horace H. Allen, S. S.	Cayuga, "	Cayuga, S. S.	19	3	120		11		100	6 50		35				3100	10
Albert C. Reed, S. S.	Port Byron, "																
Marcus N. Preston, P.	Skaneateles, "	Skaneateles, P.	2	3	141		2	5	190	9 00	92	232	4		12	1350	17
Samuel B. Sherrill, P.	Meridian, "	Cato, P.	14	5	184		7	4	160	9 50	24	79	20	21		1400	
William W. Howard, P.	Aurora, "	Aurora, P.	16	6	108		11	3	70	6 00	92	306	45	52	45	1250	237
Philander Read.																	
Philemon R. Day, P. E.	Saratoga, "	Scipio, S. S.			28												
Charles A. Conant, P. [*trans.*	Five Corners, "	Genoa, First C., P.	21	2	93		16	1	100	5 50	15	28	8			1200	62
Jonathan B. Morse, S. S., *In*	Clinton, Iowa,	Moravia, S. S.		12	101			4	100	6 00	21	20				1722	135
Thomas Campbell, H. M.	Shakopee, Minn.																
James E. Pierce, Prof.	Auburn, N. Y.	Genoa, Second, S. S.			*23												

John V. C. Nellis, P.	Jordan, N. Y.	Jordan, P.	10	6	100		2	2	70	6	00	5	10			10	989	17
Albert True, P. E.	Elbridge, "	Elbridge, P. E.	4		138		1		100	6	50	62	37				705	178
Chester C. Thorne, S. S.	Deansville, "																	
Almore R. Hewitt, P.	Weedsport, "	Weedsport, P.	16	11	154		7	1	100	10	00	97	53	24			1332	215
Henry S. Barnum, F. M.—37.	Kharpoot, E. Turk'y.	Ira, V.			*5													
		Marcellus, Second, V.			*10													
Licentiates.		Borodino, V.—23.			15													
			277	133	2849		105	56	2357	177	24	2809	1798	372	262	70	31,197	3376
Albert G. Thornton.																		
Wright C. Galpin,	New-Haven, Ct.																	
Alexander Lamberton,	Rochester, N. Y.																	
Edwin A. Spence.																		
David Biggar, S. S.	N. Litchfield, N. Y.																	
Abel S. Wood, S. S. [*trans.*	Verona, "																	
Darius C. Sackett, P. E., *In*	Rock Stream, N. Y.																	
William B. Hendrix, P. E., *In*	Reedsburgh, Wis.																	
Mortimer A. Hyde. [*trans.*																		
Joseph E. Scott, P. E., *In trans.*	Millville, N. J.																	
Darius R. Shoop, S. S.	Marysville, Tenn.																	
George Bayless, P. E., *In trans.* [—12.	Phelps, N. Y.																	
Candidates, 12.																		
3. *Presb. of Cortland.*																		
Huntington Lyman, S. S.	Marathon, N. Y.	Marathon, S. S.	2	4	32			3	84	2	00	32	6	4			642	
Isaac F. Adams, S. S.	Summer Hill, "	Summer Hill, S. S.	1	1	52			1	52	3	00	15	14	7	6		528	28
Peleg R. Kinne, S. S.	Virgil, "	Virgil, S. S.	2	1	48		2			3	00	10	5	5	5		528	
Archibald McDougal, S. S.	Dryden, "	Dryden, S. S.		4	195			5	175	12	00	53	18	58	12		2170	163
Ashbel Otis, *In trans.*	Rock Stream, "																	
Edgar Perkins, W. C.																		
Giles M. Smith, P.	Texas Valley, "	Freetown, P.	2		37					2	00	14	4	4	4		469	10
Ova H. Seymour, S. S.	Hammondsport, "																	
Samuel F. Bacon, S. S.	Cortland, "	Cortland, S. S.	5	11	326			1	211	19	00	45	75		52		1375	195

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Joel S. Jewell, S. S.—10.	Preble, N. Y.	Preble, S. S.	12	3	81		6	4	119	5 00		17				1372	11
		McGrawville, V.			*144											1183	
		Truxton, S. S.	1		*40					2 00		6				346	10
Candidate, 1.		Lisle, S. S.	11	4	62		8		175	3 00	20	65				932	44
		Homer, P.	11	4	429		4	8	400		400	600	32		50	2875	706
		De Ruyter, S. S.	3		20		2			1 00						511	
		Cincinnatus, S. S.			*121				115							1092	
		Whitney's Point, S. S.	2	3	70		2		92	4 00	18	144		15		1218	
		Willett, V.—15.			17					1 00							
			52	35	1674		24	22	1423	57 00	587	1014	110	94	50	15,247	1167
4. *Presb. of Tioga.*																	
Marcus Ford, D.D., W. C.	Binghamton, N. Y.																
Peter Lockwood, W. C.	" "																
Oliver P. Conklin, S. S.	Whitney's Point, "																
Samuel W. Bush, Ch.	Binghamton, "																
Hiram W. Gilbert, Ag.	" "																
Daniel Gibbs, W. C.																	
Willard Richardson, Ch.	Conklin, "																
Cyrus T. Mills, W. C.	Ware, Mass.																
Samuel H. Hall, D.D., Sec.	N. York City, N. Y.																
William C. Boyce, Tea.	Aurora, "																
Peter L. D. St. Croix, W. C.																	
George N. Todd, P. C.	Candor, "																
Stephen Vorhis, S. S.	Spencer, "	Spencer, S. S.	15	5	140	10	12	2	100	4 50	18	25				1000	100
Silas McKinney, F. M.	Vineland, N. J.																
George N. Boardman, P.	Binghamton, N. Y.	Binghamton, P.	14	44	657		6	10	350	40 00	948	753	88	342		3455	558
Sabin McKinney, W. C.	" "																

Israel Brundage, W. C.																			
T. Dwight Walker, W. C.	**Union, N. Y.**																		
George M. Life, P.	Nichols, "		Nichols, P.	1	5	45	3			105			8			130		500	
Solon Cobb, P.	Owego, "		Owego, P.	18	25	387	18	13	7	300	22	00	310	258	93	463		3074	380
Robert Edgar, S. S.—21.	Union, "		Union, S. S.			206													
			Apalachin, V.			30				40	1	50							
Licentiate.			Maine, S. S.			111													
William W. Palmer.—1.	Binghamton, N. Y.		Conklin, S. S.			129													
			Richford, V.			47					3	00				32			75
Candidate, 1.			Hawleyton, V.			15													
			Castle Creek, V.—11.			16													
				48	79	1783	31	31	19	895	78	20	1284	1036	181	967		8629	1113
IV. Synod of Geneva.																			
1. *Presb. of Geneva.*																			
Stephen Porter, W. C.	Geneva,	N. Y.																	
Asa Messer, W. C.	"	"																	
Aaron D. Lane, W. C.	Waterloo,	"																	
Ephraim Chapin, W. C.	"	"																	
Charles Goodrich, W. C.	Penn Yan,	"																	
Ebenezer Everett, W. C.	Hopewell,	"																	
Thomas Lounsbury D.D., W. C.	Ovid,	"																	
Fred'k E. Cannon, D.D., W. C.	Geneva,	"																	
Samuel H Gridley D.D., P.	Waterloo,	"	Waterloo, P.	64	20	375		32	30	185	18	06	50	51				5360	197
John R. Moser, W. C.	Phelps,	"																	
John A. Murray, W. C.	Geneva,	"																	
James R. Boyd, W. C.	"	"																	
Timothy M. Hopkins, W. C.	"	"																	
John B. Richardson, Ag.	"	"																	
Blackleach B. Gray, P.	Seneca Castle,	"	Castleton, P.	5	5	117	10	3	1	85	7	38	55	104				837	85
Ebenezer H. Stratton, S. S.	Canoga,	"	Canoga, S. S.		2	87	47		1	40	3	36						1114	18
A. Augustus Wood, D.D., P.	Geneva,	"	Geneva, P.	96	26	471	62	30	9	387	25	98	1393	699	64	53	121	6775	1197

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Chauncy Francisco, S. S.	Branchport, N. Y.	Branchport, S. S.		2	42	2			50	3 24	20	8				343	5
Abraham T. Young, S. S.	Oak's Corners, "	Oak's Corners, S. S.	24	1	92	6	17		80	4 26	10	12	6	6	3	2530	27
Calvin Case, S. S.	West-Dresden, "	West-Dresden, S. S.	8	2	49		3	1	115	2 35	10		2	3		503	10
Benjamin M. Goldsmith, P.	Benton, "	Benton, P.	6	2	140	10	2	8	90	8 76	84	59				1027	113
James C. Smith, S. S.	Romulus, "	Romulus, P.	7	1	118	10	3	2	210	11 04	37	59		6		934	106
Harry E. Woodcock, S. S.		Gorham, V.	1	3	62		1		96	5 22		15				585	15
Abijah B. Dunlap, W. C.	Gr'd Traverse, Mich.																
Horace Fraser, W. C.	Varick, N. Y.																
Henry H. Doolittle, W. C.	Oak's Corners, "																
Hiram Harris, W. C.	Reed's Corners, "																
James McMaster, W. C.																	
Lambert S. Fine, W. C.	Ogdensburgh, "																
John C. Moses, S. S.	Dundee, "	Dundee, S. S.	2	3	93	3	1		100	5 46	20	10	5	10		1250	200
Alfred M. Stowe, D. Sec.	Canandaigua, "																
L. Richmond Janes, S. S.	Shortsville, "	Manchester, S. S.	1	8	52			1	80	3 00	22	17				640	62
Charles E. Stebbins, P. E.	Ovid, "	Ovid, P. E.	14	3	200	9	6	4	140	12 66	115	150	35	30		1400	183
Josephus D. Krum, P.	Seneca Falls, "	Seneca Falls, P.	40	19	215		24	6	239	9 60	98	110	41			2413	
David Magie, P.	Penn Yan, "	Penn Yan, P.	34	24	296	29	18	5	199	15 12	75	332		32	29	2150	366
George Bayless, P.—36.	Phelps, "	Phelps, P.	42	2	183	8	24	1	200	8 16	37		10			1139	95
		Hopewell, S. S.		5	37				50	2 28	14	15				300	31
Licentiate.		West-Fayette, S. S.—[18.	20		74	10	5	5	200	3 66	5	12	5	4			26
William Kreutzer.—1.			364	128	2703	206	169	74	2566	149 59	2045	1653	168	144	153	29,300	2736
Candidates, 5.																	
2. *Presb. of Steuben.*																	
James Rolette, W. C.	North-Urbana, N. Y.																
David D. Gregory, W. C.	Binghamton, "																

Fordyce Harrington, S. S.	Campbell, N. Y.	Campbell, S. S.	1	1	72				150	5	00	135	50		19		1200	
Lewis F. Laine, S. S.	Canisteo, "	Canisteo, S. S.	3		57	3			100	4	10	20	8	4	5	3	650	25
Samuel A. Rawson, S. S.	Nelson, Pa.																	
Joel Wakeman, D.D., P.	Painted Post, N. Y.	Painted Post, P.	4	2	143		2	6	100	7	90	35					1150	114
Charles T. White, F. M.	Pulney, India.																	
Mills B. Gelston, S. S.	Naples, N. Y.	Naples, S. S.	1	1	121	5	1	2	90	10	00	25	17				1050	
David F. Judson, S. S.	Addison, "	Addison, S. S.	27	7	95	14	13	3	102	4	16	15	14	11			1000	
William A. Niles, S. S.	Corning, "	Corning, S. S.	37	9	281	37	6	13	266	15	31	50	100	110	26		11,614	25
La Fayette Dudley, Tea.	Cornwall, Ct.																	
Ziba N. Bradbury, S. S.	Pultney, N. Y.	Pultney, S. S.			72			2	100	5	42	7		5			700	40
Albro L. Green, S. S.—13.	Truxton, "																	
		Prattsburgh, S. S.	8	6	295		6	5	170	20	68	84	23				1882	67
Candidates, 3.		Jasper, V.	2		90		1	2	125	7	10	10		6				
		Howard, V.			*99													
		Hammondsport, S. S.	32	6	128	17	17	1	80	6	00						1225	20
		Kennedyville, V.			*30													
		Wayne, V.			6													
		Woodhull, V.			26				50	1	60	5					185	
		Hornby, V. [V.		2	28	1			20								80	10
		Painted Post, Second,			5													
		Cohocton, V.			*24													
		Wheeler, V.			3						25	3						
		Elk Creek, V.—19.			22					1	76							
			115	34	1597	77	46	34	1353	89	28	389	212	136	50	3	20,736	301
3. *Presb. of Chemung.*																		
John Gray, W. C.	Moreland, N. Y.																	
Curtis Thurston, W. C.	Athens, Pa.																	
Charles C. Carr, P.	Horse Heads, N. Y.	Horse Heads, P.	51	9	175		28	4	110	10	00	68		25	35		500	50
Charles Chapman, S. S.	Orange, "	Mead's Creek, S. S.	15	2	56		10	4	60	2	00		8					
Franklin S. Howe, P.	Watkins, "	Watkins, P.	60	23	179		31	7	135	7	00	150	47	100	165		200	71
Charles H. Chester, S. S.	Havana, "	Havana, S. S.	2	1	87				50	3	00	23	22	12	80			
Darwin Chichester, P.	Burdett, "	Burdett, P.	5	3	91		3	4	70	7	00		29				100	35

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Augustus W.Cowles,D.D., Pres.	Elmira, N. Y.																
George C. Curtis, D.D., P.	" "	Elmira, First, P.	121	34	412		55	7	260	21 00	578	550	160	313		20,000	1727
Isaac Clark, P.	" "	Elmira, Second, P.	88	8	234		41	6	165	11 00	206	201	61	217		961	25
Reuben H. Close, W. C.	" "																
Sylvester B. Shearer, W. C.	Havana, "																
Thomas S. Dewing, S. S.	Southport, "	Southport, S. S.	22	3	79		13		100	4 00	7	7		10		300	50
William Atwood, P.	Big Flats, "	Big Flats, P.	15	1	44		8	4	45	2 00	15						
Benjamin Russell, S. S.	Weston, "	Tyrone, S. S.	32	5	121		18	5	100	4 00	28		40	11			
David S. Johnson, *In transitu.*																	
Alexander Murdock, W. C.—17.																	
		Waverly, P. E.	46	17	175		15	4	120	9 00	101	55	36	50		946	117
		Sugar Hill, S. S.	40	3	75		5	3	48	3 00	4			5			
		Starkey, V.			17			1		1 00	11			5			
		Rock Stream, S. S.			45				40							300	36
		Catlin, V.			10												
		Wells, North, S. S.—[16.			10												
			497	109	1810		227	49	1303	84 00	1191	919	434	831		23,307	2111
4. *Presb. of Ithaca.*																	
William Wisner, D.D., W. C.	Ithaca, N. Y.																
Augustus Pomeroy, W. C.	Groton Village, "																
George Spaulding, W. C.	Waverly, "																
Ezra Jones, S. S.	West-Groton, "	West-Groton, S. S.			55			1	78	3 36	4	28				700	10
Alexander O. Peloubet, P.	Mecklenburgh, "	Mecklenburgh, P.	2	3	105	2	1	1	60	6 24	262	28		9		600	41
William K. Platt, P.	Hector, "	Hector, P.	2		90	10		2	100	4 80	25	40				780	55
Theodore F. White, P.	Ithaca, "	Ithaca, P.	2	23	359			11	200	21 24	470	425	186			6833	697
William N. Page, P.—8.	Trumansburgh, "	Trumansburgh, P.	20	4	278	21	12	2	125	15 48	120	52	37			4000	580
		Groton Village, V.	25	5	154		21			9 00	85					1400	
		Danby, S. S.	1	2	121		1	5	100	7 92	25						

		Newfield, V.	1	1	74			1	50	4	50	25		9			650	30
		Ludlowville, S. S.—9.			40				60	1	20							
' *Licentiate.*			53	38	1276	33	35	23	773	73	74	918	573	232	9		14,963	1413
Hervey C. Hazen.—1.	Ithaca, N. Y.																	
Candidates, 4.																		
5. *Presb. of Wellsborough.*																		
Elijah D. Wells, S. S., *In trans.*	Hopewell, N. Y.																	
Sidney Mills, W. C.	Lawrenceville, Pa.																	
Octavius Fitch, Col.	" "																	
Elisha B. Benedict, S. S.	Elkland, "																	
Samuel J. McCullough, S. S.	Tioga, "	Tioga, S. S.	17	4	59	8	9	3	58	8	00						660	45
James F. Calkins, P.	Wellsborough, "	Wellsborough, P.	26	1	156	36	16	7	108	8	12	10	10				1824	39
Joel Jewell, S. S.	Wells, "	Wells & Columbia, S.S.			75					6	00	15	10				360	45
Frederick Graves, S. S.	Tioga, "	Blossburgh, S. S.			34													
John Caldwell, W. C.	Canton, "																	
Francis Rand, *In transitu.*																		
James H. Parsons, W. C.	Franklin, N. Y.																	
John L. Swain, S. S.—12.	Raymond, Pa.	Ulysses, S. S.	7	3	47		6	1	100	1	00	3	3	4	3			
		Beecher's Island, S. S.	10	3	64				25	6	00	5					715	
	[Pa.	Farmington, S. S.	8		29		5			2	00						130	
Candidate, 1.	Columbia X Roads,	Columbia X Roads, V.			13	2				1	00							
	Coudersport, Pa.	Coudersport, V.	7		35		1		63	1	00							
		Richmond, V.			*13					1	00							
		Smethport, V.			14													
		Covington, V.			*22													
	Lawrenceville, Pa.	Lawrenceville, V.—13.			43					3	00							
			75	8	604	46	37	11	354	36	12	33	23	4	3		3189	129

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6. *Presb. of Lyons.*																	
George R. H. Shumway, P.	Newark, N. Y.	Newark, P.	2	4	220	14	1	2	230	11 40	161	89				1591	711
Richard Dunning, H. M.	Ontario, "	Ontario, H. M.	1		34	7	1		30	2 28	14					374	19
Horace Eaton, P.	Palmyra, "	Palmyra, P.	1	11	339	33		3	290	22 45	395	188				1900	300
Robert E. Willson, P.	Clyde, "	Galen, P.	1		175			6	105	11 04	30	110		73		1100	275
George R. Rudd, W. C.	Lyons, "																
William Lusk, S. S.	Huron, "	Huron, S. S.	6	4	140	8	3	3	91	7 74	26	35				1033	96
William H. Megie, S. S.	West-Fayette, "																
Samuel B. Bell, D.D., P.	Lyons, "	Lyons, P.	19	12	300	65	5	7	275	13 80	108	80	30			9000	250
Arunah H. Lilly, S. S.	East-Palmyra, "	East-Palmyra, S. S.		2	102	5		1	140	6 54	25	27		37		950	75
Armon Spencer, H. M.	Williamson, "	Williamson, S. S.	1	2	37	1	1	3	100	2 04	10					380	35
James Ireland, S. S.	Sodus, "	Sodus, S. S.	2	2	*96			4	96	5 76	5	5					
William Graves, S. S.	Red Creek, "	Wolcott, Second, S. S.	13	4	65		4		45	3 06							
William L. Page, S. S.	Wolcott, "	Wolcott, S. S.	13	7	185	3	7	1	170	8 46	15		9	56		1775	128
William Young, S. S.	Junius, "	Junius, S. S.		3	37				70	3 30						425	
Merritt Gally, S. S.	Marion, "																
Samuel W. D. Westfall, S. S.—[16.	Arkport, "																
	Joy, "	Wayne, V.			18					1 00							
Candidates, 2.		Fairville, V.		1	24			5	70	1 50	5			5		725	
	Savannah, "	Savannah, S. S.	1	3	29		1		50	1 08			7			400	20
	Rose, "	Rose, V.—16.	1		66			1	114	4 02	60	12		30	10	566	27
			61	55	1867	136	23	36	1876	89 65	854	546	46	201	10	20,219	1936
V. Synod of Susquehanna.																	
1. *Presb. of Otsego.*																	
Charles Wadsworth, W. C.	Cherry Valley, N. Y.																
Solomon J. Tracy, W. C.	Springfield, "																

Henry Herrick, Ag.	**Exeter Centre, N.Y.**																
William Baldwin, *In transitu.*																	
Alonzo Welton, S. S.	**Worcester, "**	Worcester, S. S.			*65					5							
E. Vine Wales, S. S.	**Oneonta, "**	New-Lisbon, S. S.	1	3	27				45			8				175	
Charles K. McHarg, P.	**Cooperstown, "**	Cooperstown, P.	9	9	193	32	4	1	212	16	00	173	270	45	24	35	2023	661
Charles Gillette, S. S.	**Milford, "**	Milford, S. S.	6		80		5		65	7	00	20	20	11	11	15	710	71
Samuel J. White, S. S.	**Gilbertsville, "**	Gilbertsville, S. S.	5	4	227	40	1	11	140	16	00	46	82	22	15	18	1584	419
Francis H. Seeley, S. S.	**Richfield Spr'gs, "**	Richfield Springs, S.S.			*41					4	00							
George O. Phelps, P.	**Oneonta, "**	Oneonta, P.	21	3	107		14	1	153	8	00	20	13	15	7		1800	25
Edward P. Gardner, P.	**Cherry Valley, "**	Cherry Valley, P.	5		173	49		4	130	10	00	50	133		11		830	139
Ariel McMasters, S. S.	**Oaksville, "**	Fly Creek, S. S.	13	1	58	2	11		60	5	00	13	3	5			525	
Samuel N. Robinson, S. S.	**Springfield, "**	Springfield, S. S.	18	1	108		4	2	75	9	00	40	242	29	79	16	1340	156
Richard A. Clark, S. S.	**Otego, "**	Laurens, S. S.	23	2	50		17	1	70	3	00			6			1700	
Alfred Ketcham, S. S.—16.	**Forest Grove, N. J.**																
		MiddlefieldCentre,S.S.	2	1	69		2			5	00	20	20	5			400	
		Exeter Centre, S. S.	7	2	45	8	4	1	40	3	00	6	6				345	12
Candidate, 1.		Westford, V.	5	4	65	5	1		80	6	00		4		3		65	
		Unadilla, S. S.			*96													
		Otego, S. S.			*47													
		Buel, V.			*34													
		Sharon Springs, V.—[18.			*23													
			115	30	1508	136	63	21	1070	97	00	396	793	138	150	84	11,497	1483
2. *Presb. of Chenango.*																	
Edward Cope, S. S.	**Gilbertsville, N. Y.**																
Isaac D. Cornwell, S. S.	**Hancock, "**																
George J. Kearcher, W. C.	**Preston, "**																
Sumner Mandeville, S. S.	**Masonville, "**	Masonville, S. S.	3	6	54	2	1	1	80	3	00	5	8		5	5	769	14
Stephen S. Goodman, S. S.	**New-Milford, N. J.**																
Elcroy Curtis, S. S.	**Sherburne, N. Y.**	Sherburne, S. S.	13	8	171		6	1	200	10	00	57	348	20	136		1381	186
Allen J. Buell, S. S.	**W. Coventry, "**	Coventry, Second, S. S.			*213													
John L. Jones, S. S.	**Guilford, "**	Guilford Centre, S. S.	8	2	152	18	2	4	150	6	00	55	10	16	65		1200	100
Seneca M. Keeler,	**Smyrna, "**																	
Alexander H. Fullerton,	**Auburn, "**																	

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Pitson J. Abbott, S. S.	Sidney Plains, N. Y.	Sidney Plains, S. S.			*57				90		29	32					99
William H. Sautelle, P.	Nineveh, "	Nineveh, P.			*176												
Thomas Thompson, *In trans.* [—13.																	
		Coventry, First, S. S.			*111												
		Guil. and Nor., S. S.			33												
Candidate, 1.		Preston, V.			7			1			28	57		30			
		Oxford, S. S.	5	3	112						100	65	106				29
		New-Berlin, S. S.—12.			*101												
			29	19	1187	20	9	7	520	19 00	274	520	142	236	5	3350	428
3. *Presb. of Delaware.*																	
James Russell, W. C.	Gilboa, N. Y.																
Thomas Larcom, W. C.	Downsville, "																
George W. McMillan, S. S.	" "	Colchester, S. S.	2		78	4	2	2	150	4 98	37	20	13	9		67	63
Julius S. Pattengill, P. C.	Walton, "																
Charles H. De Long, S. S.	Deposit, "	Tompkins, First, S. S.	19	9	189		5	1	180	13 84	7	108	15				69
Henry H. Callahan, W. C.	Franklin, "																
William Addy, P.	" "	Franklin, P.	16	2	162	20	8	2	117	13 52	52	17	15		11		139
Leonard E. Richards, S. S.	Stamford, "	Head of Delaware, S.S.	11	8	71	15	6		84	4 40	51	14	14	10	7		48
Frederick A. M. Brown, P.	Delhi, "	Delhi, P.	10	9	202		1	1	150	15 00	159	60				1386	155
Andrew Montgomery, S.S.—10.	Jefferson, "	Jefferson, S. S.	9	2	94	8	2	3	137	8 40	11	20	3	3		1692	58
		Cannonsville, V.	10		74		5	8	120	5 52	17	15	10		14		59
		Shavertown, V.			11				40	88							
Candidate, 1.		Andes, V.			*5												
		Hamden, V.			*5												
		Davenport, V.—11.			*5												
			77	30	896	47	29	17	978	66 54	334	254	70	23	32	3145	591

VI. Synod of Genesee.																					
1. *Presb. of Buffalo.*																					
Amasa West, W. C.																					
Horace P. Bogue, W. C.	Buffalo,	N. Y.																			
Samuel G. Orton, D.D., W. C.	North-East,	Pa.																			
John Scott, W. C.																					
Nathaniel S. Smith, W. C.	Buffalo,	N. Y.																			
John T. Baldwin, W. C.	Aurora,	"																			
Timothy Stillman, D.D., Sec.	Dunkirk,	"																			
Sylvester Cowles, P. E.	Gowanda,	"	Gowanda, P. E.	12	3	94	38	11		60	5	00	25					900	25		
Peter Kimball, W. C.																					
Courtney Smith, S. S.	Portland,	"	Portland, S. S.	3	7	95							22			19		1024			
Ashur Wright, F. M.	Versailles,	"																			
Alb. T. Chester, D.D., Tea., S. S.	Buffalo,	"																			
Charles Crocker, W. C.	Glenwood,	"																			
Walter Clarke, D.D., P.	Buffalo,	"	Buffalo, First, P.	22	11	504			10	750	40	00	1633	1326	117	149		118	2355		
Amos P. Hawley, W. C.	New-York City,	"																			
Levi A. Skinner, W. C.	Westfield,	"																			
Richard M. Sandford, S. S.	Griffin's Mills,	"	West-Aurora, S. S.	6		97	4		1	100	6	00	5	20	4	10	5	400	81		
Daniel T. Conde, F. M.																					
Joseph G. Cochran, F. M.	Oroomiah,	Persia.																			
Grosvenor W. Heacock, D.D., P.	Buffalo,	N. Y.	Buffalo, La Fay. st., P.	71	27	546			27	315	27	00	300			82		4124	233		
Edwin S. Wright, D.D., P.	Fredonia,	"	Fredonia, P.	14	5	340		5	4	230	10	00	117	106	19	10		2460	133		
William L. Hyde, S. S.	Ripley,	"	Ripley, First, S. S.	2	1	66	2	1		32			26	10	9			700	6		
Oliver D. Hibbard, W. C.																					
John M. Ballou, S. S.	Clarence,	"	Clarence, S. S.	11	3	50					4	00						850	50		
Robert Norton, P. E.	St. Catharine's,	C. W.	St. Catharine's, P. E.	29	6	162	4	6	3	140	8	00		196		10	3	1305	85		
Chas. L. Hequembourg, W. C.	Dunkirk,	N. Y.																			
Erastus C. Williams, W. C.	"	"																			
William Waith, S. S.	Lancaster,	"	Lancaster, S. S.	2		116	11		2	120	8	00	60	45			5	1909	182		
Chalon Burgess, S. S.	Panama,	"	Panama, S. S.	6	2	88	7	3		65	5	00	10	11	5	25		757	134		
Rufus King, S. S.	Chatfield,	Minn.																			

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Samuel J. Dorsey, W. C. Philos G. Cook, C. M. Wolcott Calkins, P. E. William A. Fox, P. Joel F. Bingham, P. Philander Griffin, S. S. Jeremiah Odell, S. S. Walter V. Couch, D. Sec. Phineas Blakeman, S. S. Albert Bigelow, S. S. John C. Taylor, S. S. Robert E. Proctor. Benjamin F. Randolph. James T. Hanning, P. E. Horace P. V. Bogue, Tea. Levi S. Sabin, S. S.—46.	Buffalo, N. Y. " " Dunkirk, " Buffalo, " Carlton, " Holland, " Rochester, " East Hamburgh," Silver Creek, " Corry, Pa. Alden, N. Y. Sandwich, Ill. Clinton, N. Y. Ellicottville, "	Buffalo, North, P. E.	30	14	332		1	2		36 00	1192	967	132	109	102	10,000	1326
		Dunkirk, P.	53	11	170	22	21	9	230	8 00						2100	100
		Buffalo, Westmins., P.	28	8	104	8	4	3	180	10 00	47	75				2749	32
		East-Hamburgh, S. S.			*16												
		Silver Creek, S. S.	5	4	153	34	2	3	100	10 00	50	48	22	10		1300	88
		Corry, S. S.			*29												
		Ellicottville, S. S.	1	7	75	38			80	4 00	30	20				500	46
		Springville, V.	9	6	140	11	4	2	162	8 00						1140	73
		Glenwood, V.	5		47			1				10				203	2500
		Ripley, Second, S. S.	17	3	82	2	7	3	86		24	11	12			1300	11
		Jamestown, P. E.	6	10	145			2	125	12 00	187			44		2400	100
		Salamanca, S. S.			*12												
		Connewango, V.			*23												
		South-Wales, V.			*12												
		Elma, S. S.			*29												
		Westfield, P. E.	64	28	330			3		18 00							
		Newstead, V.—28.			*60												
			396	156	3917	181	65	74	2773	219 00	3728	2845	320	468	115	46,234	7090

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Sextus E. Smith.—1.

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2. *Presb. of Ontario.*																		
Justus S. Hough, W. C.	E. Bloomfield, N. Y.																	
John Barnard, D.D., W. C.	Lima, "																	
Milton Buttolph, W. C.	" "																	
Joseph R. Page, P.	Perry, "	Perry, P.	1	4	106	4		2	70	6	30	33	33	16	7		1000	16
William Hunter, P.	Springwater, "	Springwater, P.	6		52		3	1		1	96							
Luther Conklin, P. C.	E. Bloomfield, "																	
Claudius B. Lord, W. C.	Cuylerville, "																	
Pliny F. Sanborne, S. S.	W. Bloomfield, "																	
Samuel Mills Day, S. S.	Honeoye,																	
George P. Folsom, P.	Geneseo, "	Geneseo, Second, P.	1		152	2	1	4	100	12	30	67	58	24	27		5213	116
Orson P. Allen, F. M.	Kharpoot, Koord'tn,																	
Levi G. Marsh, P.	Nunda, N. Y.	Nunda, P.	4	8	156		3		110	8	94	52	18		16		1130	33
Levi Parsons, P.	Mount Morris, "	Mount Morris, P.	2	7	241	8	1	5	181	14	70	143	112	15	23		1566	155
Anson H. Parmelee, P.	Livonia, "	Livonia, P.	17	1	158		9			8	70	158	147		55			
Edwin R. Davis, S. S.	West-Avon, "	Avon Springs, S. S.			36				70	1	80							
Samuel Jessup, P.	Dansville, "	Dansville, P.	50	14	240	11	20	5	100	12	06	45	106				2000	46
Dwight Scovel, P. E.	Mendon, "																	
Alphonso L. Benton, P.	Lima, "	Lima, P.	44	8	287	14	23	5	313	15	00	169	122	22	68	32	2797	126
Ira O. De Long, S. S.—19.	Honeoye Falls, "																	358
		Geneseo, First, V.	1	3	132		1	1	160	7	92	87	130	30	20	20	991	126
Licentiate.		Avon, V.			*50					3	00						5700	
		Union Corners, V.	1	1	31				151	1	98	4	4				250	
Isaac Newton Lowrie.—1.		South-Bristol, V.—13.			*8						48							
Candidates, 4.			149	66	1649	40	71	26	1405	95	14	773	748	107	214	52	20,647	617
3. *Presb. of Rochester.*																		
Daniel Johnson, W. C.	Fairport, N. Y.																	
George Freeman, W. C.	Parma, "																	
Charles E. Furman, S. S.	Rochester, "																	
Lemuel Brooks, W. C.	Churchville, "																	

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Nathaniel Hurd, W. C.																	
David Powell, W. C.																	
Hezekiah B. Pierpont, W. C.	Rochester, N. Y.	Rochester, Brick, P.	107	29	1079	100	39	20	1147		364	401	45			6564	4638
James B. Shaw, D.D., P.	" "																
Hiram Dyer, W. C.	Spencerport,																
Charles P. Bush, D. Sec.	Rochester,																
Hamilton W. Pierson, D.D., W.C.	Bergen,																
Nathaniel Elmer, W. C.	Le Roy,																
Calvin Waterbury, P. E.	Stone Church,																
Royal Mann, W. C.																	
Alexander C. Stewart, S. S.																	
Frank F. Ellinwood, D.D., Sec.	New-York City, "																
Samuel M. Campbell, D.D., P.	Rochester, "	Rochester, Central, P.	50	20	653	40	22	19	1474		1011	1910	193	71		7479	4070
William W. Collins, S. S.	Penfield, "	Penfield, S. S.	2	1	40				55		15	5				565	5
Robert McMath, W. C.	Webster, "																
O. Holmes Barnard, S. S.	North-Bergen, "	North-Bergen, S. S.	3	1	134		1	1	183		51	45			8	1389	113
H. B. Gardner, Ag.	Schenectady, "																
Nathan Bosworth, S. S.	Holley, "	Holley, S. S.		5	134			2	202		36	68				1046	230
Horatio W. Brown, P. E.	Brockport, "	Brockport, P. E.	8	11	150		3	2	317		74	125				2136	68
Austin G. Wilcox, S.S.	Parma Centre, "	Parma Centre, S. S.	3	1	71	14	1	3	86			7				481	11
Byron Bosworth, S.S.	Phœnix, "																
Edwin Allen, S. S., *In transitu.*	Edwardsb'gh, Mich.																
Alexander McA. Thorburn, P.	Spencerport, N. Y.	Ogden, P.	29	8	252	18	12	4	225		31	74				1400	141
Edwin H. Van Auken, S. S.	Mendon, "	Mendon, S. S.	11	8	59		3					25				900	50
Henry M. Morey, S. S.—29.	Pittsford, "	Pittsford, S. S.	2	10	141			1	162							1254	14
		Bergen, S. S.	3	3	160	6	1		140		16	41				1451	140
		West-Mendon, S. S.	8	9	100	10	2				120	25				800	17
		Victor, S. S.	2	4	117		1		383			28					274
		Sweden, S. S.	4		57		4		134		20	20				1400	81
		Gates, S. S.			*30												

Licentiates.		Chili, V.			84	25										1200	43
		Kendall, V.—17.			*43												
George Mixon.																	
Elisha M. Carpenter, Tea.	Rochester, N. Y.		227	110	3822	213	89	58	4508	193	44	1747	2774	238	71	8	28,115	9895
David Dickey, Ag.	" "																	
Willis Clark Gaylord.—4.	" "																	
Candidate, 1.																		
4. *Presb. of Genesee.*																		
Gabriel S. Corwin, W. C.	Elba, N. Y.																	
T. Morey Hodgman, S. S.	Byron, "	Byron, S. S.	5	2	108	12	4		98	8	00	33	6	8	40	75	4940	141
Daniel Russell, P. E., *In trans.*	Cedar Falls, Iowa.																	
Alfred North, S. S.	Tipton, Mo.																	
George W. Coan, F. M.	Oroomiah, Persia.																	
N. Marcellus Clute, S. S.	Oakfield, N. Y.	Oakfield, S. S.	1	1	68				135	4	50	34	19				785	62
Charles F. Mussey, P.	Batavia, "	Batavia, P.	42	21	274		26	3	290	20	00	253	137	85	42	26	4244	102
R. Hart Dexter, S. S.	Pavilion, "	Pavilion, S. S.			36	6			40	2	00	5	3	4	4	6		549
Charles C. Kimball, S. S.	Leroy, "	Leroy, S. S.	27	13	335	50	5	1	369	19	00	222	149				13,950	350
John Wickes, S. S.	Attica, "	Attica, S. S.	12	1	116		9	1	125	7	00	36	15				1050	17
Charles A. Keeler, W. C.	East-Pembroke, "	Pembroke&Batavia,V.			53	3				3	50	15	10				600	
Allen Traver, S. S.	Corfu, "	Corfu, S. S.			80				50	6	00	43	46		20		876	112
Elizur N. Manley, S. S.—13.	Elba, "	Elba, S. S.	19	6	105	6	7	4	120	5	25	140	100			140	700	587
		Pike, V.			119	27			73	2	00						745	
		Orangeville, V.			*44													
Candidate, 1.		Tonawanda Valley, V.		4	24			1	98	1	50		14				395	5
		Sheldon, First, V.			*17													
		Wiscoy, V.			*27													
		Alexander, V.—15.			*33													
			106	48	1439	104	51	10	1398	78	75	781	499	97	106	247	28,285	1935

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5. *Presb. of Niagara.*																	
Jonathan Hovey, W. C.	Barre Centre, N. Y.																
Herman Halsey, W. C.	East-Wilson, "																
Obadiah C. Beardsley, W. C	Albion, "																
William C. Wisner, D.D., P.	Lockport, "	Lockport, First, P.	68	27	521	64		7	390	23 80	410	172		70		3300	359
Linus W. Billington, S. S.	Barre Centre, "	Barre Centre, S. S.	4	1	74	8	3		150	4 44	45	21				560	23
William G. Hubbard, S. S.	Schoolcraft, Mich.									6 18							
Russel S. Eggleston, S. S.	Pompey, N. Y.																
Lucius I. Root, W. C.	Lockport, "																
Joshua Cooke, S. S.	Lewiston, "	Lewiston, S. S.	14	1	53		6	1	90	5 82		50				1375	140
Thomas Doggett, P.	Niagara Falls, "	Niagara Falls, P.	20	11	174		3	4	300	8 82	295	68				1500	200
Coles R. Wilkins, S. S.	Medina, "	Medina, S. S.	56	16	218		27	6	153	9 42						1500	90
Norman B. Sherwood, W. C.	Millville, "																
Lawrence S. Atkins, S. S.	" "	Millville, S. S.	3	4	80	5	2	4	110	4 38	17	7				890	100
David J. B. Hoyt, W. C.	Gaines, "																
Charles R. Burdick, P.	Youngstown, "	Porter, P.	1		161		1	3	255	9 78	68	54	3			1237	57
Frederick A. Chase, S. S.	Lyndonville, "	Lyndonville, S. S.	3	4	75	3		5	84	4 56	25	31				1510	35
Lyell T. Adams, P.	Albion,	Albion P.	18	18	419		8	3	466	24 36	227	91				2758	348
Edward P. Marvin, S. S.—18.	Lockport, "	Lockport, Second, S. S.	33	12	75		14	25	150	1 80	8					2000	
		Wilson, S. S.	7	11	164	6	3	1	135	9 06	38	110				1032	88
		Knowlesville, S. S.	3	3	134		3	5	176	9 18	23	31			11	889	155
		Somerset, S. S.	1		98	5			138	5 94						1275	
		Carlton, S. S.	2	2	47	2			80	3 36						775	182
		Tuscarora, V.			*78												
		Middleport, V.—16.			*25												
			233	110	2396	93	70	64	2677	129 90	1156	635	3	70		20,601	1737

6. *Presb. of Genesee Valley.*																	
David L. Hunn, W. C.	Angelica, N. Y.																
Samuel Porter, Ag.	Bradford, Pa.																
Elias L. Boing, P.	Angelica, N. Y.	Angelica, P.	10	5	148		1	2	100	8	34	420	75				2360	569
Milton Waldo, S. S.	Hornellsville, "	Hornellsville, S. S.	5	8	155	3	4	10	275	9	34	100	75				2075	50
Philander Camp, S. S.	Andover, "	Andover, S. S.	2	3	53	3	1		87	3	54	10	3				40	
John W. Lane, S. S.	Centreville, "	Centreville, S. S.		2	35				45	1	80	25					474	8
Isaac G. Ogden, P.	Portville, "	Portville, P.	1	7	83	5		1	100	5	16	95	62	20	10	15	1233	118
James B. Beaumont, P. E.	Waverly, "																	
Corliss B. Gardner, P.	Cuba, "	Cuba, P.	30	8	183		15	3	179	9	30	36	89	15	15		1596	201
Charles M. Livingston, S. S.	Wellsville, "																	
J. Shephard Bingham, S. S.	Belmont, "	Belmont, S. S.		4	80				75	4	20						1725	70
William C. White, Prof.	Crawfordsville, Ind.																	
Gustavus R. Alden, P. E.—13.	Olean, N. Y.	Olean, P. E.	12	3	112		10	9	208	6	30	30	20	10			1350	10
		Almond, V.	7	2	210		1		225	13	50	132	63				1340	60
		Franklinville, V.	1		34				20	1	42						300	
		Arkport, S. S.	2	3	41	9			120	2	90	11					450	13
		Burns, V.			12						72							
		Allegany, V.			25				50	1	50						55	
		Belfast, S. S.—14.	3	4	25		3										200	
			72	49	1086	20	32	25	1384	68	52	859	387	45	30	15	13,200	1099
VII. Synod of New-York and New-Jersey.																		
1. *Presb. of Hudson.*																		
William Timlow, W. C.	Amity, N. Y.																	
Phinehas Robinson, W. C.	Middletown, "																	
Elias R. Fairchild, D.D., S. S.	Mendham, N. J.																	
George Pierson, P.	Florida, N. Y.	Florida, P.	12	1	173		7		125	10	04		81	44			1000	142
William R. S. Betts, W. C.	Otisville, "																	
Obadiah M. Johnson, P.	New-Hampton, "	Denton, P.	4	6	103	40	2		40	6	24	34	58	33		5		56

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Oris Fraser, W. C.	Florida, N. Y.																
Daniel Higbie, P.	Blooming Grove, "	Washingtonville, P.	7	2	58		5	2		3 00	38	18				805	245
Henry F. Wadsworth, P.	Unionville, "	Unionville, P.	1	5	91		1	3	30	5 88		35	10			800	
Nathaniel E. Pierson, P.	Ridgebury, "	Ridgebury, P.	6	7	105		3	2	100	5 52	29	35	12			1200	28
Augustus Seward, D.D., P.	Middletown, "	Middletown, P.	13	14	348		4	13		20 04							
Alford P. Botsford, P. E.	Port Jervis, "	Port Jervis, P. E.	4	2	168		2	3	200	10 26						1700	161
Joseph M. McNulty, P.	Montgomery, "	Montgomery, P.	22	9	206		6	5	160	11 16	56		18	15	15	1500	190
Henry J. Acker, As. Sec.	New-York City, "																
Thomas Nichols, P.	Chester, "	Chester, P.	6	2	243		4	12	110	14 58	65	100	42	30	28	1500	293
Daniel Ostrom Timlow, P.—16.	Amity, "	Amity, P.	1	1	94		1	2		5 94	38	28	23	29		650	36
		Circleville, V.	7		81		3			4 56	30	10					35
Candidates, 4.		Otisville, S. S.—12.			24				40	1 86							
			83	49	1694		38	46	805	99 12	291	366	182	83	48	9155	1186
2. *Presb. of North River.*																	
James I. Ostrom, W. C.	Marlborough, N. Y.																
Jonathan Silliman, W. C.	Cornwall, "																
Thomas S. Wickes, W. C.	Poughkeepsie, "																
Benjamin F. Wile, S. S.	Highland, "	Lloyd, S. S.			130												
William N. Sayre, P.	Pine Plains, "	Pine Plains, P.	13	1	105	10	7		90	6 00	20	20	10	10	3	1100	50
Sherman Hoyt, W. C.	Pleasant Plains, "																
John Ward, S. S.	Freedom Plains, "	Freedom Plains, S. S.	1		137		1	8	80	8 00	35	90				1475	235
A. Cogswell Frissell, Ag.	New-York City, "																
Harvey Smith, P.	South-Amenia, "	South-Amenia, P.	2		74	2	2	2	80	11 00	120	125				1100	150
Francis Brown Wheeler, P.	Poughkeepsie, "	Poughkeepsie, P.	69	15	412		20	12	246	21 00	207	200				4175	1500
Louis P. Ledoux, D.D., W. C.	Cornw'l Land'g, "																
Edgar W. Clark, W. C.	Milton, "																
George H. Poole, W. C.																	

Joshua Collins, W. C.	Lithgow, N. Y.																	
George R. Ferguson, P. C.	N. East Centre, "																	
Edward P. Roe, P.	Buttermilk Falls,"	Highlands, P.	19	9	78		4	17	110	4	00						2283	
Alfred C. Roe, C. M.	New-York City, "																	
Clarence Eddy, P.	Cornwall Landg.,"	Canterbury, P.		6	76	20		1	47	6	00	9	17	8	4		1210	
Austin P. Stockwell, P.	Staatsburgh, "	Pleasant Plains, P.			100	45			75	8	00						2873	8
Joseph H. Robinson, P.	Cornwall Landg.,	Cornwall, P.	20	6	116	5	8		225	6	00	13	28	22			2315	202
Alexander Moss Merwin, F. M.	Valparaiso, S. Amer.																	
Charles H. Baldwin, P.—22.	Peekskill, N. Y.	Peekskill, Second, P.	2	3	155	18	1	1	150	11	00	63	42			17	1733	180
Licentiates.		Pleasant Valley, V.			*350					16	00							
		Milton, V.	7	1	79	10	4	3	130	1	50				7		400	25
Seth P. Pratt.		Westminster, V.			43				45	3	00						1300	
Alpheus N. Andrus, F. M.—2.	Poughkeepsie, N.Y.	Amenia, V.			*91					6	00							
		Smithfield, S. S.			*10													
		New-Windsor, V.			*30													
		Somers, S. S.—17.	5	8	52		2		50	4	00	50	10				950	36
			138	49	2038	110	49	44	1328	111	50	517	532	40	21	23	20,914	2386
3. *Presb. of Long Island.*																		
Ezra Youngs, W. C.	Cutchogue, L.I., N.Y.																	
Anson Sheldon, Ag.	New-Haven, Ct.																	
Clark Lockwood, S. S.	Penataquit, L.I., N.Y.																	
Eusebius Hale, S. S.	Cutchogue, " "	Cutchogue, S. S.		2	59			2	95	3	72	15			10		810	56
Thomas Harries, P.	Shelter Island, "	Shelter Island, P.	1		169			3	100	10	62	36	30	9	8	3	1400	69
James T. Hamlin, P.	Mattituck, L. I., "	Mattituck, P.	1	1	74		1	4	100	4	50	20	27			14	1000	48
Epher Whitaker, P.	Southold, " "	Southold, P.	5		163	1	2	5	154	9	66	120	20		20		3400	51
Edward Stratton, P.	Greenport, " "	Greenport, P.		3	135			2	160	8	16	40	175	2	70		2275	125
Albert Fitch, W. C.—9.	N. York City, "																	
	Jamesport, L. I., "	Franklinville, S.S.—6.			72			2	80	4	74		50				900	
			7	6	672	1	3	18	689	41	40	231	302	11	108	17	9785	349

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4. *Presb. of New-York, Third.*																	
Daniel C. Hopkins, W. C. [Prof.	Jersey City, N. J.																
Thomas H. Skinner, D.D., LL.D.,	N. York City, N. Y.																
Ansel D. Eddy, D.D., Ag.	" " "																
Daniel W. Lathrop, W. C.	New-Haven, Ct.																
Alfred E. Campbell, D.D., Sec.	N. York City, N. Y.																
J. Const. Adamson, D.D., W. C.	Cape Town, S. Africa.																
John J. Owen, D.D., LL.D., Prof.	N. York City, N. Y.																
Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D., Ag.	" " "																
William W. Newell, D.D., P.	" " "	N. York, Allen st., P.	148	26	720	135	62	11	1430	30 00	100					5011	988
Walter H. Bidwell, Ed.	" " "																
Dwight M. Seward, D.D., P.	Yonkers, "	Yonkers, First, P.	7	13	301		1	7	260	30 00	692	348	280	53	610	5595	2845
Jas. W. C. Pennington, D.D., S.S.	Portland, Me.																
Samuel D. Burchard, D.D., P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. York, 13th st., P.	53	30	806		10	32	636	35 00	1460	371	250	1048		8450	575
Oliver B. Bidwell, Ag.	" " "																
Isaac P. Stryker, W. C.	" " "																
Peter H. Burghardt, S. S.	Somers, "																
Henry Highland Garnet, P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. York, Prince st., P.	12	3	123		2	2	31	1 00							17
Ros'll D. Hitchcock, D.D., Prof.	" " "																
George Bowen, F. M.	Bombay, Ind.																
James G. Craighead, Ed.	N. York City, N. Y.																
Samuel G. Dwight, F. M.	Molokai, S. Islands.																
Revilo J. Cone, Tea.	Fonda, N. Y.																
Eliphalet P. Ackerman, Tea.	Hughsonville, "																
Andrew Abraham, F. M.	Mapumulo, S. Africa.																
James Morton, W. C.	N. York City, N. Y.																
Charles Fanning, W. C.	" " "																
Thomas Street, P.	" " "	N. York, North, P.	15	8	561		7	15	427	30 00		97			80	10,150	404

Thomas Ralston Smith, Sec.	N. York City, N. Y.																	
William P. Barker, F. M.	Ahmednuggur, Ind.																	
Robt. Russell Booth, D.D., P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Mercer st., P.	75	33	598	30	12	10	1200	55	00	2051	3945	496	136	459	13,000	6660
Daniel Ames, W. C.																		
Edward T. Doane, F. M.	Micronesia Islands.																	
Robert R. Thompson, W. C.	N. York City, N. Y.																	
Luther H. Cone, P. C.	Chicopee, Mass.																	
William H. Babbitt, P.	Hoboken, N. J.	Hoboken, First, P.	17	15	134	10	9	3	300	6	00	79	82	20			2067	150
Varnum D. Collins, Ag.																		
James C. Egbert, P.	West-Hoboken, N. J.	Hoboken, West, P.	12	16	177	6		8	325	8	00	95	89				5147	85
Alonzo Brown, Tea.	N. York City, N. Y.																	
Edward W. French, P.	Bergen, N. J.	Bergen, First, P.	15	16	280	3	2	6	300	25	00	324	319		94		13,451	1720
James B. Bonar, P.	Montreal, C. E.	Montreal, Amer., P.	21	2	327		1	17	822	30	00		1250				7890	3157
J. Sella Martin, Ag.	N. York City, N. Y.																	
Goodloe B. Bell, W. C.	Elizabeth, N. J.																	
Edward W. Hitchcock, P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. Y., 14th st., P.	42	55	492		6	14	900	50	00	1109	1770	430			7600	4600
Herman D. Wrage, Tea.	" " "																	
Alfred S. Collins, W. C.	Brooklyn, E. D., "																	
John P. Watson, S. S.	East-Putnam, Ct.																	
Erastus Seymour, C. M.	N. York City, N. Y.																	
Lyman Dwight Chapin, F. M.	Tientsin, China.																	
Samuel P. Halsey, W. C.	Brooklyn, N. Y.																	
Lewis M. Birge, W. C.	Burlington, N. J.																	
Edward Payson Hammond, Ev.	Vernon, Ct.																	
James B. Finch, S. S.	Nebraska City, N. Y.																	
James D. Wilson, P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Spring st., P.	26	42	634	194	5	16	600	20	00	100	150				6305	398
Alexander Nesbitt, P.	Tremont, "	Tremont, First, P.	6	8	146	11		8	240	6	00	56					2300	210
James M. Stevenson, P.	Jersey City, N. J.	Jersey City, 2d, P.	20	12	298	150	8	15	175	10	00	60	67				4063	167
David Stuart Dodge, Prof.	Beirut, Syria.																	
William White Williams, S. S.	Jerseyville, Ill.																	
John De Witt, P.	Irvington, N. Y.	Greenburgh, 2d, P.	7	4	101	4		3	224	20	00	653	993				4647	2953
David W. Evans, S. S.	Sauk Centre, Minn.									*1	42							
T. Madison Dawson, P.—60.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Seventh, P.	26	12	1027		8	16	815	25	00	102	222		40		5424	259
		Stamford, First, S.S.	5	6	153		1	5	150	25	00	450	650	109	56		4820	368
		N. Y., Park, V.	2	11	59		2	2	424	10	00		21				15,271	456

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		N. Y., W. 50th st., V.			*50												
Licentiates.		Newtown, 2d, Col.,			*35												
		[V.—20.	509	312	7022	543	136	190	9359	417	42	7331	10,373	1585	1427	1149	121,191	26,102
Cuthbert H. Powell,	U. S. Army.																
Eugene Douglass,	Albany, N. Y.																
John S. Whitman, S. S.	Charlemont, Mass.																
John M. Forbes, Tea.	N. York City, N. Y.																
John T. Rhodes, Tea.	Flatbush, L. I., "																
Ernest F. Borchers, Tea.	Hebron, Me.																
David S. Morgan,	Andover, Mass.																
Richard Morse,	N. York City, N. Y.																
Henry H. Stebbins,	Brooklyn, L. I., "																
Robert Sloss,	N. York City, "																
John P. Harsen,	Greenpoint, L. I., "																
Christopher R. Brown,	N. York City, "																
Charles A. Kingsbury,	Newton C'tre, Mass.																
Charles C. Tracy, F. M.	Troy, Pa.																
Henry M. Booth, P. E.	Englewood, N. J.																
Albert O. Wright,	Rockford, Ill.																
William H. Belden.—17.	N. York City, N. Y.																
Candidates, 24.																	
5. *Presb. of New-York, Fourth.*																	
Samuel H. Cox, D.D., LL.D., W. C.	N. York City, N. Y.																
George Dubois, C. M.	" " "																
John Spaulding, D.D., W. C.	" " "																

Henry P. Tappan, D.D., LL.D., W. C.	Berlin, Prussia.																	
Jonathan I. Jones, W. C.	N. York City, N. Y.																	
William Adams, D.D., P.	" " "	N.Y.,Madison Sq.,P.	62	62	1069		8	43	1300	64	00	6837	9000	1013	415		19,000	96,697
George W. Wood, D.D., Sec.	" " "																	
Gorham D. Abbot, LL.D., Tea.	" " "																	
William Belden, Tea. [Prof.	" " "																	
Henry B. Smith, D.D., LL.D.,	" " "																	
Henry M. Field, D.D., Ed.	" " "																	
Joseph Addison Sexton, S. S.	Norwich Town, Ct.																	
Benjamin W. Dwight, Ph. D., LL.D., Tea., *In transitu.*	Clinton, N. Y.																	
George L. Prentiss, D.D., P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Covenant, P.	17	15	264		1	8	210	16	00	3340	2828	1131		515	44,669	4353
Ezra H. Gillett, D.D., P.	Harlem, "	Harlem, First, P.	10	11	144	5		4	170	9	00	97	88		22			
Amasa S. Freeman, P.	Haverstraw, "	Haverstraw; Cen., P.	44	6	184	20	17	8	175	11	00	121	63				2000	200
John Peck, W. C.	Paterson, N. J.																	
Charles Parker, H. M.	Irving, Kansas.																	
Joseph P Lestrade, C. M.	N. York City, N. Y.																	
Samuel W. Bailey, W. C.	" " "																	
Justin W. Parsons, F. M.	Nicomedia, W. Asia.																	
Charles E. Lindsley, P. C.	Southport, Ct.																	
I. Bryant Smith, S. S.	Northport, L. I., N. Y.	Northport, First, S.S.	5	1	42	6	3	8	50	3	00						900	
Sereno E. Bishop, F. M.	Hana, Maui, S. Il'ds.																	
Thomas S. Hastings, D.D., P.	N. York City, N. Y.	New-York, West, P.	25	45	709	241	10	15	800	43	00	1364	1456	969	107		30,531	2188
Sigismund Uhlfelder, W. C.	" " "																	
Frederick W. Williams, W. C.	" " "																	
John Henry Hall, W. C.																		
James H. Dwight, W. C.	Englewood, N. J.	Englewood, P. E.		5	37			5	70	2	00	141	293				2510	1016
Edward Chester, F. M.	Madura, India.																	
Abbott E. Kittredge, P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Eleventh, P.	47	36	500	150	18	10	365	31	00	129	520				9655	
Erskine N. White, P.	New-Rochelle, "	New-Rochelle, P.	11	1	116	13	2	6	120	7	00		119		30		2002	231
Simeon F. Woodin, F. M.	Fuh-Chau, China.																	
Charles H. Payson, S. S.	N. York City, N. Y.																	
Eldridge M. Mix, P. E.	Burlington, Vt.																	
Howard Crosby, D.D., P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N.Y., Fourth Av., P.	40	60	617	116	10	10	1200	37	00	893	1400	199			10,000	6700

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George E. Post, M.D., F. M.	Tripoli, Syria.																
James B. Dunn, P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. Y., Central, P.	28	42	568	247	8	10	225	34 00	67	42	34			5000	73
George M. Boynton, P.	Riverdale, "	Riverdale, P.	3	2	34		1	3	50	3 00	80	55				2300	106
Charles W. Buckley, W. C.	Montgomery, Ala.																
James W. Coleman, P.	Darien, Ct.	Darien, P.	4	1	46		2	3	80	3 00					35	10,163	20
Edward P. Payson, S. S.	N. York City, N. Y.																
Eben Burt Parsons, S. S.	Turin, N. Y.																
Andrew Jackson Park, S. S.	Brownsville, Texas.	[P.															
G. Mousseau Des Islets, P.	N. York City, N. Y.	N. Y., French Evan.,	2	2	45	24		17	30	2 00							
Charles C. Darling, C. M.—46.	" " "	Manhattanville, S.S.	8	4	48	4		3	92	2 00		30					
		[—15.															
Licentiates.			308	293	4423	826	80	153	3937	265 00	14,059	15,874	3346	574	550	188,880	111,588
Samuel J. Parker,	Ithaca, "																
Ezra W. Goodrich.																	
William B. Dwight,	Whitestone, L.I., "																
Robert H. Williamson,	Rockford, Ill.																
C. Edwin Griggs, S. S.	Chaplin, Ct.																
William H. Ford.																	
Elijah C. Baldwin, Tea.	N. York City, N. Y.																
Chas. H. Barrett, S. S., (at sea,)	" " "																
Alfred M. Penland, Tea.	N. Bright'n, S. I., "																
Mason Noble, Jr.,	Brooklyn, "																
John Jay Crane, S. S.	Rose, "																
William A. Cutler,	Chicago, Ill.																
Edward B. Wright,	Detroit, Mich.																
Lewis O. Thompson, Tea.—14.	Illinois.																
Candidates, 24.																	

6. *Presb. of Brooklyn.*																	
Alfred H. Dashiell, D.D., W. C.	Brooklyn, N.Y.																
Samuel T. Spear, D.D., P.	" "	Brooklyn, South, P.	31	18	650		13	12	400	35	00	892	503	335		14,587	1940
Silas Billings, W. C.	" "																
Lyman Gilbert, D.D., W. C.	" "																
Ramon B. S. Montsalvatgé, Ag.	Carthagena, S. A.																
Hugh S. Carpenter, P.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	" Westminster, P.			*181												
James N. Gloucester, W. C.	" "																
H. J. Van Lennep, D.D., F. M.	Smyrna, Asia.	[P.															
Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D., P	Brooklyn, N. Y.	" La Fayette Ave.,	122	91	1055		40	57	1022	50	00	2545	1207	381	127	15,469	11,364
Parsons C. Hastings, W. C.	" "																
Amos N. Freeman, P.	" "	" Siloam, P.	7	6	106	6	3	8				16		82			*
James M. Sherwood, Ed.	N. Y. City, "																
Benjamin B. Drake, W. C.	Brooklyn, "																
Lewis C. Lockwood, C. M.	" "																
Thomas Thomas, W. C.	" "																
Benjamin F. Millard, Ag.	" "																
Elijah D. Murphy, P., Mar. Chh.	" E. D., "																
Charles S. Robinson, D.D., P.	" "	" First, P.	63	27	899	264	16	17	760	65	00	3550	1712	671		25,099	2781
Spencer Marsh, P.	Haverstraw, P.	Haverstraw, First, P.			132	13		7	70	7	00					1400	92
William S. Karr, P.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	Brooklyn, Third, P.	8	7	295	85	2	12	250	10	00	165	237	50		4535	250
Seth B. Stone, F. M.	Ifafa, S. Africa.																
Tillman C. Trowbridge, F. M.	Constantinople, Tur.																
Oliver S. St. John, W. C.	Brooklyn, N. Y.																
Samuel Carlile, P.	" E. D., "	" E. D., First, P.	11	27	287		1	7	745	12	00	62	62	27		6570	
George W. Le Vere, P.	Knoxville, Tenn.																
Theodore S. Brown, P.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	" Memorial, P.			37												
Charles Wood, C. M.	" "	[—9.								*8	86						
John A. French, S. S.—28.	Flushing, L. I., "																
			242	176	3642	368	75	120	3247	187	86	7230	3721	1546	127	67,660	16,427
Licentiate.																	
Hamilton B. Holmes.—1.																	

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7. *Presb. of Newark.*																	
Enos A. Osborn, C. M.	Newark, N. J.																
Abner Brundage, W. C.	Montclair, "																
Zenas Riggs, W. C.	Plainfield, "																
Daniel G. Sprague, W. C.	South-Orange, "																
Joel Parker, D.D., P.	Newark, "	Newark, Park, P.			*214					15 00		141			39		532
Isaac N. Sprague, D.D., P.	Caldwell, "	Caldwell, P.	26	2	458	48	12	1	256	16 00							
Ebenezer Seymour, W. C.	Bloomfield, "																
William Bradley, Ag.	Orange, "																
Jonathan F. Stearns, D.D., P.	Newark, "	Newark, First, P.	7	7	458	20	2	5	522	40 00	565	711	115	116	92	8510	9858
James P. Wilson, D.D., P.	" "	Newark, South Park,	19	42	410	3	5	9	617	35 00	1139	816	369	45	123	14,188	3876
Chris'r M. Nickels, D.D., W. C.	Morristown, "	[P.															
Selah B. Treat, Sec.	Boston, Mass.																
Robert B. Campfield, Ag.	Newark, N. J.																
George H. Hulin, W. C.	Bloomfield, "																
Joseph S. Gallagher, Sec.	N. York City, N. Y.																
Samuel Hutchings, Tea.	Newark, N. J.																
Daniel W. Poor, D.D., P.	" "	Newark, High st., P.	16	19	*262		3	6	174	17 00	160	245	57			7176	2041
Joseph Fewsmith, D.D., P.	" "	Newark, Second, P.	20	19	504		8	13	550	36 00	340	313	109	32	61	8310	3763
Charles A. Smith, D.D., P.	East-Orange, "	East-Orange, P.	9	7	107		2	1	92	6 00	230	10		9		3170	63
James R. Keiser, Ag.	Plainfield, "																
Robert Aikman, P.	Elizabeth, "	Elizabeth, Third, P.	10	8	202	5		2	150	16 00	66	80				2600	390
Caleb C. Baldwin, F. M.	Fuh Chau, China.																
George C. Goehring, W. C.	Brooklyn, N. Y.																
William W. Eddy, F. M.	Sidon, Syria.																
Johan Ulrich Guënther, P.	Newark, N. J.	Newark, Ger., 1st, P.	14		420				450	10 00	10	69		5		5500	77
William Wolff, S. S.	Myersville, "	Myersville, Ger., S. S.			*20												
Ennals J. Adams, S. S.	Charleston, S. C.	Charleston, Col'd, S. S.	124		350				150							1510	
Aaron R. Wolfe, Tea.	Montclair, N. J.																

Albert Mandell, P.	Madison, N. J. [key.	Madison, P.	5	24	240		2	3	230	15 00	177	452	18	28			757
Theodore L. Byington, F. M.	EskiZaghra, W. Tur-																
Samuel R. Davis, Sec.	N. York City, N. Y.																
Nelson Millard, P. E.	Chicago, Ill.																
James H. Taylor, P.	Orange, N. J.	Orange, Second, P.	32	16	418		10	14	290	28 00	505	500		47	81	10,659	9423
Arthur Mitchell, P.	Morristown, "	Morristown, South st.,	42	10	375		13			25 00	950	858			133	3350	1826
J. Allen Maxwell, P.	South-Orange, "	South-Orange, P. [P.	2	10	191			3	150	16 00		150	30			4500	700
Charles T. Haley, P.	Newark, "	Roseville, P.	21	4	134	1	5	2	411	6 00	128	155	43	37		11,036	1457
Charles H. Thompson, P.	" "	Newark, Plane st., P.	33	11	205		24	13		3 00	25						
James M. Dickson, P.	" "	Newark, Sixth, P.	10	8	219	19	3	6	218	8 00	94	95				2296	300
William C. Scofield, P.	" "	Newark, Central, P.	16	13	269		4	11	361	20 00	100	100	30			3000	830
Charles D. Shaw, P.	Paterson, "	Paterson, Second, P.	9	5	167			3	175	8 00	71	90	42	22		4800	197
Sanford H. Smith, P.	Mendham, "	Mendham, P.	51	5	260		20	7	80	15 00	27	61					129
James Robertson, S. S.	Amenia, N. Y.																
Christian Wisner P.	Bloomfield, N. J.	Bloomfield, Ger., P.		9	75			10	70	2 00	2	15				714	
Charles E. Knox, P	" "	Bloomfield, P.	33	7	507		4	5		30 00	345	485	75	85	49	3446	2013
Samuel Murdock, P.	Crawford, "	Craneville, P.		5	43	1			48		10	15	13	6		1000	31
Edwin H. Freeman, H. M.																	
John J. F. Brunow, P.	Newark, "	Newark, Ger., 2d, P.			*100					2 00							
Samuel S. Mitchell, F. M.—48.	Syria.																
		Orange, First, V.	18	13	310	33	4	5	278	28 00	395	650	80			5103	2079
		West-Bloomfield, V.	17	10	308		2	9	249	25 00	486	374		38		10,000	2611
		Plainfield, V.	5	8	223					16 00	428	488	55		101		511
		Newark, Ger., 3d, S. S.		45	215				150	4 00							329
Licentiates.		Paterson, Ger., S. S.			55				46								
		Orange, Ger., S. S.			37			6								50	5
Philo P. Leavens,	N. York City, N. Y.	Passaic, S. S.—33.			24				92	2 00							
George Pierson, Jr.,	Orange, N. J.																
Isaac N. Caldwell.			539	307	7770	130	123	134	5819	444 00	6163	6973	1086	370	679	110,918	43,798
Walter S. Nichols,	Newark, "																
Edward H. Camp,	" "																
James S. Dennis.																	
Theodore A. Baldwin.—7.	" "																
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8. *Presb. of Rockaway.*																	
John Ford, S. S.	Parsippany, N. J.	Parsippany, S. S.			*30				50								
Josiah Fisher, S. S.	Succasunna, "	Berkshire Valley, S. S.			15				50			8				300	
Joel Campbell, S. S.	La Fayette, "	La Fayette, S. S.			25				150	2 00	5					500	35
Sylvester Cooke, P.	Deckertown, "	Wantage, First, P.	2		103		2	4	50	8 24	63	202	37	10		1200	
Burtis C. Megie, P.	Dover, "	Dover, P.	2	10	140			2	145	10 80	103	165	132	20		1800	441
John M. Johnson, P.	Hanover, "	Hanover, First, P.	2		218	15		2	200	13 62	70	146	45		15	1450	250
Daniel E. Megie, P.	Boonton, "	Boonton, P.	3	5	141		1	2	250	11 12	67	74	56			1400	
Nathan Leighton, S. S.	Newfoundland, "	Newfoundland, S. S.	28	1	135		20	4	200	9 20	30	20	5		5	675	
Frederick F. Judd, S. S.	Hunter, N. Y.																
Pearl S. Cossett.																	
Francis E. M. Bacheler, P.	Sparta, N. J.	Sparta, P.	4	5	150				160	12 00						1105	
Charles Milne, *In transitu.*																	
Lewis Thompson, P.	Whippany, N. J.	Whippany, P.	2	3	120			1	120	10 00	39	58	30	15		725	20
James H. Board, S. S.	Parsippany, "	Hanover, Second, S. S.	9	1	74		5	1	85	5 20	85	134				700	450
Elijah W. Stoddard, P.	Succasunna, "	Succasunna, P.	5	8	103	10	5	4	150	7 60	80	80	18	18	30	1294	106
O. H. Perry Deyo, P.	Rockaway, "	Rockaway, P.	25	5	195		7	2	215	14 96						5000	
Robert S. Feagles, P.	Mendham, "	Mendham, Second, P.	35	3	158		17	2	95	8 60	126	128				2400	60
Peres B. Bonney, P.	Branchville, "	Frankford, P.	1	2	145	7		3	185	11 60	21	28		15		1000	389
Samuel C. Hay, S. S.	Peotone, Ill.																
William E. Honeyman, *In trans.*																	
Andrew Tully, P. E.	Beemerville, N. J.	Wantage, Second, P.E.	8	2	135		8	6		10 00						800	
Alanson A. Haines, S. S.—22.	Hamburgh, "	Hardyston, S. S.	3	2	60	5	1	1	230	4 64		100	21			915	52
		West-Milford, P. E.			90	10		2	40	8 00						100	
Licentiate.		Deckertown, S. S.	1	2	103				100	8 24			60			850	150
		Stanhope, S. S.—20.	1	2	48				60	3 60		7				600	
John R. Jenkins.—1.																	
			131	51	2188	47	66	36	2475	159 42	529	1150	404	78	50	22,814	1953
Candidates, 3.																	

9. *Presb. of Montrose.*																			
Edward Allen, S. S.	Harford,	Pa.	Gibson, S. S.	1		18		1		40	3 00	17	38	17			130	20	
			Ararat, S. S.			27				55	2 00			11					
Burr Baldwin, W. C.	Montrose,	"																	
Lyman Richardson, W. C.	Harford,	"																	
Adam Miller, P.	"	"	Harford, P.	8	1	226	15	2	5	200	13 00	29	30				900	40	
Robert Crosset, S. S.	Hamlinton,	"	Salem, S. S.	5	3	48		3		66	4 00	124					450	27	
James B. Wilson, W. C.	New-Milford,	"																	
Samuel Schaffer, Ag.	Humphreysville,	"																	
Henry A. Riley, W. C.	Montrose,	"																	
Darius Williams, W. C.	Wysox,	"																	
James B. McCreary, W. C.	Great Bend,	"																	
Henry Van Houten, W. C.	Hawley,	"																	
Clarendon F. Muzzy.																			
Albert R. Raymond, S. S.	Hamlinton,	"																	
Joseph O. Boswell, W. C.	Harford,	"																	
William H. Adams, S. S.	Brooklyn,	"	Brooklyn, S. S.		2	58	7		1	50	5 00	25					350	15	
Samuel Whaley, P.	Providence,	"	Providence, P.	14	15	105	5	3	1	175	8 00	101	46		8		1085	110	
Elias O. Ward, P.	Bethany,	"	Bethany, P.	6		80	15		6	100	6 00						575	25	
			Lebanon, S. S.			18	10		2										
Jacob Best, S. S.	Waymart,	"	Waymart, S. S.	2	3	31				75	4 00	30	30				893	85	
			Prompton, S. S.		1	18				50	2 00	20	10				225	8	
Oliver Crane, P.	Carbondale,	"	Carbondale, P.	20	12	206		8	10	225	18 00	108	101		40		2178	387	
Jacob G. Miller, P.	Montrose,	"	Montrose, P.	10	8	352	45	7	5	200	21 00	170	261			24	3164	38	
Jerre Lorenzo Lyons, F. M.	"	"																	
Henry Harris Jessup, D.D., F.M.	Beirut, Syria.																		
James W. Raynor, S. S.	Le Raysville,	Pa.																	
Charles S. Dunning, P.	Honesdale,	"	Honesdale, P.	13	9	352	74		8	350	28 00	505	475	100			1200		
William F. Arms, S. S.	Nicholson,	"	Nicholson, S. S.	1	3	16		1		100	2 00	6						696	
Asahel L. Clark, P.	Hyde Park,	"	Hyde Park, P.		5	58		3	1	160	5 00	21	40	15			1800	55	
Samuel Jessup, F. M.	Sidon, Syria.																		
Henry J. Crane, S. S.	Wysox,	Pa.	Wysox, S. S.	18	2	117	23	4	1	120	4 00	20	11	9	6		673		
Bently S. Foster, P.	Dunmore,	"	Dunmore, P.	2		61		1	4	140	5 00	15			5		830	45	
			Archbald, S. S.	6	16	22		1		150	1 00	10					600	20	

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Wilbur Johnson, P.	Great Bend, Pa.	Great Bend, P.	12	15	167	17	6	4	106	8 00	13	71				910	12
William A. Dunning, W. C.	Middletown, N. Y.																
Charles H. Wheeler, S. S.	New-Milford, Pa.	New-Milford, S. S.			50			1	50	6 00	10					782	
Solomon H. Moon, P.—33.	Susquehanna, "	Susquehanna, P.	15	7	135		1	4	264	8 00	83			17		1950	171
Licentiate.																	
William J. Parrot, S. S.—1.	Waverley, "	Abington, S. S.	24	16	72	2	13	4	50	4 00	25	23				800	45
	Dundaff, "	Dundaff, V.			*19												
	Hawley, "	Hawley, V.			55	15		1	75	4 00	25					765	
Candidate, 1.	North-Jackson, "	Jackson, V.			*15												
	Louisville Centre, "	Liberty, S. S.		1	25				30								250
	Hale's Eddy, N. Y.	Scott, V.			21				18	2 00	5	2					
	Pleasant Mount, Pa.	Mount Pleasant, P. E.	9	1	132	5	4	2	100	6 00	56	55				3300	10
	Uniondale, "	Uniondale, P. E.			*86												
	Upsonville, "	Franklin, S. S.	22	7	94	10	12	1		7 00	18	20					3342
	Lenoxville, "	Lenoxville, V.			*16												
	Clark's Green, "	Clark's Green, S. S.—[34.	3	3	23		1	4		1 00	6					195	7
			191	130	2723	243	81	65	2949	177 00	1442	1214	152	76	24	23,755	5408
VIII. Synod of Pennsylvania.																	
1. *Presb. of Wilmington.*																	
John Patton, D.D., P.	Middletown, Del.	Forest, P.	25	9	97		3	17	132	4 95	12				10	2035	
George Hood, Ag.	Princeton, N. J.																
D. Hopkins Emerson, P.	St. George's, Del.	St. George's, P.	3	2	204		2	11	235	10 20		100	50		52		

Heminway J. Gaylord, P. M.	Lincoln, Del.																	
Alexander Gulick, P.	Bridgeville, "	Bridgeville, P.	2	8	20			5	65			5					1355	350
Robert C. Allison, W. C.	Greensboro, "																	
John Crowell, P.	Odessa, "	Odessa, P.			*10													
Willard Richardson, W. C.	Milford, "																	
Edward Webb, P.	Glasgow, "	Pencader, P.	4	6	93	14	1		80				55				600	100
Henry R. Matthews, P.	Elkton, Md.	Elkton, P.	17	3	100	10	2	7	80	5	00						1500	510
John F. Severance, P.	Milford, Del.	Milford, P.	8	33	68			1	189	2	00	25					940	19
William Aikman, P.	Wilmington, "	Wilmington, Hanover [st., P.	5	4	345		1	6	526	16	80	900	300		100	77	5250	85
John W. Mears, Ed.	Philadelphia, Pa.																	
Charles H. Holloway, Tea.—14.	Middletown, Del.									*17	35							
		Wilm'gt'n, Cen., P. E.	21	9	469		5	16	700	22	55	162	150	78	80		5583	460
		Christiana, S. S.	51	2	107		18		85	2	50	20	8	12		12	900	
		Drawyers, V.			*86			1				10			10	10		20
		Chesapeake City, V.			*28													
Candidate, 1.		Delaware City, V.		2	105	17		2	125	10	30	30	52	17			875	
		Port Penn, V.			*104				65									
		Mispillion, V.			*22													
		Felton, V.			*16													
		Greensboro, V.—17.			*10													
			136	76	1884	41	32	66	2282	104	10	1134	665	147	100	161	19,038	1544
2. *Presb. of Philadelphia*, 3d.																		
Joseph McCool, W. C.	Pottsville, Pa.									*4	00							
Michael Burdett, W. C.																		
James M. Davis, W. C.																		
Charles Brown, Sec.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Darby, First, S. S.	10		60		2	2	100				23		12		816	
Beriah B. Hotchkin, P.	Haverford, "	Marple, P.	4		93	8	1	6	318	5	00	31	30			23	1150	75
Peter Parker, M.D., W. C.	Washington, D. C.																	
William W. Taylor, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Phila., Olivet, P.	29	18	296	25	8	6	425	5	00	250	207	25	18	35	3700	490
Ezra E. Adams, D.D., W. C.	" "																	
Marcus E. Cross, W. C.																		

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Leeds K. Berridge, W. C.	Philadelphia, Pa.																
Nathaniel Frost, Ch.																	
Daniel March, D.D., P.	" "	Phila., Clinton st., P.	4	8	361		1	6	466	30 00	448	509	81	83	89	6212	2000
George F. Wiswell, D.D., P.	" "	" Green Hill, P.	17	16	342			7	520	25 00		200			116	4200	120
William Ottinger, Tea.	Germantown, "																
David C. Mecker, P.	Wallace, P. O., "	West-Nantmeal, P.	1	1	118	12		5	77	5 00	13	37	11	11	10	666	25
John McLeod, Sec., P.	Philadelphia, "	Phila., S.Western, P.	13	10	170			23	185		18	25	15	18	10	1850	16
Alexander M. Stewart, P.	East-Whiteland, "	East-Whiteland, P.	7	7	70		4		60	3 00	25	20	12	12	12	1110	
		Reeseville, P.		2	41			3	105	3 00	16	12	10	10	11	505	
John W. Dulles, Sec.	Philadelphia, "																
William E. Moore, P.	Westchester, "	Westchester, P.	44	20	366	30	22	9	326	15 00	100	220	28	31	32	3302	225
Epaminondas J. Pierce, S. S.	Del. Water Gap, "																
J. Glentworth Butler, D.D., P.	W.Philadelphia, "	Phila., Walnut st., P.	12	14	367	36	1	10	400	30 00	500	460	180	128		9400	2240
A. Henry Barnes, Tea.	Philadelphia, "																
Samuel W. Crittenden, Ag.	" "																
J. Ford Sutton, W. C.	" "																
George Van Deurs, S. S.	" "	" Tabor, S. S.	66	32	408	1	5	95	300		11	12	8	14		2215	52
H. Augustus Smith, P.	W. Philadelphia, "	" Mantua, First, P.	12	18	237	33	4	3	205	15 00	173	82	65	100		2530	96
Richard A. Mallery, P.	Philadelphia, "	" Cedar st., P.	42	8	312	86	2	19	200		20	37	15	50	12	1500	102
J. Hervey Beale, S. S.	Christiana, Del.																
Irving L. Beman, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	" Logan Sq., P.	7	12	160		3	4	257	5 00						1698	
Lewellyn Pratt, Prof.	Washington, D. C.																
Isaac Riley, P.	Pottsville, Pa.	Pottsville, First, P.	9	7	180	42	2	4	200	5 00	37	30	7	7		3360	128
George G. Smith, W. C.																	
William H. Thorne, P.	Kingsessing, "	Darby, Second, P.	3	4	70		1	2	130			26	9		10	1100	
Martin P. Jones, P.	Chester City, "	Chester City, P.	40	7	90		7	21	210	10 00	100		43	20	41	18,691	40
Elijah L. Burnett, P.—35.	W. Philadelphia, "	Phila., Mantua, Sec., P.	18	4	64	2		3	182							600	
		" Calvary, V.	10	2	359	25	1	10	400	60 00	1529	2930		85	172	7800	18,925
		" N.Broad st., V.	12	15	480		4	23	400	30 00	265	330		26	115	15,000	20,000
		" Western, V.	4	3	177	50	1	3	100	15 00	75	60	50	40	10	2400	1000

Licentiate.			Unionville, V.			*17												
			Womelsdorf, V.—24.			*10												
E. Clarence Smith.—1.				364	205	4648	350	69	264	5566	265	00	3611	5250	559	665	698	89,805	45,534
Candidates, 3.																			
3. *Presb. of Philadelphia, 4th.*											*10	74							
Albert Barnes, P.	Philadelphia,	Pa.	Phila., First, P.	12	3	495	50	4	9	200	70	00	1016	2504	974	337	515	8962	3485
David Malin, D.D., W. C.	"	"																	
Jacob Helffenstein, D.D., P.	Germantown,	"	Germantown, Market	2	4	340			5	170	20	00	40	86	36	30	50	2965	84
Charles Boyter, W. C.	Beverly, N. J.		[Sq., P.																
Robert Adair, Sec.	Philadelphia,	Pa.																	
Elias J. Richards, P	Reading,	Pa.	Reading, First, P.	9	12	385		1	5		20	00	283	206	80				235
Matthew Meigs, Tea.	Pottstown,	"	" Second, V.			*25					2	50							
James Boggs, Ag.	Philadelphia,	"																	
James W. Wood, P.	Allentown,	"	Allentown, First, P.	4	3	131			4	150	9	00	44	29	24	23		2075	272
Cornelius S. Conkling, P.	Mt. Pleasant,	N. J.	Alexandria, First, P.			*250					7	00							
Richard Walker W. C.	Allentown,	Pa.	Mountain, S. S.	30	2	80	19	7	5	100	2	50	62	60					330
Brown Emerson, W. C.	Vineland,	N. J.																	
Albert Worthington, W. C.	"	"																	
Douglas K. Turner, P.	Hartsville,	Pa.	Neshaminy, P.	3		212	8	2	7	325	10	00	83	84	33	13		761	223
Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D., P.	Philadelphia,	"	Phila., N. L., First, P.	18	19	470	100	10	3	670	40	00	130	725	210			19,793	826
Charles F Diver W. C.	"	"																	
Henry S. Osborn, LL.D., Prof.	Easton,	"																	
Edward B. Bruen, S. S.	Philadelphia,	"																	
William T. Eva, P.	"	"	Kensington, First, P.	26	5	1060		11	36	600	40	50	51	100	51	54	58	3100	800
Andrew Culver, P	Manayunk,	"	Manayunk, P.	15	2	238	13	4	40	300	5	00	22	22		10		3500	25
Benjamin Judkins, Jr., S. S.	Clinton, Mass.																		
Cornelius Earle, P	Catasauqua,	Pa.	Catasauqua, First, P.	4	4	85	5		10	328	4	50	204	110			44	1645	210
Thomas Pugh, S. S.	"	"	Hokendauqua, First, P.	2	5	19			3	185	3	00	35				5		300
Joseph G. Williamson, P.	Sidney,	N. J.	Bethlehem, P.	35	5	275		17		90									
Richard H. Allen, P.	Philadelphia,	Pa.	Phila., Third, P.	7	4	559	4	1	18	925	60	00	286	329	36	67	84	15,070	2063
George Locker, P.	"	"	Phila., First, Ger., P.	15		87	2	4	22	125			15	5			5	451	107

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Isaac O. Sloan, S. S.	Marine, Minn.																
John O. Wells, P.	Vineland, N. J.	Vineland, First, P.	44	82	219		16	6	282	5 00	22	106	5			1425	61
Francis Hendricks, S. S.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Kenderton, First, S. S.	8	5	54		3	2	100	5 00	25	25			20	2238	27
Daniel G. Mallery, P.	Beverly, N. J.	Beverly, P.	4	5	49	9	1	4	148	5 00	20			9	38	1687	33
Frank L. Robbins, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Oxford, P.	16	49	65		1	1	400	5 00	250						
Samuel Loomis, W. C.	Vineland, N. J.	Cedarville, S. S.	1		80				55	3 50		15					103
Henry H. Budge, S. S.	Whitby, Canada W.																
George W. Cox, W. C.	Philadelphia, Pa.																
James Y. Mitchell, P.	" "	Phila., N.L.,Central,P.	15	5	315		6	9	300	15 00						2500	50
Alfred J. Snyder, W. C.	Whitemarsh, "	Springfield, First, V.			56	4		4	55	3 00			3			450	
Hiram E. Johnson, S. S.	Fairton, N. J.	Fairfield, First, S. S.	1	3	143	5	1	2	119	3 50			25		11	2634	16
J. Garland Hamner, P.	Philadelphia, Pa.	Phila., Wharton st., P.	38	6	200		8	14	600	5 00	100	100	25	100	20	2100	285
John B. Reeve, P.	" "	" Lomb'd st., Cen., P.	21	2	280	21	4	17	200	2 50	12	12				1300	150
Gulick Van Aken, P.	" "	Southwark, First, P.	11	12	202		4	4	250	10 00	22	25				2200	26
Henry T. Ford, P.	Norristown, "	Norristown,Central,P.	4	14	180		4	8	250	10 00						1700	
Thomas A. Hamilton, Tea.	Blackw'dt'wn, N. J.	Jeffersonville, V.			*51												
Stephen W. Dana, S. S.—43.	Belvidere, "	Belvidere, Second, S.S. [—30.	2		86				150	10 00	163	200				1770	
			347	251	6691	240	109	238	7077	387 24	2685	4743	1502	643	850	78,326	9710
Licentiates.																	
Mahlon Long, Tea.	Hartsville, Pa.																
Alonzo P. Johnson, S. S.	Waukesha, Wis.																
William Hutton.—3.																	
Candidates, 12.																	
4. *Presb. of Harrisburgh.*																	
William R. De Witt, D.D., P.	Harrisburgh, Pa.																
John W. Davis, W. C.	" "																

Jeremiah Miller, Sec.	Philadelphia, Pa.	[P.																
William Sterling, P.	Williamsport, "	Williamsport, Second,	3	17	338	3	2	9	300	25	00	112	100	50	50	25	41,740	1170
William Tracy, F. M.	Pasumalie, N. India.																	
Conway P. Wing, D.D., P.	Carlisle, Pa.	Carlisle, First, P.	17	6	351		4	6	306	25	00	145	103	103	108	74	1700	68
Charles M. Blake, Ch.	Ft. Whipple, Ar. Ter.																	
Thomas H. Robinson, P.	Harrisburgh, Pa.	Harrisburgh, First, P.	23	6	196		6	4	330	25	00	3250	1379	276	578	72	2500	
James Dickson, P.	Northumberland, "	N'thumberl'd, First, P.	4		75			1	122	5	00	22	22	10	10	8		
Alexander D. Moore, S. S.	Dauphin, "	Dauphin, First, S. S.	6	2	76			6	103	5	00	25	75		50	18	600	140
Henry E. Niles, P.	York, "	York, P.	26	16	205		6	7	320	25	00	1367	555	273	717	344	2500	
John E. Long, S. S.	Hublersburgh, "	Hublersburgh, S. S.	1		50			1	55	3	00	10	9	8	2	5		
		Spring Mills, S. S.	7	1	33				60	3	00	26	19	12	8	13		
Hiram Baker, S. S.—13.	Harrisburgh, "	Harrisburgh, Second,	6	1	41		1		93	1	00	350		50			250	
Licentiate.		[S. S.—9.																
			93	49	1365	3	19	34	1689	117	00	5307	2262	782	1518	559	49,350	1378
John L. Landis.—1.																		
Candidates, 5.																		
5. *Presb. of Dist. of Columbia.*																		
		[P.																
John Cross Smith, D.D., P.	Washington, D. C.	Washington, Fourth,	24	20	550	18	10	17	330	45	00	62	268			80	3955	1099
William McLain, D.D., Sec.	" "																	
Mason Noble, D.D., Ch.	Brooklyn, N. Y.																	
Byron Sunderland, D.D., P.	Washington, D. C.	" First, P.	6	10	255	12	2	9	220	30	00	245	296	60	50	34	8326	1122
Halsey Dunning, P.	Baltimore, Md.	Balt., First Cons'l, P.	29	5	245	5	6	5	320	27	00	50	80		10	22	3458	346
Thaddeus Banks McFalls, P.	Washington, D. C.	Wash., Assembly's, P.	18	4	167		2	18	150	14	00	130	130			10	1600	26
John Neff Combs, P.	" "	" Western, P.	36	10	130	9	8	7	150	10	00	25	37				2600	
George Hutchinson Smyth, P.	" "	" Sixth, P.	24	8	105		8	7	174	9	00	25					4392	
[—8.		Harmony, V.			*30													
Licentiates.		Granite, V.			*30													
		Wash., Fifteenth st., V.	128	2	242		13		300								1704	
Ralph Randolph Gurley,	Washington, D. C.	[—9.																
Stephen D. Noyes.—2.	Baltimore, Md.		265	59	1754	44	49	63	1644	135	00	537	811	60	60	146	26,335	2593
Candidates, 4.																		

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IX. SYNOD OF WEST-PENN.																	
1. *Presb. of Erie.*																	
George A. Lyon, D.D., P.	Erie, Pa.	Erie, P.	5	6	416	21	1	10	300	30 52	200	175	71	50	60	6863	700
Joseph Vance, P.	Belle Valley, "	Belle Valley, P.	5	1	64		1	2	120	4 02	11	8	18	5		181	72
George W. Cleaveland, P.	Mooreheadville,"	Harbor Creek, P.	36	15	125		21	4	130	5 10	20	39	18	4	11	1038	72
Harrison O. Howland, P.	Girard, "	Girard, P.	68	14	136	6	41		166	5 02	50	44	9		7	2550	23
Sylvanus W. Warren, S. S.	Union Mills, "	Union, S. S.	16	7	78		9		117	3 36	16			5	14	1050	20
Thomas T. Bradford, P.	Waterford, "	Waterford, P.	11	5	101		5	7	150	5 70	12	11	6	6	4	1760	80
Eli W. Beebe, Ag.	Edinborough, "																*
William Grassie, P.	" "	Edinborough, P. [P.	21	5	140		9	9	80	7 20	15	34	12			2250	35
Ambrose Dunn, P.	Fairview, "	Fairview & Manch'st'r,	36		143		18		180	8 00	*9	52		9		800	50
Francis V. Warren, P.	Wattsburgh, "	Wattsburgh, P.		2	112	5		2	90	6 84	29	27	6		6	949	62
Thomas B. Hudson, P.	North-East, "	North-East, P.	17	15	245		8	3	300	13 26	115	155		150	20	2095	178
Dwight K. Steele, *In transitu.*	Willoughby, Ohio.																
James F. Read, D.D., W. C.	Union Mills, Pa.																
Samuel J. Jones, *In trans.*—14.		Springfield, S. S.	31	11	103		19	1	50	5 40						1055	170
		Greene, V.	1		40			3	40	2 40	7			5	7	407	12
Candidate, 1.		Beaver Dam, S. S.—13.			28	2			25	1 70		6	4			250	13
			247	81	1731	34	132	41	1748	98 52	484	551	144	234	129	21,848	1487
2. *Presb. of Meadville.*																	
George W. Hampson, P. E.	Woodcock, Pa.	Gravel Run, and Cam- [bridge, P. E.	4	1	160		1	12	165	*6 57 10 00	36	8	7	10		850	95
Oliver N. Chapin, H. M.	Spartansburgh, "																

John McMaster, S. S.	Pittsfield, "	Pittsfield, S. S.			*15													
Whiting C. Birchard, *In trans.*																		
Wm. Howell Taylor, P.	Titusville, Pa.	Titusville, P.	10	25	136		5	21	160	10	00	76	54	54			6603	214
David W. Rankin, S. S.	Spartansburgh, "	Sparta, S. S.	1	7	36				105	2	00	5					500	
George H. Hammer, W. C.	Newville, "																	
William C. Curtis, *In trans.*—[10.		Cherry-Tree, S. S.	27	5	72		14	6	120	3	10	365	42	35	17		550	413
		Sunville, S. S.	8	2	138			9	65	8	25	50	5	12	9		450	187
		Kerrs Hill, S. S.		1	36				30	2	00	12			7			
Candidate, 1.		Garland, S. S.			*40													
		Tionesta, V.			*20													
		Centreville, V.—13.			*5													
			114	64	1097		36	60	893	55	92	767	210	141	49		10,979	1105
3. *Presb. of Pittsburgh.*																		
Samuel M. Sparks, P.	Mount Pleasant, Pa.	Mount Pleasant, P.	7	1	143	43	2	4	150	7	00	26	17	7		5	650	150
		Pleasant Unity, P.	2		80			1		4	00	16	17	20			300	
A. B. Bradford, W. C.										*9	34							
Joseph S. Travelli, Ag.	Pittsburgh, "																	
Henry Kendall, D.D., Sec.	N. York City, N. Y.																	
Herrick Johnson, P.	Pittsburgh, Pa.	Pittsburgh, Third, P.	96	25	473		18	18	652	25	00	4558	1814	1863			46,312	5179
Peter S. Davis, S. S.—6.	Buchanan, "	Birmingham, 1st, S. S.	2	4	85	4		4	200	5	00	20	9	7	8		800	200
		Newcastle, V.—5.			*100													
Licentiate.			107	30	881	47	20	27	1002	50	34	4620	1857	1897	8	5	48,062	5329
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Candidates, 3.																		

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X. SYNOD OF MICHIGAN.																	
1. *Presb. of Detroit.*																	
Noah M. Wells, W. C.	Erie, Pa.																
George Duffield, D.D., P.	Detroit, Mich.	Detroit, First, P.	73	55	313		27	22	215	32 00	684	217	250	33		4162	1011
William A. McCorkle, C. P.	Detroit, Mich.																
William P. Wastell, S. S.	Palmyra, "																
Norman Tucker, S. S.	Springfield, "	Springfield, S. S.	17	1	52		8		40	3 00	8	10				257	
Peter Boughton, *In transitu.*	Harrisburgh, Pa.																
William Hogarth, D.D., P.	Detroit, Mich.	Detroit, Jeff. Av., P.	12	14	294	6	1	8	350	25 00	488	290	176			5500	500
Henry N. Bissell, S. S.	Mt. Clemens, "	Mt. Clemens, S. S.	9	3	80		1	3	150	4 00	20	66	6			1200	72
Azariah Eldridge, D.D., P.	Paris, France.																
Samuel N. Hill, S. S.	Birmingham, Mich.	Birmingham, S. S.	14	3	80		1		60	7 00	17		7			540	43
Phillip J. Hoff, *In transitu.*																	
J. Sandford Smith, S. S.	Holly, "	Holly, S. S.	12	11	94		4	3	115	6 00				6		750	40
James A. Veale, S. S.	White Lake, "	White Lake, S. S.	7		66	18	2	2	90	6 00			9			731	
William H. McGiffert, P.	Pontiac, "	Pontiac, P.	52	10	150		27	3	232	5 00	67	87				2519	50
Samuel T. Clarke, P.	Detroit, "	Detroit, Fort st., P.	12	7	271	26	2	13	500	24 00	600	156	53		74	8450	78
Henry M. Swift, S. S.	Milford, "	Milford, S. S.			*60												
Andrew Govan, W. C.	Brandon, "																
William C. Clark, W. C.	Detroit, "																
Thomas S. Forster, W. C.	Mt. Clemens, "																
Oliver W. Mather, W. C.	Windsor, Ct.																
Lionel B. Hart, W. C.—21.	Detroit, Mich.																
Licentiate.		Southfield, V.			*38												
		Dearborn, V.			*32												
Solon A. Whitcomb.—1.		Wing Lake, V.			65			1	50	6 00	6	10	5			284	5
		Canton, V.			*46												

Candidates, 5.		Erin, V.			*28												
		Brockway, S. S.			*10												
		Farmington, V.			*26												
		Merrillsville, V.			*10												
		Independence, V.			*10												
		Wyandott, V.—20.	16	17	33		6	5		3 00							
			224	121	1758	50	79	60	1802	121 00	1890	836	506	39	74	24,393	1799
2. *Presb. of Monroe.*																	
John Walker, W. C.	Jersey City, N. J.																
Erastus N. Nichols, W. C.	Tecumseh, Mich.																
Isaac Crabb, W. C.	Fairfield, "																
Charles N. Mattoon, D.D., P.	Monroe, "	Monroe, P.	6	12	318	2	2	1	200	17 00	261	133	20	10		2000	
Robert R. Salter, D.D., P.	La Salle, "	La Salle, P.	4	1	64	6	2	6	50	4 00	10	5				275	50
		Ida, S. S.			17			1		1 00	10	5				179	
Erasmus J. Boyd, Prof.	Monroe, "																
William S. Taylor, H. M.	Petersburgh, "	Petersburgh, S. S.		2	42	2		3	40	2 00	10		1	5		1497	17
Horatio W. Shaw, H. M.	Clayton, "	Clayton, S. S.	1	1	21	6			25	1 00	4	7				150	
		Dover, S. S.			51	1			75	2 00	9	15				305	
Samuel Ellis Wishard, Ag.	Tecumseh, "	Tecumseh, V.	67	16	345	8	24	8	215	16 00	165	202	30	23		8300	208
William H. Webb, P.	Adrian, "	Adrian, P.	3	21	233	8	2	9	271	21 00	170	50				4560	107
Richard G. McCarthy, H. M.	Tontogany, O.																
J. Gordon Jones, S. S.—12.	Manchester, Mich.	Manchester, S. S.	2	4	84				54	6 00	36	12				1432	
		Palmyra, V.			*60												
		Blissfield, V.			66				60	4 00	13			4		76	
		Deerfield, S. S.	1	2	32				50	2 00	13		1	5		420	15
		Medina, V.			*35												
Candidate, 1.		Morenci, V.			16	3				1 00						10	
		Erie, S. S.			27	1			45	2 00						462	
		Raisin, V.			42	5			40	2 00		32				450	5
		West-Adrian, V.—17.			*17												
			84	59	1460	42	30	28	1125	81 00	701	461	52	47		20,116	394

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3. *Presb. of Marshall.*																	
Calvin Clark, D. Sec.	Marshall, Mich.																
Bela Fancher, S. S.	Homer, "	Concord, S. S.	1	2	34	6			45	2 28	10	27	17			1128	18
Loomis Chandler, S. S.	Parma, "	Parma, S. S.	4	2	52	2		5	100	3 00	46	5				1200	
John Gerrish, P.	Homer, "	Homer, P.	5	6	117	6	3	1	100	6 72	58	62	13			990	46
J. Livingston Willard, P.	Marshall, "	Marshall, P.	15	12	257		10	2	200	14 10	138	59				1900	
James Walker, S. S.	Tekonsha, "	Tekonsha, S. S.	17	6	68	1	14		100	2 70	10	15	2	32	3	350	14
Thomas W Sherrard, S. S.	Brooklyn, "	Brooklyn, S. S.	12	16	99		8	3	80	4 25	42	10	7	52		600	
David M. Cooper, S. S.	Albion, "	Albion, S. S.	8		145	20			75	11 56	84	37	16	24		1390	
Joel Kennedy, S. S.	Howell, "																
Theodore D. Marsh, S. S.—10.	Black Hawk, Col. T.																
		Springport, S. S.		2	40				55	2 40	31	5	5			500	
		Eckford, V.	1		50	1			100	3 24	16	23	4		1	325	32
Candidate, 1.		Battle Creek, V.—10.			*240				200	14 00							
			63	46	1102	36	36	11	1055	64 25	385	243	64	81	4	8383	110
4. *Presb. of Washtenaw.*																	
Rufus Nutting, W. C.	Saline, Mich.																
Charles G. Clark, W. C.	Ann Arbor, "																
Ira M. Weed, S. S.	Ypsilanti, "																
Edward E. Gregory, S. S.	Corunna, "																
Norman Kellogg, S. S.	Stony Creek, "	Stony Creek, S. S.	19	8	102	2	10	1	100	5 40	40	45	20		12	900	86
Seth Hardy, W. C.	Ypsilanti, "																
Benjamin Franklin, S. S.	Brighton, "	Brighton, S. S.			50				160	3 30	35	17	6		7	493	8
David Torrey, D.D., *In trans.*	Chicago, Ill.																
George P. Tindall, P.	Ypsilanti, Mich.	Ypsilanti, P.	41	36	491	63	19	17	450	23 14	172	82	38	50		2450	140
Lucius D. Chapin, Prof.	Ann Arbor, "																

James H. Marshall, *In trans.*																		
William J. G. Nutting, W. C.—[12.	Saline,	Mich.																
			Ann Arbor, V.	5	19	293		2	5	350	17	46	80	123	44			1500	90
Licentiates.			Saline, V.	1	4	100	10	1	1	65	6	00	40	30	6			1050	
			Howell, S. S.	6	10	166		2	4	199	9	36	39	24	6	7		1748	29
Elnathan A. Pitkin,	Ypsilanti,	"	Unadilla, V.			19				30	3	54	22	20	2				1
George W. Hood.—2.	Lodi,	"	Plainfield, V.—8.			28				70	1	80	7		4				
Candidates, 3.				62	72	1249	75	39	28	2019	68	00	375	391	136	57	19	8141	338
5. *Presb. of Kalamazoo.*																			
Seth Smalley, W. C.	Augusta,	Mich.																	
B. Foster Pratt, W. C.	Kalamazoo,	"																	
Preston Taylor, W. C.	Schoolcraft,	"																	
John G. Reichmann, D.D., S. S.	Kalamazoo,	"	Kalamazoo, Ger., S. S.	4		16			12		5	00	4		2	2	4	600	4
Milton Bradley P.	Richland,	"	Richland, P.			101	10		2	200	8	00	80	125				995	65
William Fuller S. S.	Buchanan,	"	Buchanan, S. S.	1	14	73	7		1		5	00	17	8			7	650	35
Albert L. Payson, S. S.	La Salle,	Ill.																	
Albert H. Gaston, S. S.	Cassopolis,	Mich.	Cassopolis, S. S.	43	1	121	13	29	10	100	8	00		30				720	41
T. Dwight Hunt, P.	Niles,	"	Niles, P.	8	20	348	20	1	5	285	27	00	183	107	40	35	52	2840	318
John Sailor, P.	Allegan,	"	Allegan, P.	17	8	135	15	10	2	166	10	00	85	50	16	20		1100	442
George Willard, W. C.	Battle Creek,	"																	
Job Pierson, P.	Kalamazoo,	"	Kalamazoo, P.	16	18	321	25	12	7	560	24	00	242	412	232	50	88	3800	2044
Seward Osinga, S. S.	Unadilla,	"																	
Edward G. Bryant, S. S.	Atkinson,	Ill.																	
Albert E. Hastings, P.—15.	Paw Paw,	Mich.	Paw Paw, P.	12	8	130	4	5		120	9	00			7	5	4	1432	80
			Prairieville, V.			*17													
Licentiate.			Edwardsburgh, S. S.	11	1	71		1		70	5	00						350	
Sherman M. Burton.—1.	Kalamazoo,	"	Decatur, V.	3	12	53			2	72	3	00	20					1109	30
			Schoolcraft, S. S.	1	4	31				70	2	00	26					704	
			Alamo, V.		3	14				35	1	00	13	6				200	20

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		Hastings, S. S.			40				54	2 00	5					630	16
		Gun Plain, S. S.			*26												
		Barry, V.—16.			*18												
			116	89	1515	94	58	41	1732	109 00	675	738	297	112	105	15,130	3095
6. *Presb. of Coldwater.*																	
Hiram Smith, W. C.	Hillsdale, Mich.																
Charles S. Adams, W. C.	" "																
Alanson Scofield, W. C.	Quincy, "																
Oliver W. Norton, W. C.	Somerset, "																
Gustavus L. Foster, S. S.	Bethel, Ct.																
Joseph A. Ranney, P.	Three Rivers, Mich.	Three Rivers, P.	6	7	205		5	2	225	14 00	87	37	18	11	20	4200	92
Samuel Fleming, S. S.	Burr Oak, "	Burr Oak, S. S.	10	6	64	5	4	3	150	2 00	10	5				532	12
Almond G. Martin, W. C.	Sturgis, "																
Charles M. Temple, P.	White Pigeon, "	White Pigeon, P.	2	8	95	5			100	5 00	20	31				1200	
Frederick R. Gallaher, D.D., S.S.	Hillsdale, "	Hillsdale, S. S.	24	18	238		11	2	242	14 00	156	107	38	48	45	1787	137
William C. Porter, S. S.	Coldwater, "	Coldwater, S. S.		9	228				150	14 00	45					4102	125
Edwin W. Childs, S. S.	Jonesville, "	Jonesville, S. S.	27	10	125		12	6	130	6 00	17	30				1400	45
Nathan B. Knapp, P.—13.	Sturgis, "	Sturgis, P.	6	10	72		3	2	140	5 00		16	12			1172	50
		California, V.	1		36			3	30	2 00	10						
		Quincy, V.	1	2	30	8	1	2	100	1 00			1				
		Gilead, S. S.	3		27	2	2		90	2 00	8					250	7
		Somerset, V.	1		27	5			30	1 00	6	3				325	5
		Parkville, V.—12.	1		48	11			91	3 00	16					26	2
			82	70	1195	36	38	20	1478	69 00	375	229	69	59	65	14,994	475

7. *Presb. of Saginaw.*																			
Maltby Gelston, S. S.,	S. Saginaw, Mich.	South-Saginaw, S. S.	5	10	15														
		Saginaw, S. S.	20	2	47	13		40	2	90	7						230	10	
Henry H. Northrop, P.	Flint, "	Flint, P.	2	9	241		4	200	24	50	224	155	47	115	25		1800	184	
George Winter, S. S.	Goodrich, "																		
Donald B. Campbell, S. S.	Wenona, "	Bangor, S. S.	3		20	2		60	2	00	10	7					400	27	
Thomas Wright, D. Sec.	Fentonville, "																		
Justus B. Jewell, W. C.	Carson City, Nev.																		
Jonathan A. Woodruff, S. S.	Alison, Mich.	Goodland, S. S.		1	53		1	40	5	00	13						200		
Alexander Trotter, S. S.	Vassar, "	Vassar, S. S.			*40														
J. Ambrose Wight, P.	Bay City, "	Bay City, P.	13	15	107	5	9	150	5	00	63	55					3203	222	
Edmund F. Waldo, S. S.	Linden, "	Linden, S. S.	13	5	33	5		50	1	70	17	12		3			414		
William T. Bartle, S. S.	Lapeer, "	Lapeer, S. S.	1	2	60	1		75	6	00	77		50	18			1100	19	
James H. Phelps, S. S.	Flushing, "	Flushing, S. S.	5	10	55	2	1	60	4	00	10						860	10	
Jesse W. Hough, P.	Saginaw City, "	Saginaw City, P.	15	19	103	6	4	225	7	00	130						6100		
Edward Dickinson, S. S.	Fentonville, "	Fentonville, S. S.	14	9	114	9	4	150	9	00	34	13					2090	117	
Alanson Herrick, S. S.	Flint, "	Mundy, S. S.	9	2	51	6	1	100	3	00	13								
Calvin P. Quick, *In transitu.*—[16.		Byron, S. S.	5	2	33	3		75	2	40	13	6		2				237	
		Carrolton, S. S.	3		14		1	60									210		
Licentiate.		Fremont, V.			*15														
		East-Saginaw, S. S.—[17.	9	28	37	3	3	63											
Theron C. Waldo.—1.			117	114	1038	55	28	1348	72	50	607	248	97	138	25		16,607	822	
Candidate, 1.																			
8. *Presb. of Gr. River Valley.*																			
William M. Ferry, W. C.	Grand Haven, Mich.																		
Justin Marsh, W. C.	Portland, "																		
Louis Mills, S. S.	Ionia, "	Sebewa, S. S.	12		22	4	1	25		72							436	3	
Jonas Denton, S. S.	Forest City, "	Greenwood, S. S.			*10														
Le Moyne S. Smith, Ed.	Grand Haven, "																		
Joseph Tomb Willett, S. S.	St. Louis, "	Pine River, S. S.	4	5	23		1	60	1	20	10						175		
Edwin D. Newberry, P.	Ionia, "	Ionia, P.	6	6	230	1	4	120	13	32	35	16	31		40		3014	500	

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Augustus Marsh, S. S.	Portland	Mich.	Portland, S. S.	22		22							15				
George Ransom, P.	Muir,	"	Muir, P.	3	5	54		3		35	2 94	10	8	5	5	5	766	15
Daniel H. Evans, P.	Grand Haven,	"	Grand Haven, P.	1	4	51		1	4	230	2 82	55	71	20			1012	47
Samuel McGaw, W. C.	Lisbon,	"									*96							
Edmund B. Miner, S. S.—12.	Grand Rapids,	"	Gr. Rapids, First, S. S.	6	4	78	4		9	152	4 74						564	50
			Ada, S. S.	6		27		2	3	59	1 26	12	2					8
			Pewamo, S. S.	7		28		3		120	1 26	10	2			3	250	100
Candidate, 1.			North Star, V. [S. S.		8	8											815	
			Emerson & La Fayette,	4	6	10											25	
			Spring Lake, S. S.—[13.			*10												
				71	38	573	4	14	22	801	29 22	142	99	71	5	48	7057	723
9. *Presb. of Lansing.*																		
Hosea Kittredge, S. S.	Mason,	Mich.	Dansville, S. S.	2	2	30			5	50	2 13	14	11	2				35
William U. Benedict, S. S.	Vermontville,	"	Roxan, S. S.			21			5		1 00	4	10					
Alfred Bryant, P. M.	Lansing,	"									*0 59							
Chester S. Armstrong, S. S.	"	"	Lansing, Second, S. S.	83	11	151		62	3	175	3 00						3500	
J. Evarts Weed, P.—5.	"	"	" First, P.	34	34	185		18	4	115	8 76	120	100	44	19	32	2010	335
			Mason, S. S.	1	4	49		1	1	110	3 00	21	4		25			38
			Oneida, S. S.	8		24				50		10						
			Corunna, S. S.	6	4	50		2		75	2 40						50	28
			Delhi, S. S.			18					1 00	5						
Candidate, 1.			Okemos, S. S.			30					1 00	5					200	5
			Grand Ledge, S. S.		17	17				125	1 08							
			Sunfield, S. S.—11.			*7												
				134	72	582		83	18	700	23 96	179	125	46	44	32	5760	441

XI. Synod of W. Reserve.																			
1. *Presb. of Grand River.*																			
Dexter Witter, W. C.	Burton,	Ohio.																	
Joseph A. Pepoon, W. C.	Munson,	"																	
J. Mills Gillett, W. C. *In trans.*																			
Hiram A. Babcock, W. C.	Lindenville,	"																	
Justus L. Janes, S. S.	Chester X Roads,	"																	
Horace W. Palmer, S. S.	Kingsville,	"	Kingsville, S. S.	3	2	108		1			6	84	20	26				7	
Joseph N. McDiffert, P.	Ashtabula,	"	Ashtabula, P.	7	4	97		3	6		6	84	184	43	16	28		1521	126
Edward B. Chamberlain, S.S.	E. Springfield,	Pa.																	
[*In trans.*—8.			Burton, S. S.	20	2	146		13	1	100	8	10	36	40	26			700	125
			Rome, S. S.	4	3	54		3	6		3	24	20	15					286
			Chardon, V.—5.			21					1	33	2	2	2	2			25
				34	11	426		20	13	100	26	35	262	126	44	30		2221	569
2. *Presb. of Huron.*																			
Enoch Conger, W. C.	Lexington,	Ohio.																	
Marcus Palmer, W. C.	Fitchville,	"																	
Joel Talcott, W. C.	Wakeman,	"																	
Eldad Barber, P.	Florence,	"	Florence, P.	1	3	30		3		40	1	00		11				260	
Abram C. Du Bois, W. C.	Plymouth,	"																	
Samuel Montgomery, W. C.	Oberlin,	"																	
John McCutchan, P. C.	Ruggles,	"																	
Alfred Newton, D.D., P.	Norwalk,	"	Norwalk, P.	22	14	201		2	10	11	225	10	50	113	215	50	18	21	1886	375
Madison Elliott, S. S.	Rochester,	"																	
Samuel D. Smith, Ag.	Oberlin,	"																	
Horace S. Taylor, F. M.	Claridon,	"																	
Flavel S. White, W. C	Fremont,	"																	
Lemuel Bissell, F. M.	Ahmednuggur,	In.																	
N. Cogswell Coffin, W. C.	Marblehead,	Ohio.																	
Hubbard Lawrence, S. S.	Peru,	"	Peru, S. S.	2		55				60	3	60	21	33	8			500	50

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Ebenezer Bushnell, P.	Fremont, Ohio.	Fremont, P.	11	8	168	8	6	4	200	10 00	65	84	50	26		1518	280
John H. Walter, P.	Milan, "	Milan, P.	5	6	203	5	1	2	310	12 40	32	140	22	4	18	3354	100
Delos E. Wells, P.	Monroeville, "	Monroeville, P.	8	7	110		5	3	145	6 50	10	42	21	7	5	1557	85
John D. McCord, P.	Plymouth, "	Plymouth, P	5	10	150	10	3	2	150	7 25	29	30	15	35		1600	25
Henry B. Dye, S. S.	Huron, "	Huron, S. S.	1	1	70			3	135	4 50			16			796	
George H. Fullerton, P.	Sandusky, "	Sandusky, P.	7	10	108		3	9	300	6 00	17	32	16			2000	85
William M. Newton, S. S.	Bloomville, "	Bloomville, S. S.	6	4	62	2			100	3 40	10	10	6				
William T. Hart, S. S.—23.	Lyme, "	Lyme, S. S.	4	4	107		1	3	150	6 00	16	79	13	5		1036	88
		Olena, S. S.	2		65		1		70	4 00	23	25	14			404	21
		Republic, V.	16		44		5			2 00		9				450	
		Melmore, S. S.	6		44	5	2			2 75		10				190	
Candidates, 7.		Greenfield, S. S.			*53												
		Margaretta, S. S.	3		25		1		50	1 70						178	
		Birmingham, S. S.	1		27	7		1	100	1 00	22	18				280	
		Clyde, V.—18.			12												
			100	67	1534	42	38	38	2035	82 60	358	738	231	95	44	15,949	1109
3. *Presb. of Trumbull.*																	
Ozias S. Eells, S. S.	Johnstonville, Ohio.	Johnston, S. S.	2	4	67	1		4	70	3 60		17			2	295	50
Isaac Winans, S. S.	Garretsville, "																
Xenophon Betts, S. S.	Vienna, "	Vienna, S. S.			54	5			40	3 75		35	5	7	10	300	7
Henry B. Eldred, P.	Kinsman, "	Kinsman, P.	2	4	144			7	175	9 00	55	122			12		273
Claudius B. Andrews, F. M.	Honolulu, Oahu.																
Benjamin Walker, S. S.	Warren, Ohio.	Champion, S. S.	5		37				50	2 62		26				150	13
Levi B. Wilson, P.	Youngstown, "	Youngstown, P.	7	12	262		3	8	190	16 00	38	80			41	12,600	256
William F. Millikan, P. & S. S.	Mesopotamia, "	Mesopotamia, P.	1	2	75		1		139	4 90	47	74	32	12		607	319
Augustus Cone, P. and S. S.	Freedom, "	Newton Falls, P.	22	9	91		10	1	125	4 10	12	16				1000	
		Braceville, S. S.			23				40	1 46						175	

Benjamin F. Sharp, P.	Niles,	Ohio.	Mineral Ridge, P.	7	7	68		2	6	250	4	10		52				1500	75
John Campbell, S. S.	Johnstonville,	"	Mecca, S. S.			53	8			75	3	50						290	75
Henry R. Hoisington, W. C.	Circleville,	"																	
Howard W. Stratton, S. S.—13.	Huntsburgh,	"																	
			Warren, S. S.	17	14	276	5	9	11	150	15	18	53	79		14		1600	161
Licentiate.			Ellsworth, S. S.	1		50	15			60	3	10		311	470			485	500
			Gustavus, V.			44					3	45							
Richard L. Williams.—1.	Massillon,	"	Farmington, V.			33	5			56	2	00	13	15	4	12	5	291	30
			Basetta, V.			37					2	22		2					
Candidate, 1.			Southington, V.—16.			17					1	20	3	1				79	5
				64	52	1331	39	25	37	1420	80	18	221	830	511	45	70	19,372	1764
4. *Presb. of Cleveland and Portage.*																			
John Seward, W. C.	Tallmadge,	Ohio.																	
John Monteith, W. C.	Elyria,	"																	
George E. Pierce, D.D., W. C.	Hudson,	"																	
Israel Shaler, W. C.	Richfield,	"																	
Samuel C. Aiken, D.D., P. Em.	Cleveland,	"																	
Stephen W. Burritt, W. C.	"	"																	
Thomas Lee, W. C.	Brooklyn,	"																	
Samuel Bissell, Tea.	Twinsburgh,	"																	
Benjamin Fenn, P. C.	Nelson,	"																	
Caleb Burbank, W. C.	Stamford,	N. Y.																	
Joseph H. Breck, W. C.	Newburgh,	Ohio.																	
Asa Brainard, W. C.																			
Alvan Nash, S. S.	Corry,	Pa.																	
William Day, W. C.	Cleveland,	Ohio.																	
Daniel C. Blood, W. C.	Collamer,	"																	
Ansel R. Clark, S. S.	Huntington,	"																	
James Shaw, D.D., P. C.	Windham,	"																	
Franklin Maginnis, P.	Collamer,	"	Euclid, P.	10	2	126		5	7	75	9	28	25	40	15				137

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XII. SYNOD OF OHIO.																	
1. *Presb. of Athens.*																	
Hiram R. Howe, W. C.	Pine Grove, Ohio.																
William H. Bay, W. C.	Cumberland, "																
Charles Merwin, S. S.	Pomeroy, "	Pomeroy, S. S.	1	4	81			4	159	6 00		41				1000	22
Ebenezer B. Andrews, W. C.	Marietta, "																
Warren Taylor, S. S.	Wilkesville, "	Wilkesville, S. S.	13	3	125	2	5	3	130	8 80	48	14	11		18	460	
Charles C. Hart, S. S.	Logan, "	Logan, S. S.	15		130	10	3	10	175	10 00	47		37	20		1075	98
Moses P. Jimeson, W. C.	New-Richmond, "																
Henry C. Cheadle, S. S.	Amesville, "	Amesville, S. S.	1	5	70				100	5 60	12					1130	125
Charles D. Curtis, Pres.	College Hill, "																
Hugh B. Scott, P.	Middleport, "	Middleport, P.	5	3	70		3		100	5 00	89	50	37	20		1900	125
Henry W. Ballantine, P.	Marietta, "	Marietta, Fourth st., P.	4	20	107		3	2	90	7 50	67	54				3800	102
Andrew J. McKim, F. M.	Lima, S. America.																
Ezra D. Shaw, Tea.—13.	Barlow, Ohio.																
		Gallipolis, V.	2	5	47		2	2	100	6 00	13	42	8		12	1298	22
Licentiates.		Watertown, V.			16				50	1 40						30	
M. Lawrence St. John, M.D.,	Neelysville, Ohio.	Carthage, V.		4	17			1	20	1 00							
L. Dudley Wells,	Chester, "	Bashan, V.			16				40	1 50	5						
William J. Lee,	Walnut Hills, "	Chester, V.			*30						5						
William A. Bosworth.—4.	" "	Warren, V.			*50												
		Tupper's Plains, V.	1	2	48	3			20								
Candidates, 4.		Barlow, V.			*20												
		Salem, V.			*10												
		Newport, V.			*10												
		Racine, V.—17.			*5												
			51	46	851	15	16	22	984	52 80	286	201	93	40	30	9395	494

John A. De La Matyr.—3.	Cleveland, O.	Newburgh, V.			*70														
		Brecksville, V.																	
Candidates, 16.		Cleveland, Euclidst., V.	30	6	182	1	7	6	269	15	12	111	253	74			6760	2115	
		Streetsboro, S. S.			*24														
		Independence, S. S.			*50														
		Parma, S. S.	1		27		1		45	2	24	12					150	45	
		Bath, V.			*12														
		Brunswick, V.			24														
		Hinkley, V.			*42														
		Grafton, S. S.			23				40	2	00		11				147	19	
		Wadsworth, V.			*22														
		Mantua, S. S.—24.			*22														
			260	111	2617	117	98	68	2882	147	78	2008	2710	512	75	86	47,034	3744	
5. *Presb. of Maumee.*																			
Nathaniel T Fay P. C.	Prairie Depot, Ohio.																		
Perry C. Baldwin, S. M.	Maumee City, "																		
William W Williams, P.	Toledo, "	Toledo, First, P.	67	43	368	4	24	15	500	25	00		384	838	265	112	6749	1189	
George A. Adams, S. S.	Perrysburgh, "	Perrysburgh, S. S.	3	2	72		1	3	100	3	00	30	30	46	30	12	1833	6	
Charles Richards, S. S.	Maumee City, "	Maumee, S. S. [P.	30	5	81		11	8	175	3	00	7	80	7			1235	100	
Henry M. Bacon, P.	Toledo, "	Toledo, Westminster,	10	28	127	1	2	10	90	10	00	53	77			40	5866	80	
E. Judson Alden, S. S.	Fostoria, "	Fostoria, S. S.	8	3	55	3	3	3	76	1	00	26			20		425		
		Waterville, S. S.	4		26		1	2	40	1	00						62		
John Eaton, Jr., Ed.—8.	Memphis, Tenn.																		
		Weston, S. S.	30	2	48		20	2	50	1	00						13		
Candidates, 2.		Tontogany, S. S.	18		44		4	1	80	1	00					5	45	6	
		Defiance, S. S.			*63														
		Ridgeville, S. S.			*15														
		Mill Grove, S. S.			*40														
		Bowling Green, S. S. [—12.			*40					2	00								
			170	83	979	8	66	44	1111	47	00	116	571	891	315	169	16,228	1381	

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1. *Presb. of Athens.*																	
Hiram R. Howe, W. C.	Pine Grove, Ohio.																
William H. Bay, W. C.	Cumberland, "																
Charles Merwin, S. S.	Pomeroy, "	Pomeroy, S. S.	1	4	81			4	159	6 00		41				1000	22
Ebenezer B. Andrews, W. C.	Marietta, "																
Warren Taylor, S. S.	Wilkesville, "	Wilkesville, S. S.	13	3	125	2	5	3	130	8 80	48	14	11		18	460	
Charles C. Hart, S. S.	Logan, "	Logan, S. S.	15		130	10	3	10	175	10 00	47		37	20		1075	98
Moses P. Jimeson, W. C.	New-Richmond, "																
Henry C. Cheadle, S. S.	Amesville, "	Amesville, S. S.	1	5	70				100	5 60	12					1130	125
Charles D. Curtis, Pres.	College Hill, "																
Hugh B. Scott, P.	Middleport, "	Middleport, P.	5	3	70		3		100	5 00	89	50	37	20		1900	125
Henry W. Ballantine, P.	Marietta, "	Marietta, Fourth st., P.	4	20	107		3	2	90	7 50	67	54				3800	102
Andrew J. McKim, F. M.	Lima, S. America.																
Ezra D. Shaw, Tea.—13.	Barlow, Ohio.																
		Gallipolis, V.	2	5	47		2	2	100	6 00	13	42	8		12	1298	22
Licentiates.		Watertown, V.			16				50	1 40						30	
M. Lawrence St. John, M.D.,	Neelysville, Ohio.	Carthage, V.		4	17			1	20	1 00							
L. Dudley Wells,	Chester, "	Bashan, V.			16				40	1 50	5						
William J. Lee,	Walnut Hills, "	Chester, V.			*30						5						
William A. Bosworth.—4.	" "	Warren, V.			*50												
		Tupper's Plains, V.	1	2	48	3			20								
Candidates, 4.		Barlow, V.			*20												
		Salem, V.			*10												
		Newport, V.			*10												
		Racine, V.—17.			*5												
			51	46	851	15	16	22	984	52 80	286	201	93	40	30	9395	494

2. *Presb. of Pataskala.*

Addison Kingsbury, D.D., P.	Zanesville, Ohio.	Putnam, P.	2	9	149			6	200	12	00	277	270	689	5	2	6043	895
Charles M. Putnam, P.	Jersey, "	Jersey, P.	9		120		2	8	70	10	00	110	116	25	5	20	675	62
Warren Swift, W. C.	Homer, "																	
Edmund Garland, W. C.	Johnstown, "																	
Hugh Carlisle, W. C.																		
Timothy W. Howe, P. & S. S.	Pataskala, "	Pataskala, P.	9		68	17	1	1	150	5	00	17	11	5		10	200	22
		Kirkersville, S. S.	12	2	80		2	2	40	5	00	8	4	9		5	190	53
Ebenezer Buckingham, P.	Canton, "	Canton, P.	11	8	136			6	120	10	00		97			120	1500	274
Jonathan Sampson, W. C.	Westfield, Iowa.																	
Theodore Stowe, W. C.	N. Lexington, Ohio.																	
Samuel P. Hildreth, S. S.	Dresden, "	Dresden, S. S.	14	4	96	19	8	8	100	6	00	35	78	11		12	405	35
Abraham S. Avery, W. C.	New-Lexington, "																	
Elias Thompson, S. S.	Lindenville, "	Hartford, S. S.		4	47			4	70	3	00	38	34				585	50
William M. Kain, S. S.	Coshocton, "	Coshocton, S. S.	5	3	67		1	1	70	5	00	15					438	200
Charles W. Wallace, S. S.	Seymour, Indiana.																	
Daniel A. Tawney, S. S.	Johnstown, Ohio.	Johnstown, S. S.		2	35	1			60	3	00	11	20		5		115	6
George A. Little, S. S.	Massillon, "	Massillon, S. S.	3	4	91		2	4	150	10	00	20	28				1000	150
David E. Beach, P. C.—17.	Granville, "	Granville, P.	23	14	275	2	7	6	404	12	00	130	181	56			1700	300
		Newark, Second, P. E.	14	7	112		2	2		12	00	70					3000	
		Homer, S. S.	3	4	51		2	4	65	5	00						325	39
		Bremen, S. S.	11	1	35					2	00	23		8				
		Cross Roads, S. S.	2	4	37	8			50	2	00						105	11
Candidates, 3.		Roscoe, S. S.			16				75	1	00	2					131	
		Roseville, V.			35				25	1	00						75	
		Fairmount, S. S.	11		65		3	14	85	4	00						200	20
		Canal Dover, S. S.	6	3	30			1	125	2	00	4	9				200	100
		Baltimore, V.			*30													
		New-Bethel, V.			*10													
		New-Lexington, V.			*13													
		Unity, V.—23.			*20													
			135	69	1620	47	30	67	1859	110	00	760	848	803	15	169	16,887	2217

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8. *Presb. of Franklin.*																	
Henry Shedd, W. C.	Mt. Gilead, Ohio.																
John Hunt, W. C.	Porter, "																
M. Wilson, S. S.	Radnor, "	Delhi, S. S.	1	5	77	3		4	35	5 00	10	20	5	5	5	620	50
W. Thompson, P.	Constantia, "	Berlin, P.	4	3	106	5	2	3	104	6 00	35	30	12	13	18	580	30
I. Newton, P.	Delaware, "	Delaware, Second, P.	3	9	225	10	2	5	130	14 00	35	50	20	15	19	2334	10
r Mitchell, S. S.	Marysville, "																
r Bushnell, W. C.	Columbus, "																
ard D. Morris, D.D., P.	" "	Columbus, Second, P.	26	24	280	9	14	6	250	15 00	428	582	172			3500	250
Martin, W. C. *In trans.*	Columbus, Wis.																
ler McVay, P.	Reynoldsburgh, O.	Reynoldsburgh, P.	5	3	84		2		120	5 00	18	6	7			673	65
an H. Shedd, F. M.	Salmas, Persia.																
Thomas J. Downey, *In trans.*—[12.	Jackson, Ohio.																
		Circleville, V.	22	6	135		3		175	7 00						1275	
Licentiate.		Trenton, V.	3	3	69			1	45	3 00	12	15				415	
D. Lord, Tea.—1.	Columbus, "																
		Porter, V.		1	44				37	3 00	12	20				300	
		Frankfort, V.			*42												
		Mt. Gilead, V.			*53												
		Central College, V.	4	6	37			1		2 00	28	17				650	
***Candidate*, 1.**		Genoa, V.			*20					1 00		5				90	
		Ashley, V.			*30					2 00							
		Little Mill Creek, S. S.	1	1	75		1		45	4 00	12	14				362	39
		Jefferson, S. S.			*5					50							
		Lower Liberty, V.—[16.															
			69	61	1335	27	24	20	1231	67 50	590	759	216	33	42	10,799	444

Presb. of Scioto.																		
Luke Dewit, W. C.		Ohio.																60
H. Perkins Pratt, D.D., P.	Portsmouth,	"	Portsmouth, P.	37	14	359	12	11	15	472	18	00	642	771	119	112	60	13,428	7198
James R. Gibson, S. S.	Eckmansville,	"	Frankfort, S. S.	8	1	53				71	2	00	55					425	30
John M. Boal, Tea.	Urbana,	"	Jackson, V.	1		49				100	2	00	17	12	12			644	40
A. Alexander Jimeson, S. S.	Hanging Rock,	"	Hanging Rock, S. S.	4	1	40	5	1	2	50	8	00	22	17		15	14	1350	
Eli P. Adams, S. S.	Sandy Spring,	"	Sandy Spring, S. S.	1		65		1	2	60	4	00	20	15	6	10		550	10
John H. Young, S. S.	Ironton,	"	Ironton, S. S.	6	14	141		3	5	301	10	00	284	273	30			2800	100
Joseph Little, H. M.—8.	"	"																	
			Chillicothe, V.			20													
Licentiate.			Madison, V.			23					1	00							
			Rome, S. S.—9.		1	12				80	1	00	5	3		2		50	
Brainard T. Dewit.—1.	Walnut Hills,	"																	
				57	31	762	17	14	24	1134	46	00	1045	1091	167	137	77	19,247	7368
Candidate, 1.																			
XIII. Synod of Cincinnati.																			
1. *Presb. of Cincinnati.*																			
John Rankin, S. S.	N. Richmond,	Ohio.	New-Richmond, S. S.		2	85			1		1	50		15					
Benj. P. Aydelotte, D.D., W. C.	Cincinnati,	"																	
Franklin Y. Vail, Ag.	College Hill,	"																	
D. Howe Allen, D.D., Prof.	Walnut Hills,	"																	
Wm. M. Thomson, D.D., F. M.	Beirut, Syria.																		
Charles B. Boynton, D.D., Ch.	Washington, D. C.																		
Elisha Ballantine, Prof.	Walnut Hills, Ohio.																		
John F. Pogue, F. M.	Lahainaluna, S. Isl's.																		
Albert Bushnell, F. M.	Gaboon, W. Africa.																		
Joseph Chester, P.	Cincinnati,	Ohio.	Cin., Poplar st., P.	2	12	116		1	7	500	10	00	70	105	27	49	15	3421	58
Lucian C. Ford, W. C.	Walnut Hills,	"																	
George M. Maxwell, D.D., Tea.	Cincinnati,	"																	
John E. Chandler, F. M.	Madura, India.																		

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G. J. Raidt, W. C.	Cincinnati, Ohio.	Cin., Hollandish, V.			30												
William D. Rosseter, Sec.	Walnut Hills, "																
J. Lichtenstein, P.	Cincinnati, "	Cin., Ger., First, P.	23	4	204			49	250	4 00	45	28		6		1093	7
G. William Winnes, H. M.	" "																
William Van Vleck, W. C.	" "																
Henry Smith, D.D., Prof.	Walnut Hills, "																
Wilbur McKaig, P.	Cincinnati, "	Cincinnati, Third, P.	4	18	315		3	8	521	20 00	719	865	883	84		4481	39
James Lovejoy Robertson, P.	" "	" Second, P.	2	10	426	32		5	197	45 40		573	499	76	237	10,082	514
Osman A. Lyman, S. S.	Walnut Hills, "	Lane Seminary, S. S.	18	22	120		4	5	145	14 00	356	308	550		86	10,000	10
John L. French, S. S.	Batavia, "	Batavia, S. S.	6	4	51		1	1	151	1 00	31	8	36	19		2043	
		Bantam, S. S.	10	2	44			3	53	1 00	28	10	42	5		289	
Llewelyn J. Evans, Prof.	Walnut Hills, "																
Luman A. Aldrich, P.	Cincinnati, "	Cincinnati, Sixth, P.	3	4	68		1	3	161	2 00	99	34	10			400	
Lycurgus Railsback, H. M.	" "																
J. William Marcussohn, H. M.	Walnut Hills, "																
James M. Anderson, Pres.—28.	College Hill, "																
		Sharonville, V.	1		25						6		30			400	
		Morrow, V.			*22					50							
		Pleasant View, V.			10												
		Newport, V.			28					2 00							
Licentiate.		Jamestown, V.			14					1 00							
		Moscow, V.—16.			15					50		4				73	
Elias Benzing.—1.	Cleveland, Ohio,																
			69	78	1573	32	10	82	1968	102 90	1354	1950	2077	239	338	32,252	5628
2. *Presb. of Ripley.*																	
Daniel E. Bierce, S. S.	Ripley, Ohio.	Ripley, S. S.	37	6	247		15	14	300	14 40	80	79	83			1760	
Joseph Swindt, S. S.	Blissfield, Mich.	Georgetown, S. S.	2	2	75	10			80	4 50		22	5			350	60

		Short Creek, S. S.	4	1	39	4		1	50	2 40		12				325	12
David Van Dyke, S. S.	Scott P. O., Ohio.	Winchester, S. S.	24	4	63		4	4		3 75							15
Jesse H. Lockhart, P.	Russellville, "	Russellville, P.	60	8	140		18	4	150	8 00	30						15
David Gould, W. C.	Cedron, "	Cedron, V.															
H. Vallet Warren, *In trans.*	Granville, Ill.																
Victor M. King, *In trans.*		Higginsport, V.			*22												
Henry Osborn, S. S.—8.	Decatur, Ohio.	Decatur, S. S.			*109												
	Cherry Fork, "	N. Liberty, S. S.	2		20		1			1 25	18						
	Sardinia, "	Sardinia, V.			*46												
	Felicity, "	Felicity, V.—11.			*10					*17 06							
			123	21	771	14	39	23	580	51 36	128	113	88			2335	102
3. *Presb. of Dayton.*																	
Benjamin Graves, W. C.	New-Carlisle, Ohio.																
William M. Cheever, D. Sec.	Terre Haute, Ind.																
Henry Calhoun, P.	Troy, Ohio.	Troy, First, P.	20	2	171		10	3	274	11 00	158	195	45			3000	100
Daniel Montieth Moore, P.	Yellow Springs, "	Yellow Sp'gs, First, P.	2	15	53	6		1	75	3 00				6		1100	100
Rollin A. Sawyer, P.	Dayton, "	Dayton, Third st., P.	9	9	232		3	11	250	18 00	364	265	210	130		6700	5890
Joseph B. Little, S. S.	Portsmouth, "	Lima, Second, S. S.	4	4	99	3	2	8	75	6 00	44	42				1155	28
Linus Blakesley, S. S.	Piqua, "	Piqua, Second, S. S.	5	4	90	8	2	4	175	6 00	19	16			90	1400	16
Lewis E. Jones, S. S.	Tippecanoe, "	Tippecanoe, S. S.		5	20				70	2 00	25			4		600	12
James L. Pollock, P.—9.	Osborne, "	Osborne, P.		7	31	1		1	71	2 00					9	793	
		Addison, V.	2		38	10			50	2 00						200	
		New-Carlisle, V.	10	1	102	15	7	4	75	6 00		14				2700	200
		Greenville, V.—10.			15												
			52	47	851	43	26	31	1045	55 00	610	532	255	140	99	17,898	6346
4. *Presb. of Hamilton.*																	
John W. Hall, D.D., Tea.	Covington, Ky.																
Benjamin W. Chidlaw, Sec.	Harrison Junc., Ohio.																
William H. Rogers, W. C.	College Hill, "																
Isaac De La Mater, Ag.	Delhi, "																

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John H. Wilson, Tea.	College Hill, Ohio.																
Lorenzo L. Langstroth, W. C.	Oxford, "																
Clement E. Babb, Ed.	Cincinnati, "																
John Stuart, P.	Cleves, "	Cleves, P.		3	58					4 00	22	5				450	30
		Elizabethtown & Berea, P.	1	1	54					4 00	40					400	450
Ellis S. Weaver, S. S.	Blue Ball, "	Blue Ball, S. S.	6	5	71		5	1		6 00		7	4	4		350	4
		Mason, S. S.			45					5 00		7	4	4		250	
Jeremiah P. E. Kumler, P.	Oxford, "	Oxford, P.	9	5	140					10 00	367	405	56	150		2300	179
Evan L. Davies, S. S.	College Hill, "	College Hill, S. S.	5	3	125		2	11		10 00	89		31				
John Hussey, Prof.	Glendale, "																
John Noble, Sec.—13.	Harrison, Junc., "																
		Lockland, S. S.	5	5	130					6 00							
		Mt. Pleasant, V.			*14												
Licentiates.		Delhi, V.			6												
		Chester, V.—10.			*6												
Henry L. Brown,	Oxford, "																
Benjamin Drake Conkling,	Sharonville, "		26	22	649		7	12		47 00	518	424	95	158		3750	663
Harlan Page Welton,	Chester, "																
Newton Tracy Blakeslee.—4.	Chagrin Falls, "																
Candidate, 1.																	
XIV. Synod of Indiana.																	
1. *Presb. of Salem.*																	
Joseph M. Sadd, C. M.	Louisville, Ky.																
William H. McCarer, P.	Evansville, Ind.	Evansville, First, P.	4	12	181		1	6		8 30	167	162	41	104			300

John M. Bishop, P.	Bloomington, Ind.	Bloomington, Sec., P.	3		98	4	1	9	130	5	58	10	141	12	10	13	874	51
Charles Hutchinson, P.	New-Albany, "	New-Albany, Third, P.	26	9	214		8	10	290	12	54	209	264	41	24	40	7350	2160
Thomas A. Steele, P.	Mitchell, "	Mitchell, P.	1	4	100			7	120	6	00	38	17	6			800	50
Horace C. Hovey, P.	New-Albany, "	New-Albany, Sec., P.	26	6	270	37	8	14	535	14	85	314	420	65	45	129	4376	2741
John G. Atterbury, D.D., W. C.	Detroit, Mich.										*58							
Philip Bevan, S. S.	Jeffersonville, Ind.																	
Irvin I. St. John, S. S.—9.	Salem, "	Salem, S. S.		2	48				140	3	50	7	25				1000	50
	Greenville, "	Greenville, V.			25	1				2	25	5	3					
	Ireland P. O., "	Mt. Zion, S. S.	2	2	8		2				76	8					32	
	Leavenworth, "	Leavenworth, V.	1	3	48		1	1	100	2	28						200	15
Candidate, 1.	Down Hill, "	Anderson, V.			*14													
		Lawrenceport, V.			*5													
		Seymour, V.—12.	9	2	85		6	6	100	5	88	15	13				1000	30
			72	40	1096	42	27	53	1415	62	52	773	1045	165	183	182	15,632	5397
2. *Presb. of Madison.*																		
Michael A. Remley, W. C.	Edinburgh, Ind.																	
Henry Little, D. Sec.	Madison, "																	
Amzi W. Freeman, P.	Aurora, "	Aurora, P.		6	91	31		1	80	5	85	163	100	25			1500	23
Levi R. Booth, S. S.	Vevay, "	Vevay, S. S.	4	2	115				75	6	60	18	10				1164	7
W. Wallace Atterbury, W. C.	New-York City, N.Y.																	
Ninian S. Dickey, S. S.	Columbus, Ind.	Columbus, S. S.	9	2	137	34	2	8	60	7	85	29	102	44			1472	35
Archibald S. Reid, S. S.	Vevay, "	North-Madison, S. S.			35	7			50	1	30							
		Monroe, S. S.			28	10			25	1	95	6					22	6
		Zoar, S. S.			20				40	1	35						35	2
John P. Haire, W. C.	Elizabethtown, O.																	
Henry P. Higley, S. S.	Beloit, Wis.																	
Thomas F. Chafer, S. S.	Downer's Grove, Ill.																	
Manuel J. Drennan, P.	Madison, Ind.	Madison, Second, P.		9	170	7			300	10	45	603	271	2400	69		5083	213
Horace Bushnell, Jr., *In trans.*	Southport, "																	
[—12.	St. Louis Crossing, "	St. Louis Crossing, S.S.	5	3	40		2	3	40	3	40	5	14	2	1	2	53	
	Swanville, "	Sharon, S. S.		1	28	2			40	1	85						85	
	Henryville, "	Mt. Lebanon, S. S.	19	2	37		2	2	40		75	9					71	
	Rising Sun, "	Rising Sun, V.		4	85				60	5	55						326	

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	Rising Sun, Ind.	Pleasant Ridge, V.			43				65	2 05						35	
	N. Washington, "	Pisgah, V.	8	4	103	2	1	9	35	5 55	15	10				163	
	East-Enterprise, "	Unity, V.		1	23			1	35	1 50	3						
	Oregon, "	Mt. Vernon, V.—15.			72				50	4 80	18						
Licentiate.			45	34	1027	93	7	24	995	60 80	869	507	2471	70	2	10,009	286
James A. De LaVergne, S.S.—1.	Clinton, Mo.																
Candidates, 2.																	
3. *Presb. of Indianapolis.*																	
Eliphalet Kent, W. C.	Shelbyville, Ind.																
*Thornton A. Mills, D.D., Sec.	N. York City, N. Y.																
Philip Sidney Cleland, Ag.	Greenwood, Ind.																
John S. Craig, S. S.	Anderson, "	Madison Co., 2d, S. S.	2	9	21		1				7			5		96	
Charles H. Marshall, S. S.	Indianapolis, "	Indianapolis, 4th, S. S.	11	3	173			9	152	9 08	105	140	50	44		8000	182
John B. Logan, S. S.	Thorntown, "	Thorntown, S. S.	20	14	168		7	1	116	8 64	8	10	9	7	7	4618	
Philander Anderson, W. C.	Zionsville, "																
George H. White,	Chester, Vt.																
Arthur T. Rankin, S. S.	Kingston, Ind.	Kingston, S. S.	13		130		9	2	115	8 10	40	56	20		11	1500	475
		Clarksburgh, S. S. [P.	1		20					60	5					200	356
Hanford A. Edson, P.	Indianapolis, "	Indianapolis, Second,	14	26	286		5	2	260	16 68	636	1055	11,661	39	50	21,009	126
Alexander Parker, P. E.—11.	Connersville, "	Connersville, Second, [P. E.	1		85		1	1	100	6 00		30	13			1227	48
	Greenwood, Ind.	Greenwood, S. S.	21	5	112		5	4	75	5 58	10	40	170			765	65
Licentiates.	Southport, "	Southport, S. S.		5	50				106	3 00	6	16	4	4		300	
George W. Parker, S. S.	Edinburgh, "	Edinburgh, S. S.			*29												
Thomas Bartholomew.—2.	Walnut Hills, Ohio.																

	Amity,	Ind.	Highland, S. S.	1		10				50	0	60	3							
	Anderson,	"	Anderson, V.		1	44				85	2	58	6	18	9	42				
Candidates, 3.	Franklin,	"	New-Pisgah, V.			24				56	1	80	7					104		1
	Thorntown,	"	Bethel, V.	9	1	46		2		50	2	16								7
	Noblesville,	"	Noblesville, V.—15.			12												380		
* Died, June 19, 1867.				93	64	1210		30	19	1165	70	92	833	1365	11,936	141	68	38,199		1260
4. *Presb. of Green Castle.*																				
Ransom Hawley, W. C.	Putnamville,	Ind.																		
John A. Tiffany,	Kansas,	"																		
Thomas S. Milligan, S. S.	Gosport,	"	Gosport, S. S.			15					1	00	5	5	6					
			Bethany, S. S.		1	20			1		1	20	10	14	7		11			
			Poland, S. S. [S. S.			17					1	00	10	16						
Henry A. Rosseter, S. S.	Green Castle,	"	Green Castle, First,	1	11	110	8		3	85	6	06	55	66	28			1311		97
Henry L. Dickerson, P.	Danville,	"	Danville, P.	5	12	126		4	3	100	8	35	45	46	37	37		800		
			White Lick, S. S.	2	2	63		1			4	20				23		200		
John Hawks, S. S.	Rockville,	"	Brazil, S. S.	9	6	52		1	6	110	1	80						94		
Samuel Ward, S. S.	Vandalia,	"	Vandalia, S. S.		1	54			10		3	18	19	20				150		
			Hebron, S. S.			12			1			78		1						
Henry S. Little, S. S.	Terre Haute,	"	Terre Haute, Baldwin,	20	10	69		9	3	120	4	15	45	46				1400		104
Blackford Condit, W. C.	"	" "	[S. S.																	
William N. Stimson, W. C.—																				
[10.			Rockville, Second, V.	2	2	120			6	150	7	80	61	101		15		1100		207
			Clinton, S. S.	7		22		3	1		1	32								
			Toronto, S. S.			6						36						125		
			New-Bethel, S. S.	3		28	2	2	1	50	2	00								
			Putnamville, V.	7		*42												85		
			Bowling Green, V.—			47	*2	2	2	30	2	55								
			[16.																	
				56	45	801	12	22	37	645	45	75	250	315	78	75	11	5265		408

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XV. SYNOD OF WABASH.																	
1. *Presb. of Crawfordsville.*																	
James H. Johnston, S. S.	Crawfordsville, Ind.	Crawfordsville, Centre, [S. S.	91	15	226		42	2	150	8 00	108	151	19		15		
Edmund O. Hovey, Prof.	" "																
Caleb Mills, LL.D., Prof.	" "																
Moody Chase, W. C.	Parkersburgh, "																
Joseph F. Tuttle, D.D., Pres.	Crawfordsville, "																
Samuel S. Thomson, Prof.	" "																
Thomas Griffith, S. S.	Montezuma, "	Montezuma, S. S.			*47												
William R. Palmer, W. C.	Chicopee, Mass.																
William N. Steele, Ev.	Williamsport, Ind.																
Edward C. Johnston, Ag.	Mitchell, "																
Daniel A. Bassett, Prof.	Crawfordsville, "																
Samuel B. King, S. S.	Newtown, "	Newtown, S. S.	1	4	56			2	65	3 00	4	29			8	400	
		Rob Roy, S. S.	2	8	47	3	1	3	50	2 00	9	22			9	300	
William Wilmer, S. S.—13.	Monticello, "									*9 20							
Licentiate.																	
Everett B. Thomson.—1.	Crawfordsville, "																
		State Line, S. S.			4												
		Covington, S. S.			20					1 00	2		3	2			
		Attica, S. S.	7	1	72				75	4 00	18	10				550	
Candidates, 4.		Williamsport, V.	1	4	50		1		100	3 00		30			7		
		Bainbridge, V.	8		85		3		40	4 56	7		5	4		766	
		Brown's Valley, V.			*46												

		Parkersburgh, V.			*15												
		Perrysville.—12.			18												
			110	32	686	8	47	7	480	34	20	148	242	27	6	39	2016	
2. *Presb. of St. Joseph.*																	
Christopher Cory, W. C.	Lima, Ind.									*7	85						
Lewis Hamilton, Ch.	U. S. Army.	Orland, S. S.	13	2	98		6		120	5	60	18					110
Edward Scofield, P.	Mishawaka, Ind.	Mishawaka, P.	7	6	100		3	1	200	5	00	20	30	5		1350	250
George C. Noyes, P.	La Porte, "	La Porte, P.	8	9	208	7	5	7	230	14	70	108	71	66	30	2390	275
John E. Chapin, S. S.	Plymouth, "	Plymouth, S. S.	1	5	72		1	2	150	4	70		100	8		1467	207
John B. Fowler, S. S.	Elkhart, "	Elkhart, S. S.	13	8	86	7	5	3	150	5	00	18				900	30
William Pattinson, S. S.	Lima, "	Lima, S. S.			76				80	4	20	21	21				65
J. Jerome Ward, P. C.—8.	Michigan City, "	Angola, S. S.			*25												
		Salem, S. S.	2		*30			4	65								
		Bristol, S. S.			30					1	80	7				250	
		Van Buren, S. S.			*24												
Candidate, 1.		Bourbon, V.			*19					1	25						
		Brockville, V.			*11												
		Little Elkhart, V.			*15												
		York, V.—14.			*20												
			44	30	849	14	20	17	995	50	10	192	222	79	30	5	6357	937
3. *Presb. of Logansport.*																	
James A. Carnahan, S. S.	Dayton, Ind.	Dayton, S. S.	2	6	100			2	80	6	00	23		10		150	51
Martin M. Post, D.D., S. S.	Logansport, "	Union, S. S.	5	4	50		1	9					4	6			10
		Pisgah, S. S.	2	3	20		1						5				
		Concord, S. S.	1	1	31								10	5			
Nathan L. Lord, S. S.	Rochester, "	Rochester, S. S.			*25				50								
Daniel Rice, D.D., P.	La Fayette, "	La Fayette, Second, P.	46	15	261		21	4	250	12	00	407	271	62	52	21	3400	5060
Amos Jones, S. S.	Delphi, "	Delphi, S. S.	1	1	70			4		3	00		30				1500	
		Rockfield, S. S.	1	3	29		4		40	3	00	6						4

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Francis S. McCabe, W. C.	Peru, Ind.	Peru, First, V.		4	125			6	200	7 80	40	30	45	35		1800	
		New-Hope, V.	12		34		6	3	80	2 00							37
Adolphus S. Dudley, P.	Logansport, "	Logansport, P.	5	4	100		3		150	6 00	20	23				2700	1100
William H. Edwards, S. S.—8.	Kirk's X Roads, "	Kirklin, S. S.			*55												
		Monticello, S. S		9	100				100	6 00	30					450	20
		Reynolds, S. S.	5	2	19												
		New-Waverly, V.			*23												
		Pittsburgh, V.			*28												
		Monon, V.			*20												
Licentiates.		West-Point, V.			*23												
		Hopewell, S. S.—20.			*31					*23 92							
Luther Temple,	West-Point, Ind.																
J. R. Mitchell.—2.	Walnut Hills, Ohio.		80	52	1150		36	28	950	69 72	526	373	118	97	21	10,000	6282
Candidates, 2.																	
4. *Presb. of Fort Wayne.*																	
Jacob Little, D.D., S. S.	Warsaw, Ind.	Troy, S. S.	1		61		1		85	4 00	4	2				100	20
William C. Smith, S. S.	Huntington, "	Huntington, S. S.	5	9	100		3	6	90	6 00	8	24	10		5	1629	40
Andrew D. Jack, S. S. *In trans.*	Edwardsville, Ill.																
Francis A. Wilbur, Tea.	Wabash, Ind.																
William J. Essick, P.	Wabash, "	Wabash, First, P.	40	5	123		20	10	200	6 00	25	15		10		2850	30
ArthurW.Sanford,S.S.,*In trans.*	Erie, Mich.	La Gro, S. S. [S. S	3	1	30		2		60	2 00		2	4			100	
George O. Little, S. S.—7.	Fort Wayne, Ind.	Fort Wayne, Second,	25	19	169	20	14	6	150	12 00	42	42		20	65	2603	
		Marion, S. S.	8	7	43		7	12	50	2 00	4					409	
		Shiloh, S. S.	4	3	36		1	3	40	2 00	5	3				132	

Licentiate.		Gilead, S. S.	3		11			1	30	1 00	15	5		10		100	
George W. Barlow.—1.	Wabash, Ind.	Franklin, S. S.—0.	1	2	22			1	30	1 00	3	14				80	
			90	46	595	20	48	39	735	36 00	106	87	14	40	70	8003	90
XVI. Synod of Illinois.																			
1. *Presb. of Illinois.*																			
William G. Gallaher, W. C.	Jacksonville, Ill.																		
Albert Hale, W. C.	Springfield, "																		
John F. Brooks, Tea.	" "																		
Bilious Pond, W. C.	Richland, "																		
Josiah Porter, W. C.	Chatham, "																		
George C. Wood, P. M.	Jacksonville, "																		
Livingston M. Glover, D.D., P.	" "	Jacksonville, First, P.	17	8	250		4	2	300	20 00		200	120	280		9000	500
Wm. D. Sanders, D.D., Prof. &	" "	Pisgah, S. S.	6		104		1	2	75	6 00	50		150	35		540	60
Rufus Nutting, Jr., W. C. [S. S.	Indianapolis, Ind.	[P.															
David H. Hamilton, D.D., P.	Jacksonville, Ill.	Jacksonville, Westm.,	6	7	145		2	7	100	15 00	172	183	90	53		9000	500
William L. Tarbet, P.	Virden, "	Virden, P.	3	12	117	14		4	100	6 00	112	43				1300	80
Antonio De Mattas, P.	Jacksonville, "	Jacksonville, Port., P.	4	2	133		2	6	175	8 00	18	81				1093	
Morgan L. Wood, W. C.	Carrollton, "	Springfield, Port., P.	10	1	109		12	18	80	3 00	22				37	57	71
Smith H. Hyde, P.	" "	Carrollton, P.	2	4	72		1	4	100	5 00	68	53	23	85		1200	3000
J. Rogers Armstrong, S. S.	" "	Walnut Grove, S. S.	2	4	65		2	1	75	4 00	60		40	40		2500	540
William A. Hendrickson, S. S.	Winchester, "	Winchester, S. S.	1	1	76			5	75	4 00				16		1500	30
G. H. Robertson, S. S.	Springfield, "	Springfield, 2d, S. S.	90	44	319		23	9		20 00							
J. B. L. Soule, S. S.—18.	Carlinville, "	Carlinville, S. S.			*70					5 00							
		Greenfield, S. S.	1	4	15					1 00	15					200	20
		Maroa, S. S.			*36					2 00							
		Manchester, S. S.	14		34		8	4	80	1 00	18	5				150	
		Buffalo, S. S.	16	3	34		7	5	75	1 00	20					150	
		Chatham, S. S.	3	1	32			1	80	3 00	20					400	
		Naples, S. S.	3		20					1 00	19	10		15		200	

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		Mechanicsburgh, V.			6					1 00							
		Spring Creek, V.			12												
		Murrayville, V.—20.			6												
			178	91	1655	14	62	67	1315	100 00	594	575	422	524	37	26,290	4801
2. *Presb. of Schuyler.*																	
William C. Rankin, W. C.	Plymouth, Ill.																
Reuben K. McCoy, S. S.	Clayton, "	Horeb, S. S.	11		43	2	7		40	1 98	6					100	5
William H. Williams, S. S.	Perry, "	Perry, S. S.	9	7	94		1	1	48	3 75	31	22				425	25
Alexander Duncan, P.	Mount Sterling, "	Mount Sterling, P.	11	1	100		7	3		6 00	102	139	50			1100	438
William W. Whipple, S. S.	Clayton, "	Clayton, S. S.	3	23	129			8	120	6 72	64					1085	88
Isaac F. Holton, Ed.	Boston, Mass.																
George I. King, D.D., W. C.	Quincy, Ill.									*8 68							
John Rendall, F. M.	Madura, India.																
George F. Davis, S. S.	Mounds, Ill.	Mount Pleasant, S. S.	34	1	106	10	13	5	150	4 32	16					300	40
William E. Catlin, S. S.	Camp Point, "	Camp Point, S. S.	1	6	32		1		60	1 95	10						30
Robert C. Swinton, S. S.	Rushville, "	Rushville, S. S.	4	4	151				160	8 90	34	126			7	2843	58
Alfred L. Harrington, W. C.	Peru, "																
Edwin L. Hurd, P.	Augusta, "	Augusta, P.	27	3	103	3	9	5	100	5 16	30	37	8	17			115
John G. Rankin, S. S.	Warsaw, "	Warsaw, S. S.		4	84	15		5	200	4 45	40	25				800	144
Matthew Waldenmeyer, S. S.	Nauvoo, "	Nauvoo, S. S.			*43												
Norman A. Prentice, W. C.	Philadelphia, Pa.																
Isaac T. Whittemore, S. S.—17.	Plymouth, Ill.	Plymouth, S. S.	23	7	73	1	5		100	4 35	13	5				650	150
		Quincy, V.	7	12	275	75		4	325	12 50	95	50	55	45		3162	412
		Brooklyn, S. S.	2		42				72		26				7		30
		Huntsville, S. S.	21	10	31		20		50								
		Appanoose, S. S.			*32												
		Newtown, S. S.			27	2			20	1 60	19					140	

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4. *Presb. of Alton.*																	
John Gibson, S. S.	Sparta, Ill.	Plum Creek, S. S.	7	8	33	18		7	35	3 50	25		3			453	46
Edward Hollister, W. C.	Alton, "																
Hilary Patrick, S. S.	Tamaroa, "	Mt. Vernon, S. S.	2	5	32				50	2 00	15	5		50		70	25
Thomas Lippincott, S. S.	Duquoine, "	Old Duquoine, S. S.	3	1	42	4	3		60	2 60	18	10	5	6	13	220	10
Elijah Buck, W. C.	Centralia, "																
Charles G. Selleck, S. S.	Carbondale, "	Murphysborough, S.S.		5	15				53		13			33			
	Marion, "	Marion, S. S.			4							3					
Eli W. Taylor, S. S.	Shipman, "	Shipman, S. S.	13	10	51	8	2	3	50	2 55	25	10		4	2	250	370
		Plainview, S. S.	3	7	42	11			40		24					225	320
Robert Stewart, S. S.	Greenville, "	Greenville, S. S.			30				40		25		3			200	7
Augustus T. Norton, D. Sec.	Alton, "																
Charles F. Halsey, *In trans.*	Collinsville, "	Collinsville, S. S.			*58						32					600	
Edward B. Olmsted, S. S.	Caledonia, "	Caledonia, S. S.	3	1	11												
	Mound City, "	America, S. S.	3	10	13		3	6			14						
Horatio N. Wilbur, S. S.	Piasa, "	Spring Cove, S. S.			20					3 00	7		5				7
James Brownlee, S. S.	Lebanon, "	Lebanon, S. S.	9	7	25					1 50	25					2000	
Joseph Gordon, S. S.	Vandalia, "	Cumberland, S. S.	2		22	2			25	1 30	21				14	200	
	Nokomis, "	Nokomis, S. S.			35				50	2 10	21					1600	9
Josiah Wood, S. S.	Duquoine, "																
	Tamaroa, "	Tamaroa, S. S.	2	2	19		2				9						
William H. Bird, S. S.	Cotton-W'd Gr've,"	Bethel, S. S.	19	1	76		8	11	80	4 56	90	33				261	141
David Dimond, S. S.	Anna, "	Anna, S. S.	2	2	20				60	1 25						300	
James S. Walton, W. C.	Pana, "																
Adam Johnston, S. S.	Kinmundy, "	Kinmundy, S. S.			15						5						
	Mason, "	Mason, S. S.			23				61	2 15							
Gideon C. Clarke, S. S.	Woodburn, "																
Andrew Luce, S. S.	Carbondale, "	Carbondale, S. S.	3	8	37	9			100	2 25	35			34		2500	
Joseph H. Scott, S. S.	Metropolis, "	Metropolis, S. S.		10	22				50	75	15					2200	

William Ellers, *In trans.*	New-Albany,	Ind.																
Charles F. Beach, *In trans.*	Portage City,	Wis.																
George L. Little, *In trans.*	Council Bluffs,	Iowa.																
Cornelius H. Taylor, P.	Alton,	Ill.	Alton, P.	27	4	269		18	10	300	16	30	629	160	97	98		3000	367
Charles H. Foote, P. E.	Cairo,	"	Cairo, P. E.	3	1	62	8	3		150	4	00	57	15	30			2261	2345
	Jerseyville,	"	Jerseyville, S. S.	4	6	271	28	3	7	91	18	15	286	5				1900	500
George L. Tucker, S. S.	Brighton,	"	Brighton, S. S.	5	1	56		2	1	70	3	00						600	
John Henry Dillingham, S. S.	Belleville,	"	Belleville, S. S.	17	10	55	10	5	2	150	2	75	61	5				1350	15
James W. Stark, S. S.	Centralia,	"	Centralia, S. S.	7	8	95	18	1		260	5	00	32					1201	51
William P. Teitsworth, S. S.	Gillespie,	"	Gillespie, S. S.	6	2	9		1			1	00	46		2			200	3
Joseph D. Barstow, S. S.	Duquoine,	"	New-Duquoine, S. S.	7	16	73		2	2	125	4	40	36					581	81
Hiram P. Roberts, *In transitu.*																			
William R. Adams, S. S.	Upper Alton,	"	Upper Alton, S. S.	18	8	64		1	4	97	3	85	53	21				800	47
Willard P. Gibson, P.—35.	Pana,	"	Pana, P.	10	24	72	4	1	5	120	4	25	66	43				1361	70
	Tower-Hill,	"	Tower-Hill, V.	6	10	16					1	75						810	
	Marine,	"	Marine, S. S.			15				75		90	6					125	
	Troy,	"	Troy, S. S.			17				44			18			47			
Licentiate.	Vandalia,	"	Vandalia, S. S.	2	1	57				75	3	50	63		20	90	10	10,000	66
	Hardin,	"	Hardin, V.			10													
William M. Stewart, S. S.—1.	Vergennes,	"	Vergennes, S. S.		1	19	5		4	30			6						
Candidate, 1.	Sandoval,	"	Sandoval, V.—39.			*4							22						
				203	169	1809	125	55	62	2341	98	35	1800	310	165	362	39	35,768	4480
XVII. Synod of Peoria.																			
1. *Presb. of Ottawa.*																			
Nahum Gould, W. C.	Somonauk,	Ill.																	
Alvah Day, W. C.	Morris,	"																	
Seth H. Waldo, Tea.	Geneseo,	"																	
George Marsh, S. S.	Brookfield,	"	Brookfield, S. S.			31					3	10		12					
Charles H. Force, W. C.	Ottawa,	"																	
Levi P. Crawford, S. S.	Somonauk,	"	Somonauk, S. S.	5	1	55	3	3	3	134	5	00	15	11				500	30
Heman S. Colton, W. C.	Bristol,	"																	
Amasa C. Lord, W. C.	Somonauk,	"																	
Alanson T. Wood, *In transitu.*	Auburn,	Iowa.																	

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Edwin J. Stewart, P.	Kendall, Ill.	Au Sable Grove, P.	16	6	60	5	8	3	106	6 05		30	32	12	25	5963	105
Spencer Baker, W. C.	Lodi, "																
John Kidd, S. S.	Utica, "	Waltham, S. S.			172					17 20							
James H. Anderson, S. S.	Ottawa, "	Ottawa, S. S.	8	2	44	35	2		80	2 50	13					600	
James H. Burns, P.—14.	Granville, "	Granville, P.		18	40					4 20							
		Sandwich, V.	1	4	78	3		1	125	8 00	30	40				2900	
		Gardner, S. S.			22					2 20							
		Vienna, V.—9.			*16												
2. *Presb. of Knox.*																	
			30	21	358		13	7	445	38 25	58	93	32	12	25	9963	135
Solomon S. Miles, W. C.	Gibson, Ill.																
William Y. Miller, W. C.	Knoxville, "																
William S. Curtis, D.D., Pres.	Galesburgh, "																
Samuel Wyckoff, P.	Knoxville, "	Knoxville, P.	4	9	174	7	3		160	10 00	58	77	22			1168	120
Edwards Marsh, *In transitu.*	Mt. Carroll. "																
Sanford Richardson, F. M.	Angora, W. Asia.																
James Quick, F. M., *In trans.*																	
George Duffield, Jr., P.	Galesburgh, Ill.	Galesburgh, P.	19	8	235	18	2	14	125	14 12	75	116	37			2900	10,139
Asahel L. Brooks, P.	Peoria, "	Peoria, P.	7	11	165		2	8	230	9 25	76	108	46			2625	40
Henry Bergen, W. C.	Galesburgh, "																
Willis J. Beecher, Prof.	" "																
Asa E. Everest, S. S.	Sparland, "	Sparland, S. S.	7	4	34			4	150	1 56	14						724
John McLeish, S. S.	Lacon, "	Lacon, S. S.	5	9	112	5	6	7	180	6 25	169			24		2287	227
William W. Wetmore, S. S.	Rock Island, "	Rock Island, S. S.—6.		2	46				100	2 88	26	17				1016	100
James S. Pogue, W. C.—15.	Aledo, "																
			42	43	706	30	13	33	945	43 86	418	318	105	24		9996	11,850
Licentiate.																	
Samuel W. Duffield.—1.	Galesburgh, "																
Candidates, 10.																	

3. *Presb. of Galena and Belvidere.*																			
Aratus Kent, W. C.	Galena,	Ill.																	
Phineas Camp, W. C.	Dixon,	"																	
Hutchins Taylor, W. C.	Belvidere,	"																	
Calvin Gray, W. C.	Polo,	"																	
Charles A. Williams, P.	Rockford,	"	Rockford, P.	17	7	186	20	5	4	170	10	80	111	98	30	28		1684	247
J. S. Emery, Ag.	Durand,	"	Durand, V.			21					1	02							
Erasmus D. Willis, S. S.	Rockford,	"	Alden, S. S	7	3	37		3		40	1	74	14					160	
Silas Jessup, W. C.	Rockton,	"																	
Edwards A. Beach, *In trans.*	Granville,	Ohio.																	
John W. Cunningham, S. S.	Naperville,	Ill.	Oakville, S. S.	11	22	33		3	2	35			16					278	25
Lemuel Clark, W. C.	Westford,	N. Y.																	
Benjamin Foltz, W. C.	Rockford,	Ill.																	
James R. Smith, S. S.	Winslow,	"	Winslow, S. S.	8	4	25		2	2	57	1	20	15	3				175	40
Lemuel Hall, W. C.	Geneva,	Wis.	Orangeville, S. S.	1		14	2	1	4		1	00	10	3					
Josiah Leonard, P. E.	Fulton,	Ill.	Fulton, P. E.	1	7	43			2	125	2	82	51	40	5	10		1200	55
James H. Baldwin, W. C.	Lake Forest,	"	Garden Plain, S. S.			*29					1	74							
Isaac E. Carey, S. S.	Freeport,	"	Freeport, S. S.	63	27	239		30	6	475	9	36	171	147	31	11	13	22,431	118
William Kendrick, Ag.																			
David R. Eddy, P	Belvidere,	"	Belvidere, P.	12	2	322	12	6	4	250	19	14	256	28	25	23	17	2300	250
Peter A. Maybie, W. C.																			
Lorenzo M. Gates, S. S.	Lena,	"	Lena, S. S.	14	2	90	1	7		100	4	50	16	24				969	50
Eugene H. Avery, P.	Warren,	"	Warren, P.	6	15	72		1	6	130	3	24	54	22	15	10	6	1560	77
E. W. Garner, S. S.	Lawrence,	"	Lawrence, S. S.			30			7	40	2	46	12					230	
E. C. H. Willoughby, W. C.											*3	81							
John McLean, P.—25.	Galena,	"	Galena, P.		3	216	35		4	330	15	48	48	48	31	18		2964	183
			Elizabeth, V.			24					2	10	2						
			Sharon, S. S.			20				20	1	25	6					10	
			Mt. Carroll, S. S.	5	3	37	9	1		60	1	50	16					568	
			Apple River, S. S.	8	7	44	3	1	4	70	2	04	15	3		3		477	31
			Ridgefield, V.	1	2	48	6			110	2	76		28				505	
			Foreston, V.			*21							10						

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		Scales Mound, V.			*12												
		ElkhornGrove,V.—22.			*10												
			154	104	1573	88	60	45	2012	87 96	823	444	137	103	36	35,511	1046
4. *Presb. of Chicago.*																	
Baxter Dickinson, D.D., W. C.	Lake Forest, Ill.																
David H. Kingsley, W. C.	Dunton, "																
Jonathan G. Porter, S. S.	Naperville, "	Du Page, S. S.	6	3	25	4		2	60	1 50		40				600	
Robert W. Patterson, D.D., P.	Chicago, "	Chicago, Second, P.	13	16	403		2	11	800	28 00	1148	1619	465	132		14,648	6184
Zephaniah M. Humphrey, D.D.,	" "	" First, P.	39	45	501		14	9	1400	40 65	1121	525	92	103		54,426	
Arthur Swazey, P. [P.	" "	" Third, P.	56	61	431	24	18	11	900	26 00	144	637				11,525	1351
Edward A. Pierce, P.	" "	" Calvary, P.	7	33	174		3	26	244	10 00	330	170	103			6500	450
David Swing, P. E.	" "	" Westm'r, P. E.	5	9	120		1	5	350	6 00	384					8135	
J. W. Larimore, P.	" "	" Seventh, P.	10	18	293	133	6	20	600	7 50	82	33				6192	6
James T. Mathews, P. E.	" "	" Eighth, P.	16	33	98		4	6	300	5 80	67	96				22,330	
Alfred Eddy, P. E.	" "	" Ninth, P. E.	6	47	53			3	125	3 18	40					6077	
William C. Dickinson, P.	Lake Forest, "	Lake Forest, P.	17	3	79		5	5	100	4 74	125	483	56	75		5100	270
Joseph L. Morton, P.	Waukegan, "	Waukegan, P.	1	3	97	12	1	4	150	5 46	20	63				1600	92
Newton Barrett, P.	Dunton, "	Dunton, P.	9	6	100	4	2	3	127	5 50	6	6	11			1355	90
Ellsworth J. Hill, S. S.		Will, S. S.			17		2		40	1 10	9					1953	35
Oliver A. Kingsbury, P.	Joliet, "	Joliet, First, P.	6	20	40		1	1	108	2 40	18	17				849	15
Edwin G. Moore, S. S.	Gardner, "																
Glen Wood, D. Sec.	Chicago, "																
James H. Trowbridge, D. Sec.	" "																
John Covert, W. C.	" "																
Francis A. Griswold, W. C.	" "																
Daniel Clark, S. S.	Plainfield, "																
Albert G. Beebe, P. C.	Geneva, "																

Charles J. Hutchings, *In trans.*	Fulton, N. Y.																	
James B. Duncan.																		
Bradford Y. Averill, W. C.	Chicago, Ill.																	
E. P Wells.																		
Benjamin Wells, S. S.	West-Creek, Ind.																	
Hiram Wasson, W. C.	" "																	
Abner W. Henderson.																		
Luman C. Gilbert,	Princeton, Minn.																	
Royal Reed.																		
Charles L. Bartlett, W. C.	Lake Forest, Ill.																	
C. Rufus Clarke, W. C.	Leroy, N. Y.																	
Stephen N. Manning, Ag.	Kankakee, Ill.																	
William R. Downs, W. C.	Chicago, "																	
John V. Downs, W. C.	" "																	
Robinson S. Lockwood, W. C.	" "																	
John C. Dumpser, Col.—39.																		
		Chicago, Olivet, S. S.	8	7	87	4	1		204	5	00	182	154				24,287	366
Licentiate.		Hyde Park, V.	5	6	42	5	5		60	2	50						2095	185
		Wilmington, V.			*126													
Charles E. Rider.—1.		Thornton Station, V.			17	3		1	65			6	12				525	25
		Joliet, Central, S. S.—	16	13	140	60	7	4	100								2000	
Candidates, 4.		[19.																
			215	323	2936	240	64	111	6100	188	00	3682	3855	727	310		168,197	8969
5. *Presb. of Bloomington.*																		
James R. Dunn, W. C.																		
John Maclean, P.	Bloomington, Ill.	Bloomington, First, P.	3	10	124	14	1	5	140	7	50	38	20	20	13	26	2400	66
Charles H. Palmer, S. S.	Middleport, "	Middleport, S. S.	2	10	148		2	4		2	75	13		4				
John W. Bailey, W. C.	Bloomington, "																	
Wellington W. Wells, S. S.	Wenona, "	Wenona, S. S.	3	15	88			3	80	5	05	24		54			1250	162
Joseph Lowry, S. S.	Maroa, "																	
Martin P. Ormsby, P.	Minonk, "	Minonk, P.	6	10	110	1	1	4	175	8	50	40					2500	50
Thomas Hempstead, S. S.	Fairbury, "	Fairbury, S. S.			*19													
Charles D. Nott, S. S.	Urbana, "	Urbana, S. S.	4	13	58		1	8	100	1	20	25					5665	
Alonzo P. Johnson, S. S.—10.	Pontiac, "	Pontiac, S. S.	62	19	145	18	35	2	120	5	25	20	35				2000	

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		Bloomington, Second,	3	11	220				150	23 06	110	85				2300	354
		Washington, V. [V.	10	10	51				60	2 25							
Candidate, 1.		Green Valley & Sand Prairie, S. S.			*30												
		Jersey, S. S.—11.			*30												
XVIII. SYNOD OF WISCONSIN.			93	98	923	33	40	26	825	55 56	270	140	78	13	26	16,115	632
1. *Presb. of Milwaukee.*																	
George W. Elliott, W. C.	Milwaukee, Wis.																
Alfred W Gray, M.D., W. C.	" "																
Israel C. Holmes, S. S.	Maple Grove, "	Maple Grove, S. S.	1		40				60	2 08	11						
Joseph S. Lord, *In trans.*	Hustisford, "																
Joseph H. Towne, D.D., W. C.																	
Henry T Lathrop, W. C.	Palmyra, "																
Peter S. Van Nest, P. E.	Geneva, "																
Mead Holmes, W. C.	Rockford, Ill.																
Silas Hawley, W. C.	Cincinnati, Ohio.																
William J. Stoutenburg, S. S.	Manitowoc, Wis.	Manitowoc, S. S.	3	2	46	15			150	2 69	10						
John Van De Luyster, P.	Milwaukee, "	Milwaukee, Dutch, P.	8	4	116			22	200	6 24			5	5			224
Hiram Eddy P	" "	Milwaukee, First, P.	8	14	229	10	1	1	600	27 75	179	65			54	6488	156
Edward Southworth, S. S.	Jefferson, "	Jefferson, S. S.		1	10						8						8
Thomas E. Davis, *In trans.*—14.	Mechanicsville, N.Y.																
		Holland, First, V.			*100												
		Barton, V.	6		*45						31		25				
		Scott, V.			*10												
		Kossuth, V.—9.			*46												
			26	21	642	25	1	23	1010	38 76	239	65	30	5	54	6488	388

2. *Presb. of Fox River.*																				
Cutting Marsh, W. C.	Waupacca,	Wis.																		
Frye B. Reed, W. C.	Omro,	"																		
Alexander Lemon, W. C.	Ripon,	"																		
Jacob Patch, S. S.	Stevens's Point,	"	Stevens's Point, S. S.	4	6	22	2		2	75		72	17		15			400		
John Fairchild, S. S.	Marrinette,	"	Marrinette, S. S.			23					1	50		30				1000		
Silas H. Ashmun, *In transitu.*	Rural,	"																		
James Bassett, W. C.	Neenah,	"																		
John H. Walker, P.	"	"	Neenah, P.	5	3	161		4	9	230	11	00	78	23				1650	450	
Edwin C. Haskell, S. S	Waupacca,	"	Waupacca, S. S.	13	8	48		6		50	2	00	12					100	174	
			Rural, S. S.			24				54	2	00	20					49	69	
John Kelland, S. S.—10.	Omro,	"	Omro, S. S.	2	8	69		1		60	4	48	26						32	
			Berlin, V.—7.			15				40	3	00	5							
				24	25	362	2	11	11	509	24	90	158	53	15			3199	725	
3. *Presb. of Columbus.*																				
Moses Ordway, W. C.	Beaver Dam,	Wis.																		
John G. Kanouse, W. C.	Sun Prairie,	"																		
Timothy Williston, W. C.																				
John N. Lewis, W. C.	Lodi,	"																		
Benjamin G. Riley, D. Sec.	"	"																		
Alvah G. Dunning, W. C.	Arlington,	"																		
William Drummond, S. S.	Stone Bank,	"																		
Warren Mayo, P.	Lodi,	"	Lodi, P.	23	5	118		8	6	200	5	82	86	70				2150	21	
Corydon W. Higgins, S. S.	Cottage Grove,	"	Cottage Grove, S. S.	2	1	43		1	2	102	3	42	31	13				445	26	
Edward F. Fish, S. S.	Columbus,	"	Columbus, S. S.	6	6	54		1	4	75	2	70	55	4	7		7	2600	58	
Francis Z. Rosseter, S. S.	Baraboo,	"	Baraboo, S. S.	6	6	77	13	2	3	110	4	38	50	16	11			900		
Elias F. Tanner, S. S.	Pardeeville,	"	Pardeeville, S. S.	1	5	35			3	75	1	80	10	10				285	16	
James A. Laurie, S. S.—13.	Lowville,	"	Lowville, S. S.	1		34			2	66	1	98	17					350	20	
			Sun Prairie, V.	1		35		1		40	2	22	7	5				400	35	
			Arlington, S. S.	3	2	34			11	40	1	56	5					300		
Candidate, 1.			Reedsburgh, P. E.			12				40	1	14	35					128		

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		Portland, V.			5					78							
		Poynett, S. S.	2	13	15					35							
		Marshall, S. S.		4	4					20							
		Loganville, V.—13.			*3					18							
			45	42	469	13	13	31	748	26 53	296	118	18		7	7558	176
4. *Presb. of Lake Superior.*																	
Leonard H. Wheeler, W. C.	Beloit, Wis.																
George W. Lloyd, S. S.	Escanaba, Mich.	Escanaba, S. S.	4	1	16		3	3	72	1 00	31		18			600	324
Cicero B. Stevens, S. S.	Hancock, L. S., "																
David H. Taylor, S. S., [*trans.*	Ontonagon, L. S., "	Ontonagon, S. S.	4	2	33				260			25				2160	155
Frederick H. Adams, W. C., *In*	Marquette, L. S., "																
Thomas R. Easterday, S. S.	S'lt Ste. Marie, L. S.,	Sault Ste. Marie, S. S.	13	2	22			2	48	2 00	21						
William R. Higgins, S. S.—7.	Superior, Wis. [Mich.	Superior, S. S.			14						2	10					10
		Odanah, S. S.			15												
Licentiate.		Marquette, V.—6.	6	5	67		2	1	135	5 00	76	75		17		1410	145
Alexander McLochlin, H.M.—1.	Greenwood, L. S., "		30	10	167		5	6	515	8 00	130	110	18	17		4170	634
Candidate, 1.																	
XIX. SYNOD OF IOWA.																	
1. *Presb. of Des Moines.*																	
John C. Ewing, W.C.	Winterset, Iowa.																
Thompson Bird, W. C.	Des Moines, "																

Candidate, 1.		Union, V.			*26													
		Maysville, V.			*13													
		Council Hill, V.			*21													
		Cedar Falls, P. E.—16.	4	4	38	8			110	4	00						1420	
			91	71	739	31	11	16	490	39	20	166	90	75	26	7	21,312	720
5. *Presb. of Chariton.**																		
Benjamin O. Springer, W. C.	Decatur City, Iowa.																	
John Fisher, S. S.	Centreville, "	Centreville, S. S.			64													
Milton H. Dysart, S. S.—3.	Troy, "	Troy, S. S.			85													
		Shunem, S. S.			66													
		Olivet, V.			35													
		Carmel, S. S.			19													
		West-Grove, S. S.			29													
		Unionville, V.—7.			17													
					315													
6. *Presb. of Cedar Rapids.*																		
Hiram H. Kellogg, P. E.	Marshalltown, Iowa.	Marshalltown, P. E.	1	29	102		1	5	180	5	50	43	75	17	20	15	2500	50
Samuel Newbury, W. C.	Dubuque, "																	
James Knox, P. E.	Cedar Rapids, "	Cedar Rapids, P. E.	2	23	110	5	2	3	153	6	00	30	58				1930	70
George D. Young, S. S.	Camanche, "	Camanche, S. S.		1	30	4		6	70	1	80	20	2				523	20
Miles Doolittle, Ag.	Cedar Rapids, "																	
Charles W. Treadwell, S. S.	Wheatland, "	Wheatland, S. S.		3	23			1	50	1	25	20	21				424	110
George R. Moore, Pres.	Lyons, "																	
Hannibal L. Stanley, P. E.	Lyons, "	Lyons, P. E.		21	44			3	75	4	50	40	22	10	6	6	1126	17
Orin D. W. White, Prof.	Fulton, Ill.																	
George E. W. Leonard, Sec.	Cedar Rapids, Iowa.																	
George R. Carroll, P. E.	Wyoming, "	Wyoming, P. E.		2	63	1		2	30	4	00	23	15		4		914	205
Isaac W. Atherton, *In transitu.*	Red Oak, Ohio.																	
Isaiah Reid, S. S.	Nevada, Iowa.	Nevada, Central, S. S.	3	6	36		3	1	75	2	00	10	7				1830	41
Jonathan B. Morse, S. S.—14.	Clinton, "	Clinton, S. S.	8	19	53	8	2		121	4	00	40			155		800	311

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William Porterfield, W. C. *In*	Vinton, Iowa.																
Alexander Fairley, W. C. [*trans.*	Washington, D. C.	Atalissa, S. S.	8		23				50	1 00						100	10
Franklin L. Arnold, P.	Marengo, Iowa.	Marengo, P.	18	8	84	1	10	8	90	5 00	30	30	5			1172	88
John Gibson, W. C.	Washington, "																
Lewis B. Rogers, W. C.	Albion, N. Y.	Brooklyn, S. S.		4	26				15	1 75						100	11
Samuel J. Mills, Ag. [12.	Iowa City, Iowa.									*1 62							
Wilberforce K. Boggs, W. C.—	Bluffton, Mo.	Toolesborough, V.—9.	2	5	12		1	1								35	
Candidates, 2.			32	25	226	2	18	13	315	16 62	47	30	5			1767	255
4. *Presb. of Dubuque.*																	
James Harrison, W. C.	Waterloo, Iowa.																
Linus H. Fellows, W. C.	Vinton, "																
Henry B. Holmes, D. Sec.	Chicago, Ill.																
S. Granby Spees, D.D., P. E.	Dubuque, Iowa.	Dubuque, Second, P.E.	21	15	117	12	4	1	140	12 00	100	43				3676	600
Jeremiah Woodruff, S. S.	Lansing, "	Rossville, S. S.	8	11	19					1 20							
John Summers, S. S.	Schellsburgh, "	Benton, S. S.			*69												
Nelson C. Robinson, P.	Vinton, "	Vinton, P.	35	10	150					7 00	21	15		20		1400	
		Yankee Grove, P.		2	15					1 00	7						
Charles R. French, S. S.	Clermont, "	Clermon S. S.	6	4	27			5		1 00	15	18					20
David Blakely, S. S.	Lithopolis, "	Steamboat Rock, S. S.	6	1	23		1	2	75	2 00						3347	8
Charles S. Marvin, S. S.	Laporte City, "	Cedar Valley, S. S.	5	8	17		3		40							250	10
Louis Boisot, W. C.	Dubuque, "																
Calvin Carriel, S. S.	Eldora, "	Point Pleasant, S. S.			*37												
Benjamin F. Stuart, Ag.	Morenci, Mich.																
Stephen Phelps, P. [15.	Waterloo, Iowa.	Waterloo, P.	2	5	73	10	2	1	75	5 00	28	14		6	7	4700	57
German H. Chatterton, S. S.—	Janesville, "	Janesville, S. S.	8	11	80	1	1	7	50	4 00						6519	
		Iowa Falls, S. S.			14					2 00							25

Rockwood McQuesten, S. S.	Le Sueur,	Minn.	Le Sueur, First,	8	4	31		1		60	1	32	3	3			325	
			Henderson, First.	3		4				80	12	00					15	
Solomon C. McElroy, S. S.—16.	Garden City,	"	Garden City, First, S.S.	2	5	7				40							60	
			Redwood Falls, First,	5	4	9												
Licentiates.			[S. S.—13.															
				67	101	811		35	45	645	46	02	61	54	7	10	11	3426	103
Peter Tapatatanka,	Redw'd Falls,	Minn.																
Simon Anawagmani,	"	" "																
Titus Icaduze,	"	" "																
Artemas Elinamani.—4.	"	" "																
Candidates, 2.																		
2. *Presb. of Minnesota.*																		
Edward D. Neill, W. C.	Washington,	D. C.																
Joseph C. Whitney, W. C.	Minneapolis,	Minn.																
Gideon H. Pond, P.	Bloomington,	"	Oak Grove, P.	1		50				130	3	00	12	50	6			36
John Mattocks, P.	St. Paul,	"	St. Paul, First, P.	3	2	120		2		350	7	20	100	125			1200	400
Samuel W. Pond, W. C.	Shakopee,	"																
Frederick A. Noble, P.	St. Paul,	"	St. Paul, H. of Hope, P.	10	13	120		5	6	200	7	20	184	185	60	40	2030	639
Jesse L. Howell, S. S.	Stillwater,	"	Stillwater, First, S. S.	2		46		2		114	2	30	20		8		500	411
Albert G. Ruliffson, D. Sec.	St. Paul,	"																
Chauncy Hall, H. M.	Mankato,	"																
Alvan B. Goodale, M.D., S. S.	Belle Plain,	"	Belle Plain, S. S.	5	1	38		3	2	75	2	28	7					40
Henry Ward, S. S.	Minneapolis,	"	Minneapolis, S. S.	12	7	46		6	3	90	2	76	83	10	9		500	150
John Q. Hall, S. S.—12.	Taylor's Falls,	"	Taylor's Falls, S. S.	2		15						90	3				230	
			St. Croix Falls, V.	2		14						84	8			6	160	
			Shakopee, V.	7	2	30					1	80						
			Sunrise City, V.			*12						72						
			Sauk Centre, V.			9						54						
			Round Prairie, V.—12.			6						36						
				44	25	506		18	11	959	29	90	417	370	29	46		4620	1676

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		Pleasant Prairie and Centre Point, V.	7	2	80	7	2	7	150	3 75	10					500	450
		Mount Vernon, V.			*20												
		Boone, S. S.		2	11				70							213	10
Licentiate.		State Centre, S. S.	1	1	12		1									75	
		Iowa Centre, S. S.	6	11	23		4	2		75							
Alexander K. Baird, S. S.—1.	Clarence, Iowa.	Clarence, S. S.—14.	12	12	47		1	3	60	1 75	11	8		13		277	37
Candidates, 3.			40	132	654	25	16	33	1034	35 30	247	208	27	198	21	11,112	1320
XX. Synod of Minnesota.																	
1. *Presb. of Dakota.*																	
Samuel G Lowry, W. C.	Sumner, Minn.																
James Thomson, W. C.	Peru, Iowa.																
Jenkin Jenkins, S. S.	Butternut Valley, [Minn.	South-Bend, S. S.		1	13			3	35	1 32	10						
		Butternut Valley, S.S.	1		24			2	30	1 56	6						
Stephen R. Riggs, F. M. [F. M.	Beloit, Wis.	Conkicakse, S. S.															
Thomas S. Williamson, M.D.,	Saint Peter, Minn.	Waxte Ricidapi, S. S.	4	7	35		4	1		3 30							
Theophilus Lowry, W. C.	Sumner, "																
Jacob E. Conrad, S. S.	Sterling, "																
John F Aiton, W. C.	Saint Peter, "																
Moses N Adams, Ag.	" "									*7 68							
Lyman Marshal., S. S.	" "	Trav. des Sioux, S. S.	6	2	37		3	9	100	1 86	9					572	85
Thomas Marshall, P.	Mankato, "	Mankato, First, P.	11	25	138		4	4	185	6 54	25	36	7	5	11	1400	68
John P. Williamson, F. M.	Niobrara, N. Ter.	Pilgrim Mis., S. S.	17	22	398		15	14	75	18 00		15		5			
John B. Renville, F. M.	Redw'd Falls, Minn.	Scout's Camp, S. S.	7	27	74		6	10		2 40							
Henry Cooper, S. S.	Blue Earth City, "	Blue Earth City, S. S.	3	4	41		2	2	40	1 92	8					1054	

		St. Louis, North, V.	15	11	113					8	00						15,878	
Martin B. Gregg, S. S.	East-St. Louis, Ill.	Rolla, V.			12					1	00							
Raphael Kessler, P. E.	Webster Groves, Mo.	Webster Groves, P. E.			30				40	2	00							
		Hillsborough, S. S.			12				50									
		Laketon, V.—13.			14				50	1	00							
John E. Werth, S. S.	St. Louis, Mo.																	
Henry T. Perry, F. M.—15.	Aintab, Turkey.		51	44	653	12	10	22	793	49	00	1431	454	183	102	110	24,534	229
Candidates, 2.																		
2. *Presb. of Northern Missouri.*																		
Latten W. Dunlap, S. S.	Quincy, Ill.	Canton, S. S.		11	20			2	80	1	20		3				2000	
James A. Darrah, P.	West-Ely, Mo.	West-Ely, P.	2	2	32		1		25	2	40	15	18				90	
		Palmyra, S. S.		4	15				40			25	12				1600	
Jacob R. Winters, W. C.	Palmyra, "																	
Thomas H. Tatlow, P.	Newark, "	Newark, P.			47				50	3	30	25					400	100
James J. Wilson, S. S.—5.	" "	Carmel, S. S.			6				50		40	6						
		Pleasant Prairie, S. S.	3	8	11		3	1	40			5						
		La Grange, V.		5	33			1	40	2	15	5						
		Edina, S. S.		4	12				50		45	12	4					
		New-Providence, V.—[9.			57			2	55	4	25	62					2120	
			5	34	233		4	6	430	14	15	155	37				6210	100
3. *Presb. of Lexington.*																		
Timothy Morgan, W. C.	Gentryville, Mo.	Mount Zion, V.			24													
Elisha B. Sherwood, S. S.	Weston, "	Weston, S. S.	8	3	39	1	4	6	100	2	40	39		7	10			
Elijah A. Carson, W. C.	Savannah, "																	
Benjamin B. Parsons, D.D., P.	St. Joseph, "	St. Joseph, Westm., P.	1	12	61		2	7	100	3	66	40	50	20	25		3890	24
Timothy Hill, S. S.	Kansas City, "	Kansas City, S. S.	3	8	34		1	2	75	2	04	32					175	37
Tapping S. Reeve, S. S.	Savannah, "	Savannah, S. S.	2	6	40		1		60	2	50				30			250

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George W. Goodale, Prof.	Weston, Mo.																
Seth G. Clark, H. M.—8.	Harrisonville, "	Harrisonville, S. S.			*10												
		Forest City, V.			*10												
Candidates, 4.		Breckenridge, V.			*10												
		Holden, S. S.—9.			*10												
			14	29	238	1	8	15	335	10 60	111	50	27	65		4065	311
4. *Presb of Osage.*																	
W. C. Requa, W. C.	Butler, Mo.																
Albert G. Taylor, P. M.	Walnut Grove, "																
John M. Brown, S. S.	Willard, "	Mount Zion, S. S.	8	5	70	15	4	3	120					15		2000	
William S. Messmer.—4.	Hastings, Mich.																
		Clinton, S. S.			5												
Licentiate.		Springfield, V.			15												
		Salem, S. S.		18	18											200	
Enos M. Halbert, S. S.—1.	Calhoun, Mo.	Warsaw, S. S.—5.			5												
			8	23	113	15	4	3	120					15		2200	
5. *Presb. of Kansas.*																	
Isaac C. Beach, S. S.	Olathe, Kan.																
Michael Hummer, W. C.	Wyandotte, "																
James H. Carruth,	Clinton, "	Clinton, S. S.			11					66							
William H. Smith,	De Soto, "	De Soto, S. S.			12					75	10					125	
		Gardner, S. S.	4	6	9		2			55						100	
John L. Chapman, S. S.	Irving, "	Irving, S. S.			*14					84							
Franklin E. Sheldon, S. S.	Troy, "	Troy, S. S.			*50					8 00							

Andrew Parsons, S. S.	Ottawa, Kan.	Ottawa, S. S.	4	19	23		2			1	38	26					400	
George F. Chapin, P.	Lawrence, "	Lawrence, P.	6	18	40					2	40	50	35				500	
Zerah F. Blakely, S. S.—10.	Solomon City, "																	
		Seneca, S. S.			*16						96							
Licentiates.		Salina, V.			16						96							
Cyrus C. Moore, M. D.	Auburn, "																	
Henry Mattice.—2.	St. Louis, Mo.																	
		Baldwin City, S. S.		7	16						95							
		Black Jack, S. S.			9						55							
		Holton, S. S.			15						90							
		Auburn, V.			12						72							
		Olathe, V.			*5						30							
		Marion, V.			*13						78							
		Fall River, V.—16.			*8						48							
			14	50	269		4			15	88	86	35				1125	
XXII. Synod of Tennessee.																		
1. *Presb. of Union.*																		
William Harrison, W. C.	New-Market, Tenn.																	
Ralph E. Tedford, W. C.	Maryville, "									*24	56							
Thomas J. Lamar, S. S.	Maryville, "	Clover Hill, S. S.		2	50			4	50	3	00						78	
		Forest Hill, S. S.	1		75	3		5	100	4	68						32	
William H. Smith, S. S.	Morristown, "	St. Paul, S. S.	33	2	111		24	9	131	4	86						351	
James A. Griffes, H. M.	Strawb'y Plains,"	New-Market, S. S.	7		169		1		125	10	56	8	7				313	
George W. Le Vere, H. M.	Knoxville, "	Shiloh, S. S.	31		63		20	17	212	2	40	5					1871	
William H. Lyle, S. S.	Mossy Creek, "	Mt. Horeb, S. S.		3	200	18		3	60	12	50	13	80	25			223	
		Westminster, S. S.	5	1	92		1	3	32	3	00						130	
Isaac Emery, S. S. M.—8.	Knoxville, "																	
		Unitia, V.	5		25		4		74	2	40						90	
		Louisville, V.			*25													
		New-Providence, V.	2	4	54				80	3	00							
Candidates, 7.		Rockford, S. S.			*41					2	41							

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		Eusebia, S. S.	9		105	29	2		40	4 20							
		New-Prospect, V.			*25												
		Knoxville, Second, S. S.			*75												
		Maryville, Col'd, S. S.	12		22		8	6	60	1 20							
		Spring Place, S. S.	5	2	82		2	6	50	4 80						962	
		Washington, S. S.			170	20		3	50	11 34	20	10				453	
		Caledonia, S. S.			*80											950	
		Strawberry Plains, V.	4	1	65		2	5		4 80							
		Concord, S. S.			*30												
		Hopewell, V.	1	1	129				108	5 00	25					563	
		Bethesda, V.			*45												
		Rutledge, V.			*20												
		Tazewell, V.—24.			*20												
			115	16	1773	70	64	61	1172	104 76	71	97	25			6016	
2. *Presb. of Kingston.*																	
Thomas Brown, S. S.	Philadelphia, Tenn.	*Philadelphia*, S. S.			50				50								
		Kingston, S. S.	12		52		2	2	70								
William B. Brown, S. S.	Cleveland, "	Cleveland, S. S.	3		78				60								
Eli N. Sawtell, S. S.	McMillen's Sta., "	Sweet Water, V.			40												
Wallace W. Thorpe, S. S.—4	Athens, "	Mars Hill, S. S.	7	3	85		3	4	40		4			80		650	
		Benton, V.			25												
		Mt. Harmony, V.			30												
		Loudon, V.			20												
		Madisonville, V.			50												
		Chattanooga, V.—10.			10												
			22	3	440		5	6	220	*24 90	4			80		650	

3. *Presb. of Holston.*																			
Francis A. McCorkle, M.D., W.C.	Greeneville, Tenn.																		
Daniel Rogan, S. S.	Kingsport, "	Kingsport, S. S.			*101														
		Jonesboro, V.		1	100			1	70								150		
David F. Palmer, Ag.	Greeneville, Tenn.	Richland, V.			*7														
John W. Elliott, S. S., *In trans.*	Rogersville, "	Greeneville, S. S.			86			1	75								190		
Samuel R. Griffith, Ag., *In*	N. York City, N. Y.	Rogersville, V.	18		66		3												
Samuel Sawyer, Ag. [*trans.*	Maryville, Tenn.																		
Nathan Bachman, S. S.	Knoxville, "	Wells', S. S.	34		65		20	3											
Samuel V. McCorkle, S. S.—8.	Greeneville, "	Meadow Creek, S. S.	70	2	100		25	8	40								120		
		Timber Ridge, S. S.	1		63		1	12									46		
		Mt. Zion, V.			18														
		Liberty Hill, V.			*10														
	Jonesboro, "	Mt. Lebanon, V.			*19														
		Elizabethton, V.—12.			*10														
			123	3	645		49	25	185	*33	66						506		
XXIII. Synod of Alta California.																			
1. *Presb. of San Francisco.*																			
John Waldo Douglas, W. C.	Trenton, N. Y.																		
Sam'l Hopkins Willey, V. Pres.	Oakland, Cal.																		
Isaac H. Brayton, Prof.	" "																		
James Pierpont, W. C.	" "																		
David McClure, Tea. [P.	" "																		
Henry M. Scudder, M. D., D.D.,	San Francisco, "	S. Fran., Howard, P.	65	44	351	35	20	14	550	16	00	158	181				17,433	1004	
Isaac N. Hurd, S. S.	Red Bluff, "	Red Bluff, First, S. S.			17														
Samuel P. Whiting, S. S.—8.	Mendocino, "	Mendocino, First, S. S.			24														
		[—3.																	
Licentiate.			65	44	392	35	20	14	550	16	00	158	181				17,433	1004	
James Woodworth.—1.																			

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2. *Presb. of Sierra Nevada.*																	
Townsend E. Taylor, W. C.	Oakland, Cal.																
Silas S. Harmon, Tea.	" "																
Charles C. Wallace, P.	Placerville, "	Placerville, P.	2	3	62	4			150	8 00	100	25				4000	100
William W. Macomber, S. S.	Marysville, "	Marysville, S. S.	73	2	127	14	23	13	150	10 00						6200	133
D. Henry Palmer, S. S.—5.	Prattsburgh, N. Y.																
		Columbia, S. S.	14		45		5	4	150	5 00	10					600	
		Sonora, S. S.—4.			22			5	70	2 00						400	
			89	5	256	18	28	22	520	25 00	110	25				11,200	233
3. *Presb. of San José.*																	
John Sessions, D.D., W. C.	Oakland, Cal.																
Edward B. Walsworth, W. C.	" "																
William Wallace Brier, P. M.	Alvarado, "																
Eli Corwin, P. C.	Honolulu, S. Islands.									*10 20							
George Pierson, M D., P.	Brooklyn, Cal.	Brooklyn, P.	6	6	38		1	6	80	2 00	10	34				100	30
Laurentine Hamilton, P.	Oakland, "	Oakland, P.	21	20	110		9	10	300	5 50	87	30				500	35
James McLaughlin, W. C.	Red Bluff, "																
Henry S. Huntington, S. S.	Watsonville, "	Watsonville, S. S.	5		18			10	80	1 00	25						
Lemuel P. Webber, S. S.	Santa Clara, "	Santa Clara, S. S.	11	6	38		6	3	40	1 90	12						
James M. Alexander, S. S.	San Leandro, "	San Leandro and San Lorenzo, S. S.	8	2	28				70	1 40	11					1600	
Frank L. Nash, P.	Alameda, "	Alameda, P.	6	4	27		1	1	50	1 40	10						25
Edward Payson Willard, S. S.	Columbia, "																
[—12.		San José, P. E.	71	10	162		30	20	195							7400	181

		Centreville, S. S.	1		29				50									
		Alvarado, S. S.		1	14				40									
		Gilroy, V.—10.		1	12					60								
			129	50	486		47	50	905	24	00	155	64				9600	271
4. *Presb. of Washoe.*																		
Albert F. White, P.	Carson City, Nevada.	Carson City, P.			*20													
William M. Martin, P.	Virginia City, "	Virginia City, P.			*20													
John B. Pinney, LL.D., S. S.	Austin, "	Austin, S. S.—3.	12	10	36		6	12	67	5	00	5	5	5	5	3	4735	
Hiram Hill, *In transitu.*—4.	Auburn, N. Y.																	
			12	10	76		6	12	67	5	00	5	5	5	5	3	4735	

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		Eusebia, S. S.	9		105	29	2		40	4 20							
		New-Prospect, V.			*25												
		Knoxville, Second, S. S.			*75												
		Maryville, Col'd, S. S.	12		22		8	6	60	1 20							
		Spring Place, S. S.	5	2	82		2	6	50	4 80						962	
		Washington, S. S.			170	20		3	50	11 34	20	10				453	
		Caledonia, S. S.			*80											950	
		Strawberry Plains, V.	4	1	65		2	5		4 80							
		Concord, S. S.			*30												
		Hopewell, V.	1	1	129				108	5 00	25					563	
		Bethesda, V.			*45												
		Rutledge, V.			*20												
		Tazewell, V.—24.			*20												
			115	16	1773	70	64	61	1172	104 76	71	97	25			6016	
2. Presb. of Kingston.																	
Thomas Brown, S. S.	Philadelphia, Tenn.	Philadelphia, S. S.			50				50								
		Kingston, S. S.	12		52		2	2	70								
William B. Brown, S. S.	Cleveland, "	Cleveland, S. S.	3		78				60								
Eli N. Sawtell, S. S.	McMillen's Sta., "	Sweet Water, V.			40												
Wallace W. Thorpe, S. S.—4	Athens, "	Mars Hill, S. S.	7	3	85		3	4	40		4			80		650	
		Benton, V.			25												
		Mt. Harmony, V.			30												
		Loudon, V.			20												
		Madisonville, V.			50												
		Chattanooga, V.—10.			10												
			22	3	440		5	6	220	*24 90	4			80		650	

4. Ithaca,	1839		8	1	4	9	53	38	1276	33	35	23	773	73	74	918	573	232	9		14,963	1413	Theodore F. White.
5. Wellsborough,	1845		12		1	13	75	8	604	46	37	11	354	36	12	88	23	4	2		3189	129	Samuel J. McCullough.
6. Lyons,	1856		16		2	16	61	55	1367	136	23	36	1876	89	65	854	546	46	201	10	20,219	1936	Arunah H. Lilly.
V. Synod of Susquehanna,	1853	3	39		3	41	221	79	3591	203	101	45	2568	182	54	1004	1567	350	409	121	17,992	2502	*Samuel N. Robinson.*
1. Otsego,	1820		16		1	18	115	30	1508	136	63	21	1070	97	00	396	793	188	150	84	11,497	1483	Charles Gillette.
2. Chenango,	1826		18		1	12	29	19	1187	20	9	7	520	19	00	274	520	142	286	5	3350	428	William H. Sautelle.
3. Delaware,	1881		10		1	11	77	30	896	47	29	17	978	66	54	334	254	70	23	32	3145	591	Leonard E. Richards.
VI. Synod of Genesee,	1821	6	138	6	14	103	1183	589	13,919	651	378	257	14,145	784	75	9044	7888	810	959	437	157,072	22,373	*Timothy Stillman, D.D.*
1. Buffalo,	1817		46	1	8	28	396	156	3917	181	65	74	2773	219	00	3723	2345	320	468	115	46,224	7090	Timothy Stillman, D.D.
2. Ontario,	1817		19	1	4	13	149	66	1649	40	71	26	1405	95	14	778	748	107	214	62	20,647	617	John Barnard, D.D.
3. Rochester,	1819		29	4	1	17	227	110	3322	213	89	58	4508	193	44	1747	2774	238	71	8	28,115	9895	Charles E. Furman.
4. Genesee,	1819		13		1	15	106	48	1439	104	51	10	1398	78	75	781	499	97	106	247	28,285	1935	Charles F. Mussey.
5. Niagara,	1823		18			16	283	110	2396	93	70	64	2677	129	90	1156	635	8	70		20,601	1737	Edward P. Marvin.
6. Genesee Valley,	1828		13			14	72	49	1196	20	32	25	1384	68	52	859	887	45	30	15	18,200	1099	Isaac G. Ogden.
VII. Synod of N. Y. and N. J.,	1788	9	284	43	68	165	2148	1373	32,172	2268	651	806	30,608	1902	72	37,798	40,505	8852	2864	2540	525,022	209,197	*Obadiah M. Johnson.*
1. Hudson,	1797		16		4	12	83	49	1694		38	46	805	99	12	291	866	182	88	48	9155	1186	Obadiah M. Johnson.
2. North River,	1819		22	2		17	138	49	2088	110	49	44	1328	111	50	517	582	40	21	23	20,914	2886	Francis B. Wheeler.
3. Long Island,	1791		9			6	7	6	672	1	3	18	689	41	40	231	302	11	108	17	9785	349	Epher Whitaker.
4. New-York, Third,	1881		60	17	24	20	509	312	7022	543	136	190	9359	417	42	7331	10,378	1585	1427	1149	121,191	26,102	Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D.
5. New-York, Fourth,	1845		46	14	24	15	308	293	4423	826	80	158	3937	265	00	14,059	15,874	3346	574	550	188,880	111,588	John Spaulding, D.D.
6. Brooklyn,	1838		28	1		9	242	176	3642	868	75	120	3247	187	86	7230	3721	1546	127		67,660	16,427	William S. Karr.
7. Newark,	1824		48	7	12	32	539	307	7770	130	123	184	5819	444	00	6163	6973	1086	370	679	110,918	43,798	J. Allen Maxwell.
8. Rockaway,	1839		22	1	3	20	181	51	2188	47	66	36	2475	159	42	529	1150	404	78	50	22,814	1953	Burtis C. Megie.
9. Montrose,	1832		33	1	1	34	191	130	2723	243	81	65	2949	177	00	1442	1214	152	76	24	23,755	5408	Adam Miller.
VIII. Synod of Pennsylvania,	1838	5	113	7	25	89	1205	640	16,342	678	278	665	18,258	1008	34	13,274	13,731	3050	2986	2414	262,854	60,759	*William E. Moore.*
1. Wilmington,	1838		14		1	17	186	76	1884	41	32	66	2282	104	10	1134	665	147	100	161	19,038	1544	William Aikman.
2. Philadelphia, Third,	1832		85	1	3	24	364	205	4648	350	69	264	5566	265	00	3611	5250	559	665	698	89,805	45,584	J. Glentworth Butler, D.D.
3. Philadelphia, Fourth,	1845		43	8	12	30	347	251	6091	240	109	238	7077	387	24	2685	4743	1502	643	850	78,326	9710	Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D.
4. Harrisburgh,	1839		13	1	5	9	93	49	1365	3	19	34	1689	117	00	5307	2262	782	1518	559	49,350	1378	Conway P. Wing, D.D.
5. District of Columbia,	1881		8	2	4	9	265	59	1754	44	49	68	1644	135	00	587	811	60	60	146	26,335	2593	William McLain, D.D.
IX. Synod of West-Penn.,	1843	8	30	1	5	31	468	175	3709	81	188	128	3643	204	78	5871	2618	2182	291	134	80,889	8121	*George A. Lyon, D.D.*
1. Erie,	1801		14		1	13	247	81	1731	34	132	41	1743	98	52	484	551	144	284	129	21,848	1487	Joseph Vance.
2. Meadville,	1842		10		1	13	114	64	1097		36	60	893	55	92	767	210	141	49		10,979	1105	Richard Craighead.
3. Pittsburgh,	1839		6	1	3	5	107	80	881	47	20	27	1002	50	34	4620	1857	1897	8	5	48,062	5529	Samuel M. Sparks.

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2. *Presb. of Sierra Nevada.*																	
Townsend E. Taylor, W. C.	Oakland, Cal.																
Silas S. Harmon, Tea.	" "																
Charles C. Wallace, P.	Placerville, "	Placerville, P.	2	3	62	4			150	8 00	100	25				4000	100
William W. Macomber, S. S.	Marysville, "	Marysville, S. S.	73	2	127	14	23	13	150	10 00						6200	133
D. Henry Palmer, S. S.—5.	Prattsburgh, N. Y.																
		Columbia, S. S.	14		45		5	4	150	5 00	10					600	
		Sonora, S. S.—4.			22			5	70	2 00						400	
			89	5	256	18	28	22	520	25 00	110	25				11,200	233
3. *Presb. of San José.*																	
John Sessions, D.D., W. C.	Oakland, Cal.																
Edward B. Walsworth, W. C.	" "																
William Wallace Brier, P. M.	Alvarado, "																
Eli Corwin, P. C.	Honolulu, S. Islands.									*10 20							
George Pierson, M.D., P.	Brooklyn, Cal.	Brooklyn, P.	6	6	38		1	6	80	2 00	10	34				100	30
Laurentine Hamilton, P.	Oakland, "	Oakland, P.	21	20	110		9	10	300	5 50	87	30				500	35
James McLaughlin, W. C.	Red Bluff, "																
Henry S. Huntington, S. S.	Watsonville, "	Watsonville, S. S.	5		18			10	80	1 00	25						
Lemuel P. Webber, S. S.	Santa Clara, "	Santa Clara, S. S.	11	6	38		6	3	40	1 90	12						
James M. Alexander, S. S.	San Leandro, "	San Leandro and San Lorenzo, S. S.	8	2	28				70	1 40	11					1600	
Frank L. Nash, P.	Alameda, "	Alameda, P.	6	4	27		1	1	50	1 40	10						25
Edward Payson Willard, S. S.	Columbia, "																
[—12.		San José, P. E.	71	10	162		30	20	195							7400	181

		Centreville, S. S.	1		29				50									
		Alvarado, S. S.		1	14				40									
		Gilroy, V.—10.		1	12					60								
			129	50	486		47	50	905	24	00	155	64				9600	271
4. *Presb. of Washoe.*																		
Albert F. White, P.	Carson City, Nevada.	Carson City, P.			*20													
William M. Martin, P.	Virginia City, "	Virginia City, P.			*20													
John B. Pinney, LL.D., S. S.	Austin, "	Austin, S. S.—3.	12	10	36		6	12	67	5	00	5	5	5	5	3	4735	
Hiram Hill, *In transitu.*—4.	Auburn, N. Y.																	
			12	10	76		6	12	67	5	00	5	5	5	5	3	4735	

VI. Summary of the Schedules.

I. OF THE SYNODS AND THEIR PRESBYTERIES.

SYNODS AND PRESBYTERIES.	Date.	Presbyt's.	Ministers.	Licentiates.	Candidates.	Churches.	COMMUNICANTS. Added on Exam.	Added on Certif.	Whole Number.	Unknown.	BAPTISMS. Adults.	Infants.	S. S. Membership.	FUNDS. General Ass'mbly.	Home Missions.	Foreign Missions.	Education.	Publication.	Min. Relief.	Congregational.	Miscellaneous.	STATED CLERKS.
I. Synod of Albany,	1803	5	80	1	13	67	488	206	8337	1418	192	121	6857	419 13	5443	3660	421	243	184	138,615	14,627	*A. Bordman Lambert, D.D.*
1. Champlain,	1814		22		4	17	232	46	2291	495	118	45	2060	62 00	1012	814	68	45		23,725	2044	Jonathan Copeland.
2. Troy,	1820		25	1	5	18	53	46	2237	543	25	23	2008	142 45	1524	1013	162	92	119	43,138	9260	A. Bordman Lambert, D.D.
3. Albany,	1791		17		1	12	54	85	1642	139	17	19	1621	90 84	1907	891	32	27	10	53,220	977	Stephen Bush.
4. Columbia,	1802		6		1	6	22	8	818	111	4	12	520	49 50	145	497	58	20	43	6035	771	Charles T. Berry.
5. Catskill,	1851		10		2	14	127	21	1349	130	28	22	653	74 34	851	445	101	59	12	12,497	1575	Alvin Cooper.
II. Synod of Utica,	1829	4	81	2	12	71	673	270	7578	202	267	151	7408	491 43	6002	4314	1777	639	937	69,579	16,684	*William E. Knox, D.D.*
1. St. Lawrence,	1818		10			8	37	41	754		9	7	547	41 00	506	513	12	44	14	7628	951	Baruch B. Beckwith.
2. Watertown,	1822		21		4	19	190	46	1774	83	84	44	1630	181 00	765	781	214	51	140	15,502	2509	Richard G. Keyes.
3. Oswego,	1823		9			10	100	24	1000	7	53	23	970	95 88	299	378	40	211	36	8415	818	J. Niles Hubbard.
4. Utica,	1842		41	2	8	34	346	159	4045	112	121	77	4247	223 55	4432	2642	1511	333	747	38,034	12,406	Samuel W. Brace.
III. Synod of Onondaga,	1855	4	88	18	14	70	529	302	8919	68	240	120	5691	430 94	6595	5158	1067	1333	153	62,050	13,302	*Lewis H. Reid.*
1. Onondaga,	1810		20			21	152	55	2618	37	80	28	1016	118 50	1915	1810	404	510	33	6977	7646	John F. Kendall.
2. Cayuga,	1810		37	12	12	28	277	133	2849		105	56	2357	177 24	2809	1798	372	264	70	31,197	3376	Charles Hawley, D.D.
3. Cortland,	1825		10		1	15	52	35	1674		24	22	1428	57 00	587	1014	110	94	50	15,247	1167	Huntington Lyman.
4. Tioga,	1829		21	1	1	11	48	70	1783	31	31	19	895	78 20	1284	1036	181	967		8629	1113	Solon Cobb.
IV. Synod of Geneva,	1812	6	101	2	15	91	1165	372	9857	498	537	227	8225	522 88	5480	3926	1020	1288	166	111,714	8626	*Benjamin M. Goldsmith.*
1. Geneva,	1803		36	1	5	18	364	125	2708	206	169	74	2566	149 59	2045	1058	168	144	153	29,300	2736	Benjamin M. Goldsmith.
2. Steuben,	1817		18		3	19	115	84	1597	77	46	34	1858	80 28	849	218	136	50	8	20,786	301	William A. Niles.
3. Chemung,	1836		17			16	497	109	1810		227	49	1803	84 00	1191	919	434	881		29,307	2111	Charles C. Carr.

4. Ithaca,	1839		8	1	4	9	58	38	1276	33	35	23	773	73	74	918	573	232	9		14,963	1413	Theodore F. White.
5. Wellsborough,	1845		12		1	18	75	8	604	46	37	11	354	86	12	83	28	4	3		8189	129	Samuel J. McCullough.
6. Lyons,	1856		16		2	16	61	55	1867	186	23	36	1876	89	65	854	546	46	201	10	20,219	1936	Arunah H. Lilly.
V. Synod of Susquehanna,	1853	3	39		3	41	221	79	3591	203	101	45	2568	182	54	1004	1567	350	409	121	17,992	2502	*Samuel N. Robinson.*
1. Otsego,	1820		16		1	18	115	80	1508	186	63	21	1070	97	00	396	793	188	150	84	11,497	1483	Charles Gillette.
2. Chenango,	1826		13		1	12	29	19	1187	20	9	7	520	19	00	274	520	142	286	5	3850	428	William H. Sautelle.
3. Delaware,	1831		10		1	11	77	30	896	47	29	17	978	66	54	334	254	70	23	32	3145	591	Leonard E. Richards.
VI. Synod of Genesee,	1821	6	138	6	14	103	1183	539	18,919	651	378	257	14,145	784	75	9044	7888	810	939	437	157,072	22,378	*Timothy Stillman, D.D.*
1. Buffalo,	1817		46	1	8	28	396	156	8917	181	65	74	2773	219	00	8723	2345	320	468	115	46,224	7090	Timothy Stillman, D.D.
2. Ontario,	1817		19	1	4	13	149	66	1649	40	71	26	1405	95	14	778	748	107	214	62	20,647	617	John Barnard, D.D.
3. Rochester,	1819		29	4	1	17	227	110	3322	213	89	58	4508	193	44	1747	2774	238	71	8	28,115	9895	Charles E. Furman.
4. Genesee,	1819		13		1	15	106	48	1439	104	51	10	1398	78	75	781	499	97	106	247	28,285	1935	Charles F. Mussey.
5. Niagara,	1823		18			16	233	110	2396	98	70	64	2677	129	90	1156	685	8	70		20,601	1787	Edward P. Marvin.
6. Genesee Valley,	1828		18			14	72	49	1196	20	32	25	1384	68	52	859	887	45	30	15	18,200	1099	Isaac G. Ogden.
VII. Synod of N. Y. and N. J.,	1788	9	284	48	68	165	2148	1373	32,172	2263	651	806	30,608	1902	72	37,798	40,505	8852	2864	2540	525,022	209,197	*Obadiah M. Johnson.*
1. Hudson,	1797		16		4	12	83	49	1694		38	46	805	99	12	291	806	182	83	48	9155	1186	Obadiah M. Johnson.
2. North River,	1819		22	2		17	188	49	2088	110	49	44	1328	111	50	517	532	40	21	23	20,914	2286	Francis B. Wheeler.
3. Long Island,	1791		9			6	7	6	672	1	8	18	689	41	40	231	302	11	108	17	9765	349	Epher Whitaker.
4. New-York, Third,	1831		60	17	24	20	509	312	7022	543	136	190	9359	417	42	7331	10,378	1585	1427	1149	121,191	26,102	Edwin F. Hatfield, D.D.
5. New-York, Fourth,	1845		46	14	24	15	308	293	4423	826	80	158	3937	265	00	14,059	15,874	3346	574	550	138,880	111,588	John Spaulding, D.D.
6. Brooklyn,	1818		28	1		9	242	176	3642	368	75	120	3247	187	86	7230	3721	1546	127		67,660	16,427	William S. Karr.
7. Newark,	1824		48	7	12	32	539	307	7770	180	123	134	5819	444	00	6163	6973	1086	370	679	110,918	43,798	J. Allen Maxwell.
8. Rockaway,	1839		22	1	3	20	181	51	2188	47	66	86	2475	159	42	529	1150	404	78	50	22,814	1953	Burtis C. Megie.
9. Montrose,	1832		33	1	1	34	191	130	2723	243	81	65	2949	177	00	1442	1214	152	76	24	23,755	5408	Adam Miller.
VIII. Synod of Pennsylvania,	1838	5	113	7	25	89	1205	640	16,342	678	278	665	18,258	1008	34	13,274	13,731	3050	2986	2414	262,854	60,759	*William E. Moore.*
1. Wilmington,	1833		14		1	17	136	76	1884	41	32	66	2282	104	10	1134	665	147	100	161	19,088	1544	William Aikman.
2. Philadelphia, Third,	1832		35	1	8	24	864	295	4648	350	69	264	5566	265	00	3611	5250	559	665	698	89,805	45,594	J. Glentworth Butler, D.D.
3. Philadelphia, Fourth,	1845		43	3	12	30	847	251	6691	240	109	238	7077	387	24	2685	4743	1502	643	850	78,326	9710	Thomas J. Shepherd, D.D.
4. Harrisburgh,	1839		18	1	5	9	93	49	1365	8	19	34	1689	117	00	5307	2262	782	1518	559	49,350	1878	Conway P. Wing, D.D.
5. District of Columbia,	1831		8	2	4	9	265	59	1754	44	49	68	1644	135	00	587	811	60	60	146	26,885	2593	William McLain, D.D.
IX. Synod of West-Penn.,	1843	8	80	1	5	81	468	175	3709	81	188	128	3643	204	78	5871	2618	2152	291	134	80,859	8121	*George A. Lyon, D.D.*
1. Erie,	1801		14		1	18	247	81	1731	34	132	41	1748	98	52	484	551	144	234	129	21,848	1487	Joseph Vance.
2. Meadville,	1842		10		1	18	114	64	1097		36	60	893	55	92	767	210	141	49		10,979	1105	Richard Craighead.
3. Pittsburgh,	1839		6	1	8	5	107	80	881	47	20	27	1002	50	34	4020	1857	1897	8	5	48,062	5529	Samuel M. Sparks.

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XXI. Synod of Missouri,	1832	5	41	3	6	52	92	180	1506	28	30	46	1678	89 63	1783	576	210	182	110	38,134	640	*Henry A. Nelson, D.D.*
1. St. Louis,	1831		15		2	13	51	44	653	12	10	22	793	49 00	1431	454	183	102	110	24,534	229	Henry A. Nelson, D.D.
2. Northern Missouri,	1845		5			9	5	34	233		4	6	430	14 15	155	37				6210	100	Elijah A. Carson.
3. Lexington,	1842		8		4	9	14	29	288	1	8	15	385	10 00	111	50	27	65		4065	311	James A. Darrah.
4. Osage,	1845		4	1		5	8	23	113	15	4	3	120					15		2200		William S. Messmer.
5. Kansas,	1859		9	2		16	14	50	269		4			15 88	86	35				1125		William H. Smith.
XXII. Synod of Tennessee,	1817	3	20		7	46	260	22	2858	70	118	92	1577	263 32	75	97	25	80		7172		*Thomas J. Lamar.*
1. Union,	1797		8		7	24	115	16	1778	70	64	61	1172	104 76	71	97	25			6016		William H. Lyle.
2. Kingston,	1838		4			10	22	3	440		5	6	220	24 90	4			80		650		William B. Brown.
3. Holston,	1865		8			12	123	3	645		49	25	185	33 66						506		Samuel V. McCorkle.
XXIII. Synod of A. California,	1857	4	29	1		20	295	109	1210	53	101	98	2042	70 00	428	275	5	5	3	42,968	1508	*Edward B. Walworth.*
1. San Francisco,	1849		8	1		3	65	44	392	35	20	14	550	16 00	158	181				17,433	1004	David McClure.
2. Sierra Nevada,	1857		5			4	89	5	256	18	28	22	520	25 00	110	25				11,200	233	Charles C. Wallace.
3. San José,	1857		12			10	129	50	486		47	50	905	24 00	155	64				9600	271	George Pierson, M.D.
4. Washoe,	1863		4			3	12	10	76		6	12	67	5 00	5	5	5	5	3	4735		Albert F. White.

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3.	Gen. Ass. U. P. Ch., ...	New-York City, N. Y., Thurs., May 27, 1868, 2 P.M.
4.	Gen. Ass. Cumb. P. Ch.,...	Lincoln, Ill., Thursday, May 21, 1868.
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7.	Gen. Synod Ger. Ref. Ch.,..	Philadelphia, Pa., Wednesday, November 24, 1869.
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9.	Gen. Conf. Cong. Chs. Maine,	Thomaston, Maine, Tuesday, June 23, 1868.
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11.	Gen. Ass. of N. Hampshire,	Nashua, N. H., Tuesday, August 27, 1867.
12.	Gen. Ass. Cong. Chs. Mass.	———, Mass., Tuesday, September 8, 1868.
13.	Gen. Ass. of Connecticut,..	Clinton, Ct., Tuesday, June 16, 1868.
14.	Pres. & Cong. Conv of Wis.,	Ripon, Wis., Wednesday, October 2, 1867.
15.	Union of Ev. Chs. of France,	———, France, Thursday, October 25, 1868.

FORMS OF BEQUEST.

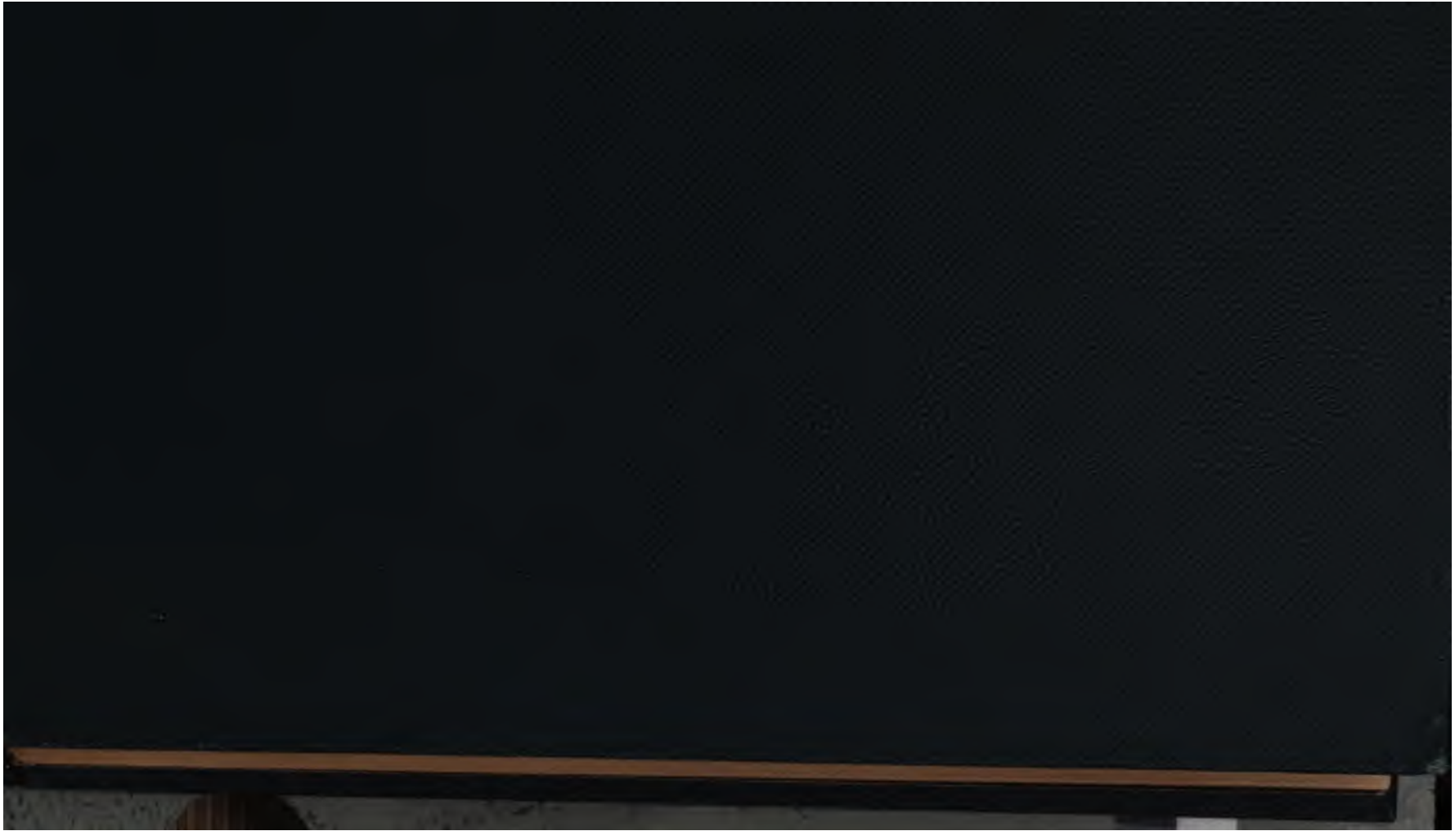
1. I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Church Erection Fund of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, incorporated March 31st, 1855, by the Legislature of the State of New-York, the sum of dollars, for the purpose of aiding feeble congregations in connection with the General Assembly in erecting houses of worship.

2. I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, incorporated April 21st, 1855, by the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania, the sum of dollars, to be expended under the direction, and for the appropriate uses, of the Publication Committee of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America.

3. I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Presbyterian House, incorporated April 21st, 1855, by the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania, the sum of dollars, to be expended by them for the appropriate uses of the Ministerial Relief Fund of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America.

4. I give and bequeath to the Education Committee of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, incorporated April 17th, 1858, by the Legislature of the State of New-York, the sum of dollars, to be expended for the Education of pious young men for the Gospel ministry.

5. I give, devise, and bequeath to the Presbyterian Committee of Home Missions, incorporated by the Legislature of the State of New-York, April 18th, 1862, the sum of dollars, to be expended for the appropriate objects of said Incorporation.

6. For Foreign Missions, change "Home" to "Foreign," and make the date, April 17, 1865.

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